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Objective: To spread awareness on the unequal treatment women get in the society.

'Mulgi Zali Ho' (A girl is born) is neither a conventional play nor a street play. It belongs to its own genre like folk poetry of the women of the days gone by when they had to wake up early in the morning to grind the flour at home. The poetry they created while working laboriously on the grind-stone, expressed the agonies and tribulations of women in the Male-dominated society most profoundly. Jyoti Mhapsekar has caught that spirit in this play. The play appeals and moves profoundly all audiences, be they of the middle class, the working class, the lumpen, the poor of the cities or villages, be they men or women, because of its utter simplicity and the powerful message it conveys.

There is nothing complicated about the message the play has. The distinguishing feature of the group which created the play under the leadership of Jyoti Mhapsekar is that it does not propagate an aggressive feminist ideal. It simply emphasises the injustice of the present social system where women are treated like lesser human beings. The play powerfully focuses on this theme. Moreover, it exposes the Machiavellian cultural value system of the society which the guise of protecting and worshipping women, keeps them under perpetual bondage. How inhuman this value system is and how unjustly the women are treated, is what the play says in a simple language and with equally simple imagery

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