# PATRIOTISM IS A HOLY DUTY OF THE UZBEKISTAN YOUTH

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#### ABSTRACT:

This article explains the feeling of homeland - a sacred feeling, the formation and development of love for the motherland of youth, patriotism is a universal feeling, and our ancestors who sacrificed their lives for the sake of the motherland and the people.

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### **INTRODUCTION:**

Historical achievement of the Uzbek people is the independent Republic of Uzbekistan. It is necessary to instill in the minds of everyone, especially young, a sense of pride in their country, realizing that it is up to them to achieve their goals and it depends on their perseverance, selflessness and hard work. This is one of the main conditions for the development of our state and people.

After gaining independence, Uzbekistan was entrusted with the very responsible task of preserving its independence, further strengthening it, in other words, owning its Motherland.

The comprehensive development of the independent state of Uzbekistan and the success of the ongoing reforms depend on the level of economic education, upbringing and culture of the population, especially the younger generation. All the changes taking place in the Republic of Uzbekistan today are aimed at ensuring the political and economic stability of the state in the future, raising the morale of the individual. However, historical development shows that countries, states, peoples, whose citizens are truly patriotic, are ultimately in decline.

Therefore, one of the most urgent tasks today is to ensure that our citizens, especially young people, have a deep sense of responsibility to their motherland, nation and family.

The feeling of homeland is a sacred feeling that is not formed spontaneously in people, but it is formed and developed over the centuries in the process of spiritual upbringing. We will certainly achieve our goal if we effectively use all the methods and means of education aimed at the formation and development of high moral qualities in young people in all types of continuing education, in particular, love for the motherland. In order to do this, we must first pay special attention to the formation of the concept of homeland in This is because, in the process of vouth. understanding the concept of the Motherland, the spirit of love and devotion to the Motherland is formed in the youth and grows.

### What is the homeland?

The question is great interest to everyone, especially young people. In my opinion, firstly, the Motherland means parents, brothers and sisters, that is, the family. The concept of homeland continues to expand in this way. That is, the homeland is relatives, friends, neighborhood, village, district, city, province and the whole country. Therefore, when we say that we must love and be loyal to the Motherland, we must draw the attention of youth to the meaning of the above-mentioned concept of the Motherland. However, the concept of homeland is not limited to the above. It is an extremely broad and multifaceted concept. That is, the homeland is the motherland. It is because of the various blessings that this mother earth gives that a person is born, grows up, lives his life and returns to this land.

When youth develop a sense of patriotism based on national pride, they begin to love the country so much that they are ready to work selflessly for their nation, for their country, and even to sacrifice their lives if necessary. Moreover, this can be called true patriotism.

In order to form a patriotic spirit in young people, first of all, it is necessary to instill in them a sense of national pride. Because a person who cannot be proud of his nation, his people, cannot form a sense of patriotism. This is a fact that cannot be proven. Thus, the social quality of "patriotism" arises from a sense of "national pride" that is unique, and arises in individuals who are conscientious, faithful, industrious, and have all the positive qualities. We recognize that a person with this social quality has attained human perfection.

Therefore, the land on which we live and work is as sacred as its mother earth. Here, which is the basis of the Motherland; there is the right of ancestors and generations. Therefore, the preservation of this land is the main goal of the educational process in the system of continuing education, to use all its resources wisely, to make them aware of the sacred duty of every citizen living in it.

Patriotism is one of the universal feelings, spiritual values that have been polished for centuries, common to all people, peoples, nations. Historically, patriotism is also a set of emotions that people have developed in the process of social development related to the fate of their homeland, the struggle of peoples for the inviolability and independence of the region in which they live. This is reflected in the pride in the past and present of the Motherland, in the protection of its interests.

In addition, when we say homeland, we paradise Uzbekistan. which has mean fascinated the people of the world with its nature, climate, underground and surface resources. Therefore, our history testifies to the fact that in the past there have been several attempts to occupy this country by foreigners. Speaking of the history of the struggle of our people for the independence of the Motherland, we are proud to mention the sacred names of our ancestors who sacrificed their lives in the battles for life and death for the freedom of the motherland and the happiness of its people. Tomaris. Shirak. Spitamen, Mukanna. Najmiddin Kubro, Jaloliddin Manguberdi, Amir Temur and others fought valiantly against the foreign invaders for the freedom of their homeland and people. Our ex-President I.A. Karimov said, "Jaloliddin Manguberdi did not bow down to the enemy, did not kneel down, he died for the Motherland." At the same time, scholars such as Behbudi, Fitrat, Cholpon, Abdulla Avloni, Tavallo, Abdulla Kodiri, whose love and faith for the motherland were the basis of his practical activity, were not only enlightened, but first and foremost patriotic. They thought of the interests and prospects of the homeland and the people, even if they gave up their well-being and peace. The importance of patriotism in the complex, turning periods of the country's history is great. The attitude of every citizen to his nation and homeland is of great importance in such times. Such cases also show the importance of strengthening national patriotic education. Therefore, the memory of such ancestors should be eternal and be an example for the present generation.

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Today, our enemies, who do not see the independence of Uzbekistan, want to use its wealth for their own interests, try to dominate it, try to win the hearts and minds of our people, especially young people, and achieve their goals through ideological influence. In such a situation, "In order to bring up our children in the spirit of love for the motherland, rich history, devotion to the sacred religion of our ancestors, we must, first of all, strengthen ideological immunity in their hearts and minds. So that our young people can become people who have a deep understanding of their national identity, as well as the world, and keep pace with the times." Only a person who is able to appreciate the motherland, who is proud of his language, past and national values, will be able to serve the future development of Uzbekistan, will create the future of our independent Uzbekistan.

However, in order to protect our youth from various spiritual aggressions, and to further develop in them a sense of love and devotion to the Fatherland, it is necessary to further develop a well-thought-out, scientifically based patriotic education at all levels of the continuing education system. We also need to pay special attention to the stages and qualities of perfection in the process of educating young people. In particular, we must not forget that "the homeland is as sacred as a shrine."

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