

Khan Shaheed A Revolutionary Personality

خان شهيد يو تحريك يو تاريخ

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Abstract:

A lot of literature is available on the work and biography of Abdul Samad Khan Shaheed, but through this article and attempts is made to bring out all those unexplored aspects of his life which are yet not discussed, such as his contribution towards knowledge dissemination. Khan Shaheed's contribution in the field of knowledge dissemination is the reflection of his teacher- MaulanaAbulKalam Azad thoughts. Khan Shaheed is not only influenced by Azad's philosophy in the field of education dissemination but his political life was under the influence of his teacher's thought too. These characteristics have not only made Khan Shaheed as one of the greatest leaders but his these unique characteristics brought very positive changes in all aspects of life of the people of Southern Pakhtoonkhwa. Although many authors have enlightened the biography/life style of Khan Shaheed but in this paper an attempt is made to bring out his contribution with special reference to literary work in the prevailed circumstances of that era in Southern Pakhtoonkhwa. This paper also elaborates the effects and impact of Khan Shaheed's literary work on the Pashto literature as well as his views about literature development in the light of the views of great scholars of the region.

Key words: literature, Abdul Samad Khan, Southern Pakhtoonkhwa, biography.