

# Yvette Cooper MP

GORMLESS FEMINIST OF THE MONTH



**J4MB** presents the July 2014 'Gormless Feminist of the Month' award to Yvette Cooper, Labour MP and shadow Home Secretary. In an article for the *Independent*<sup>1</sup> she wrote:

For years we have talked about the importance of empowering our daughters, giving them the confidence to challenge abuse and bringing them up as feminists. If we are going to achieve a real-step change in tackling violence against women, we need our sons growing up as confident feminists too.

Karen Woodall wrote a powerful open letter<sup>2</sup> to Ms Cooper in response to the article.

<sup>1</sup> <http://www.independent.co.uk/voices/comment/we-must-educate-our-sons-to-save-our-daughters-9588177.html>

<sup>2</sup> <http://karenwoodall.wordpress.com/2014/07/08/education-emasulation-and-equality-a-letter-to-yvette-cooper>