INQUIRY INTO SAME SEX MARRIAGE LAW IN NSW

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In my opinion, allowing same sex couples the right to marriage makes no difference to heterosexual marriage at all. A great deal of couples are unfaithful, non-religious, interfaith, of mixed sexuality, of mixed ideals or morals, or have even been in relationships for relatively short periods of time. How is denying same sex couples who have longevity of relationship while allowing marriage between people of opposing sexes who have been together mere months fair or responsible? How can you discriminate against a couple- while also denying them the right to property, inheritance, custody of children, so on and so forth.

I believe that including same sex couples in the marriage act and encouraging same sex marriages will only assist society in developing a better attitude to same sex partnerships and also protect defactos and spouses in same sex relationships who deserve the same rights as a woman who is in a sexual relationship with a man.

I believe that I should be permitted to legally marry my partner, irrespective of what genitalia they possess.