Geisha is a dying art....? essay



Geisha—is not only an artist , but she is also a musician who performs dance , entertains men by singing nor play traditional instruments . A geisha is a women that strictly train since she was small , so she is a perfect hostess . She must obtain general knowledge so that she can easily have topic to chat with her guest . Besides that , a geisha was also a calligrapher , she has to learn some poet . Not only that , as a host , she have to play games to entertain men . Geisha is an illusion of female perfection by applied full white-face make up as a " mask" while they are working .

As a modern era, technological innovation are so thrived, there are so many entertainment such as internet, computer games, I-pod and etc. So, Geisha has slowly step into a dying art. Geisha performance require high expenses that mostly hired by wealth people because of their expensive Kimono. Nowadays, Geisha have lesser appreciator. So, these causes some of them not willing to do such a risky investment on the Kimono. On the other hand, we can easily download Geisha's performance on You-tube. We can basically understand the culture of Japan. These help us save a lot of money and time.

So , this was also one of the reason that causes Geisha became dying art . Other than that , in this modern days , our lifestyle has change a lot . Less and less people will still admire Geisha's performances . There are so many entertainment nowadays such as clubbing , network social , computer games and etc . These easily replace the position of Geisha in Japanese culture . From beginning till now , a Geisha is still not allow to use phone or internet nor anything that related to connection . They only allow to post letter to maintain the traditional lifestyle of Geisha .

Not only that , they also not allowed to dye hair or having hole on ears .

Although this is the traditional style , but still some of them cannot accept , so this are one of the main cause that people nowadays ignore to be a Geisha . However , Geisha is also one of the important Japanese culture that represent Japan . So , Geisha cannot fully describe as a dying art . Because Japanese will protect their own culture and won't let them " extinct" easily . There are still many tourist that went to Japan to discover the culture of Geisha . In addition , still a lot of people that interest with traditional culture .

They love their own culture and proud with it . It is a unique and interesting career that different among other . Some people might want to be a Geisha rather than an office lady because office lady was too bored for them . Morever , Geisha is a professional career , they respect by others because of their passion on learning so much knowledge and skill as a woman . Non-like tradition , nowadays , Geisha are allow to get marry like ordinary people . They can choose either they want to continue their career as a Geisha or not to be . So , they can carry on the family line .

These reduce the ejection of parents if their daughter wanted to become a Geisha . For me , I strongly disagree that Geisha is a dying art . Because it was a wonderful career and yet still got people will appreciate them . As for Japanese , they will protect Geisha as a culture of their country . Geisha represent Japanese's most important culture and i believe that Japan will protect it from "extinct" . As a Japanese's culture lover , they would willing to spend the money no matter how high was the expenses . Because , Art and Culture are Priceless! It worth much more than money .