ABSTRACT

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Early marriage is a marriage contract process that takes place at a minor age in accordance with applicable regulations. With so many cases of early marriage in various regions, especially in Mangunreja Village, of course there are things that are driving factors in these marriages. The aim of this research is to analyze what are the driving factors for early marriage that occurs in Mangunreja Village. The method in this research uses the case study method, with data collection techniques through interviews, observation, documentation and triagulation. The results of this research show that there are several factors that encourage early marriage to occur in Mangunreja Village, including 1) Community factors (social and religious norms), parents' concerns about their children having relationships with the opposite sex which could be a trigger if something happens to their children., as well as fear of bad perceptions given by people around them towards children and their families. 2) Knowledge Factor, the low level of knowledge possessed by adolescent girls in Mangunreja village relating to the maturing age of marriage and the risks or dangers of early marriage is one of the driving factors for early marriage, most of this ignorance is caused by the low level of education attained by them. teenage girls in Mangunreja Village. The conclusion of this research is that there are 2 main driving factors for early marriages that occur in Mangunreja Village, Mangunreja Regency, Tasikmalaya Regency, namely community factors (social and religious norms) and knowledge factors.

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