

THE ROLE OF PROVERBS EXPRESSING THE CONCEPT OF LABOR IN THE ENGLISH AND UZBEK LINGUISTIC LANDSCAPE

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Abstract: This article discusses the role and importance of the proverb genre in the English and Uzbek landscape, and the fact that proverbs are a constant object of study for many representatives of linguistics, including linguists, historians, and ethnographers. The proverb genre has its own linguistic features that distinguish it from other genres, and these features give proverbs melody, beautiful content, and help to focus the listener's attention on the speech.

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We know that almost all scholars have been hesitant since the concept of defining a proverb was introduced. If we look at the opinions of some famous scholars, one of them, Taylor Whiting and Jones, argued that defining a proverb is impossible and inappropriate. If we dwell on Taylor's opinion, it is difficult, even impossible to define a proverb, since it is said that "an incommunicable quality which tells us that whether a sentence is a proverb and the other is not" is said, then there is no need to define a proverb, because we all know what a proverb is. It should also be noted that proverbs, as semantically and structurally complete texts, are an important object of study in text linguistics.

Interest in the proverb from a literary point of view, its use to enhance the artistic quality of the work and ensure the fluency of the artistic language have always been the focus of attention of word artists. We can use proverbs no matter what field or specific topic they are about.

The use of proverbs has been thoroughly analyzed not only by contemporary but also by literary figures of past centuries. For example: If we carefully study the works of Yusuf Khos Hajib, Ahmad Yassavi, Rabguzi, Lutfi, Alisher Navoi, Babur, Abulgozi Bahodirkhan, Munis, Ogahiy, Muqimiy, Furqat, Avaz, Hamza, Sadridin Ayniy, Fitrat, Cholpon, Abdulla Qodiriy, Oybek, Gafur Ghulam and dozens of other creators, we can see how many proverbs are present in their composition, sometimes in a changed form. Proverbs that express the concept of labor have found their place not only in today's sources, but also in the sources of that period.

In the process of analyzing the articles, we came across proverbs that embody several different topics. At the same time, during the analysis, we witnessed that there are quite a few proverbs expressing the concept of "labor" in the English and Uzbek proverbs. It is known that since ancient times, our parents have emphasized that hard work and perseverance are at the heart of any achievement. Working and meeting one's needs has its importance not only in ancient times, but also today. Such vices as laziness and aversion to work have always been condemned. The serious approach of the English and Uzbek people to such issues is reflected in the proverbs.

Let's take a look at some of them: "All is over bar (but) the shouting". The literal translation of this proverb is as follows: Bari ortda kally, vakt shodlika yatdi. This proverb may have the following equivalent in Uzbek: The harder the work, the sweeter the Katie.

Despite some similarities between English and Uzbek proverbs, we can also find some differences between English and Uzbek proverbs about work. If we look at English proverbs, they are mainly focused on the practical and material aspects of work, such as productivity and efficiency. For example, if we look at one of the English proverbs, the proverb "Time is

money” puts forward the idea of using time effectively and being able to distribute it correctly in order to achieve financial success. Uzbek proverbs, along with practical and material aspects, also pay more attention to the spiritual and moral aspects of work, such as honesty and endurance. The proverbs above are examples of this.

In conclusion, we can say that English and Uzbek proverbs on the concept of "work" have some similarities in terms of their characteristics, namely the importance of hard work and determination. By studying this process, we can gain a deeper understanding of the cultural values and beliefs reflected in the proverbs and apply them to our lives.

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