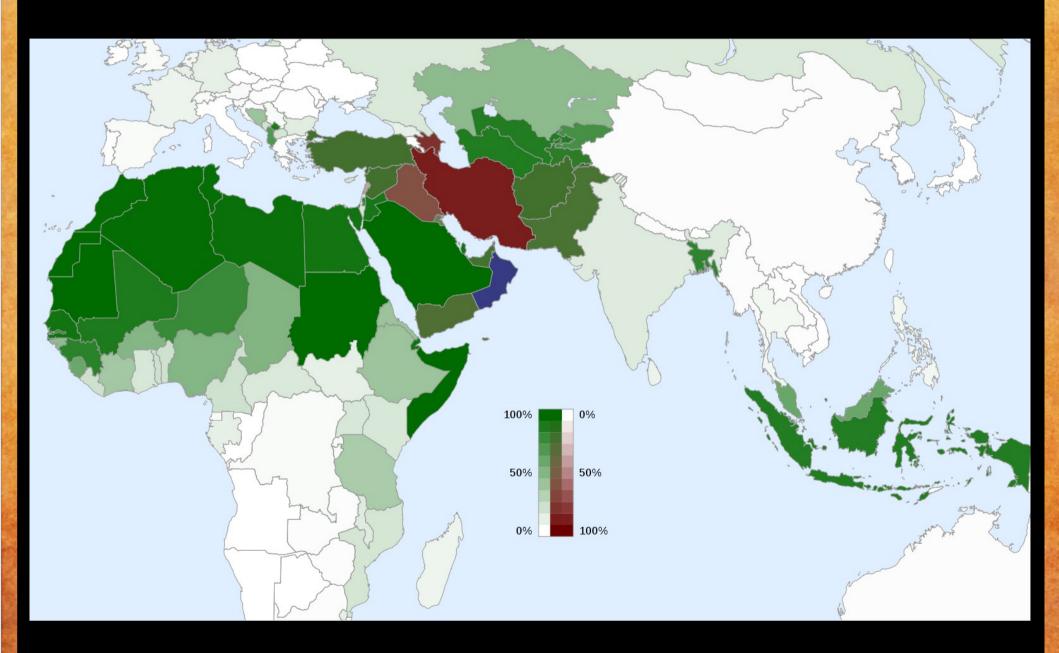
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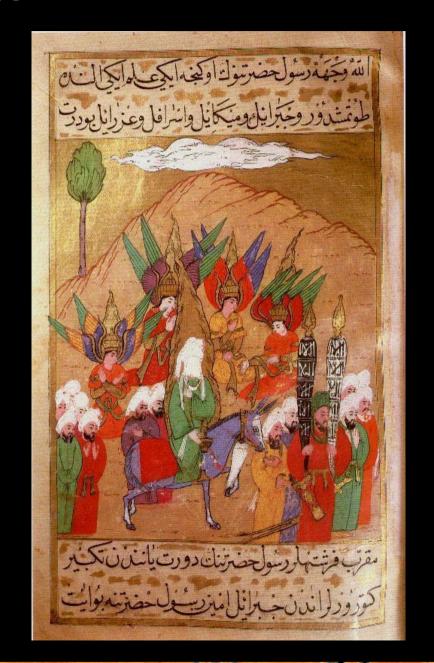
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Basic Theology

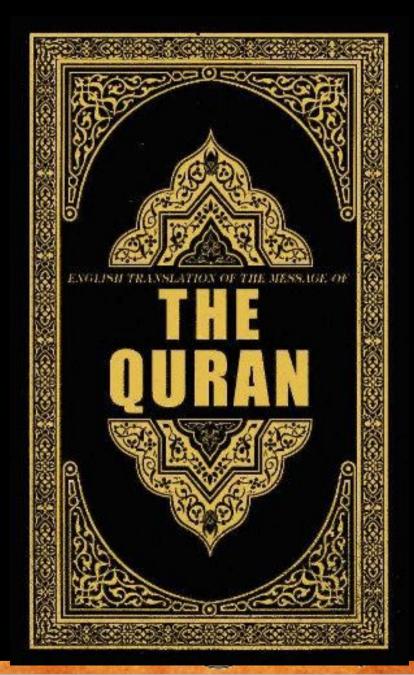
Muḥammad [570 - 632 CE]

- Believed by Muslims to be a messenger and prophet of God
- Is almost universally considered by Muslims as the last prophet sent by God to mankind
- Muslims consider him to have restored the unaltered original monotheistic faith of Adam, Noah, Abraham, Moses, Jesus, and other prophets.



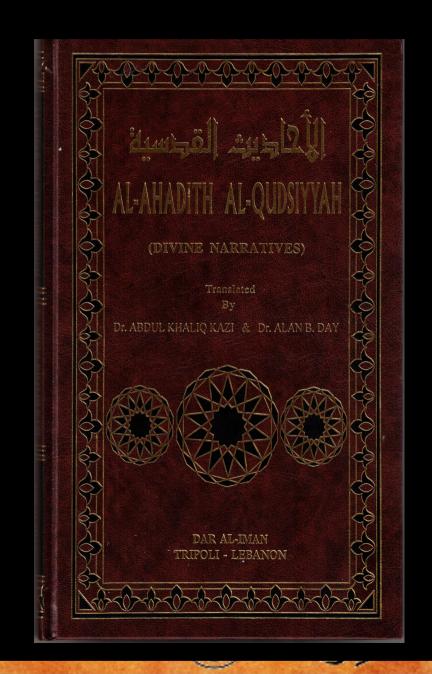
Quran [Qur'an or Koran]

- Written 609 632 CE
- Means "the recitation"
- Muslims believe that the Quran was verbally revealed from God to Muhammad through the angel Gabriel (Jibril)
- 114 "suras" (chapters)
- 6236 "ayat" (verses)



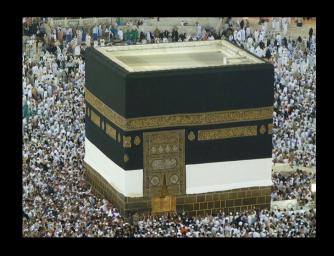
Hadith

- Means "report, account, or narrative"
- Oral teachings, deeds and sayings of Muhammad circulated after his death (200 – 300 years later)
- Sunnis and Shi'as have different texts
- More Muslims have begun to reject the authority of the Hadith



Five Pillars of Islam

Kaaba [Mecca] #1 Al-Masjid al-Nabawi [Medina] #2 Al-Aqsa Mosque [Jerusalem] #3







Abrogation

- Abrogation means replacement
- As Muhammad taught the Quran to his followers, sometimes an early verse would be replaced by a later verse (not all believe this)
- The Quran is not printed in chronological order as taught by Muhammad. The Suras (chapters) are generally placed in order from longest to shortest



Mecca

- Mild
- 610 622 CE

[Calendar Begins]
<u>Medina</u>

- Hard
- 622 632 CE

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We do not abrogate a verse or cause it to be forgotten except that We bring forth [one] better than it or similar to it. Do you not know that Allah is over all things competent?

And if they incline to peace, then incline to it [also] and rely upon Allah . Indeed, it is He who is the Hearing, the Knowing.

لآ إِكْرَاهَ فِي ٱلدِّينِ قَد تَبَيَّنَ ٱلرُّشُدُمِنَ ٱلْغَيِّ فَمَن يَكُفُرُ بِٱلطَّاغُوتِ وَيُوْمِنُ بِٱللَّهِ فَقَدِ ٱسْتَمْسَكَ بِٱلْعُهُوةِ ٱلْوُثْقَى لَا انفِصَامَ لَمَا قَاللَّهُ سَمِيعُ عَلِيمُ (اللَّهِ)

There shall be no compulsion in [acceptance of] the religion. The right course has become clear from the wrong. So whoever disbelieves in Taghut and believes in Allah has grasped the most trustworthy handhold with no break in it. And Allah is Hearing and Knowing.

And when the sacred months have passed, then kill the polytheists wherever you find them and capture them and besiege them and sit in wait for them at every place of ambush. But if they should repent, establish prayer, and give zakah, let them [go] on their way. Indeed, Allah is Forgiving and Merciful.

Abrogation

"The verse of the sword, according to mainstream Islamic theologians, abrogated as many as 124 verses of the Qur'an."

[The Sword Verse, Wikipedia]

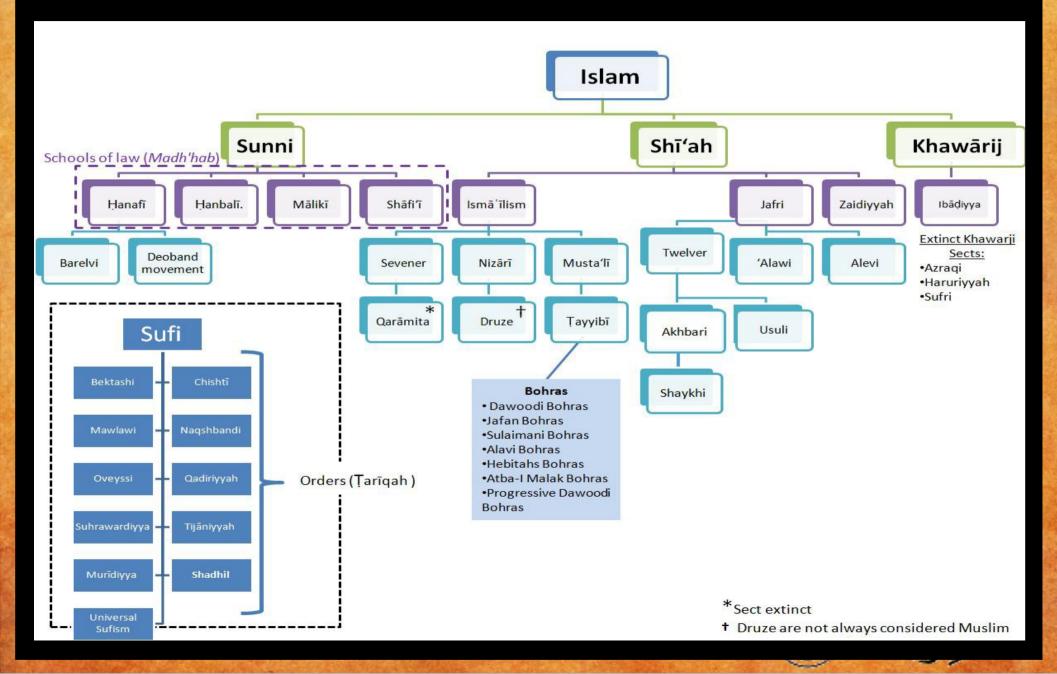
<u>Taqiyya</u>

- Means "caution" by came to mean "religious dissimulation" (deception to conceal truth)
- Muslim scholars teach that Muslims should generally be truthful to each other, unless the purpose of lying is to "smooth over differences."
- There are two forms of lying to non-believers that are permitted under certain circumstances, *taqiyya* and *kitman*. These circumstances are typically those that advance the cause Islam in some cases by gaining the trust of non-believers in order to draw out their vulnerability and defeat them.

لَا يَتَخِذِ ٱلْمُؤْمِنُونَ ٱلْكَنْفِرِينَ أَوْلِيكَ مَن دُونِ ٱلْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَمَن يَفْعَلُ فَا يَتَخِذِ ٱلْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَمَن يَفْعَلُ ذَالِكَ فَلَيْسَ مِنَ ٱللَّهِ فِي شَيْءٍ إِلَّا أَن تَكَتَّقُواْ مِنْهُمْ تُقَلَقًا وَيُحَذِّرُكُمُ ٱللَّهُ نَفْسَكُهُ وَإِلَى ٱللَّهِ ٱلْمَصِيرُ اللهَ وَيُحَذِّرُكُمُ ٱللَّهُ نَفْسَكُهُ وَإِلَى ٱللَّهِ ٱلْمَصِيرُ اللهَ اللَّهِ الْمَصِيرُ اللهَ اللَّهِ الْمَصِيرُ اللهَ اللَّهُ الللَّهُ اللَّهُ الللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللّهُ اللَّهُ الللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ الللَّهُ الللّهُ اللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ اللللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ ا

Let not believers take disbelievers as allies rather than believers. And whoever [of you] does that has nothing with Allah, except when taking precaution against them in prudence. And Allah warns you of Himself, and to Allah is the [final] destination.

Sunni vs Shia



SUNNI ISLAM SHIA ISLAM Muhammad (570 - 632) Caliph 1 - Abu Bakr (632 - 634) Caliph 2 - Umar (634 - 644) Caliph 3 - Uthman (644 - 656) Caliph 4 - Ali (656 - 661) - Imam 1 **Caliph 5 - Hassan (661) - Imam 2** Husayn (d. 680) - Imam 3 **Caliph 6 - Muawiyah (661 - 680)**

More Imams

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─ Rashidun Caliphate —

Umayyad Caliphate

Hasan vs Mu'awiya Peace Treaty [661 CE]

"Hasan bin Ali makes Peace on the condition that he will not be under an obligation to call Mu'awiya, the Commander of the Faithful"

Basic Differences Between Sunni and Shi'a Muslims

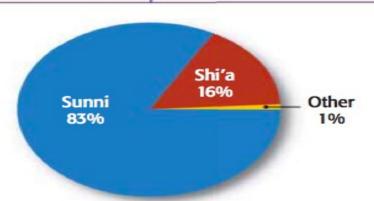
Sunni

- Believe that the first four caliphs were "rightly guided"
- Believe that Muslim rulers should follow the Sunna, or Muhammad's example
- Claim that the Shi'a have distorted the meaning of various passages in the Qur'an

Shi'a

- Believe that Ali, the Prophet's son-in-law, should have succeeded Muhammad
- Believe that all Muslim rulers should be descended from Muhammad; do not recognize the authority of the Sunna
- Claim that the Sunni have distorted the meaning of various passages in the Qur'an

Percentage Today of Sunni and Shi'a Muslims Worldwide





What do Sunni's believe about Shia's

Shias are not
Muslims, they don't
represent Islam,
shias are enemies of
Islam and Muslims,
may Allah punish
and kill them all

What do Shia's believe about Sunni's

Sunnies are not
Muslims, they are
extremists and
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Sharia

Sharia "Legislation"





The Prophet Muhammad s.a.w. said "Whoever believes in Allah and the Last Day, should.



Dhimmi "Protected" Rules

- Must pay 'jizya' ('reward for protection') tax
- Houses must be inferior
- Must walk on the side of the street
- Testimony valued lower
- Excluded from public office
- Must travel with a lower profile
- Cannot display crosses or ring church bells
- Cannot read Bible aloud or have public funerals/holidays
- No new churches may be constructed
- Must wear distinctive clothing
- Cannot convert to any other faith other than Islam





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"Al-Dawlah Al-Islamiyah fe Al-Iraq wa Al-Sham" [DAISH]

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"There is no god but God, Muhammad is the messenger of God"

"Muhammad is the Messenger of God"

Declaration of Caliphate [2014 CE]

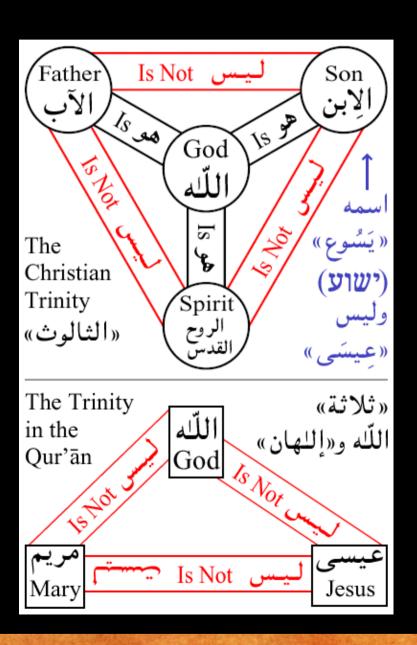
"So rush O Muslims and gather around your khalīfah, so that you may return as you once were for ages, kings of the earth and knights of war. Come so that you may be honored and esteemed, living as masters with dignity. Know that we fight over a religion that Allah promised to support. We fight for an ummah to which Allah has given honor, esteem, and leadership, promising it with empowerment and strength on the earth. Come O Muslims to your honor, to your victory. By Allah, if you disbelieve in democracy, secularism, nationalism, as well as all the other garbage and ideas from the west, and rush to your religion and creed, then by Allah, you will own the earth, and the east and west will submit to you. This is the promise of Allah to you. This is the promise of Allah to you. "[This Is the Promise of Allah, 2014]



ISIS: Sunni or Kharaijite?

"Because of that wanton hatred of so many practitioners of Islam, ISIS is considered by even other Sunnis to be false Muslims. Some Sunnis have identified the group's members as modern Kharijites—a sect that is neither Shia nor Sunni that in the seventh century refused to accept the leadership of the cousin of the Prophet Muhammad." [Newsweek, September 8, 2014]

Christian Theology Contrast



فَإِن كُنْتَ فِي شَكِّمِ مِّمَّا أَنزَلْنَا إِلَيْكَ فَسَعُلِ ٱلَّذِينَ يَقْرَءُونَ ٱلۡحَيۡتَ مِن قَبْلِكَ لَقَدۡ جَاءَكَ ٱلۡحَقُّ مِن رَّبِكَ فَلَا تَكُونَنَ مِنَ ٱلۡمُمۡتَرِينَ ﴿ ثَنْ اللَّهُ مُتَرِينَ ﴿ ثَنْ اللَّهِ عَلَى اللَّهُ مُتَرِينَ ﴿ ثَالِكُ اللَّهُ مُتَرِينَ الْ

So if you are in doubt, [O Muhammad], about that which We have revealed to you, then ask those who have been reading the Scripture before you. The truth has certainly come to you from your Lord, so never be among the doubters.

وَقَفَّيْنَا عَلَىٰٓءَ اثْرِهِم بِعِيسَى ابْنِ مَرْيَمَ مُصَدِّقًا لِمَا بَيْنَ يَكَيْهِ مِنَ ٱلتَّوْرَكَةِ وَءَاتَيْنَكُ ٱلْإِنْجِيلَ فِيهِ هُدًى وَنُورٌ وَمُصَدِّقًا لِمَا بَيْنَ يَكَيْهِ مِنَ ٱلتَّوْرَكَةِ وَهُدًى وَمَوْعِظَةً لِلمُتَّقِينَ الْنَا

And We sent, following in their footsteps, Jesus, the son of Mary, confirming that which came before him in the Torah; and We gave him the Gospel, in which was guidance and light and confirming that which preceded it of the Torah as guidance and instruction for the righteous.

And [for] their saying, "Indeed, we have killed the Messiah, Jesus, the son of Mary, the messenger of Allah." And they did not kill him, nor did they crucify him; but [another] was made to resemble him to them. And indeed, those who differ over it are in doubt about it. They have no knowledge of it except the following of assumption. And they did not kill him, for certain. Rather, Allah raised him to Himself. And ever is Allah Exalted in Might and Wise.

O People of the Scripture, do not commit excess in your religion or say about Allah except the truth. The Messiah, Jesus, the son of Mary, was but a messenger directed to Mary and a soul [created at a command] from Him. So believe in Allah and His messengers. And do not say, "Three"; desist - it is better for you. Indeed, Allah is but one God. Exalted is He above having a son. To Him belongs whatever is in the heavens and whatever is on the earth. And sufficient is Allah as Disposer of affairs.

مَاكَانَ لِلَّهِ أَن يَنَّخِذَ مِن وَلَدِ سُبَحَننَهُ وَإِذَا قَضَىٓ أَمْرًا فَإِنَّمَا يَقُولُ لَهُ كُن فَيَكُونُ (٥٠٠)

It is not [befitting] for Allah to take a son; exalted is He! When He decrees an affair, He only says to it, "Be," and it is.

Jihadist Groups

<u>Shia</u>

Hezbollah

<u>Sunni</u>

- Al-Qaeda
- Jabhat al-Nusra
- Hamas
- Taliban
- Al-Shabab
- Boko-Haram
- ISIS/ISIL/IS

<u>Khawarij</u>

- Wahabi / Salafi
- ISIS/ISIL/IS

Closing

Muhammad's Dying Words [632 CE]

"'A'isha and Abdullah reported: As the Messenger of Allah (may peace be upon him) was about to breathe his last, he drew his sheet upon his face and when he felt uneasy, he uncovered his face and said in that very state: Let there be curse upon the Jews and the Christians that they have taken the graves of their apostles as places of worship. He in fact warned (his men) against what they (the Jews and the Christians) did." [Sahih Muslim 1082]



Resources

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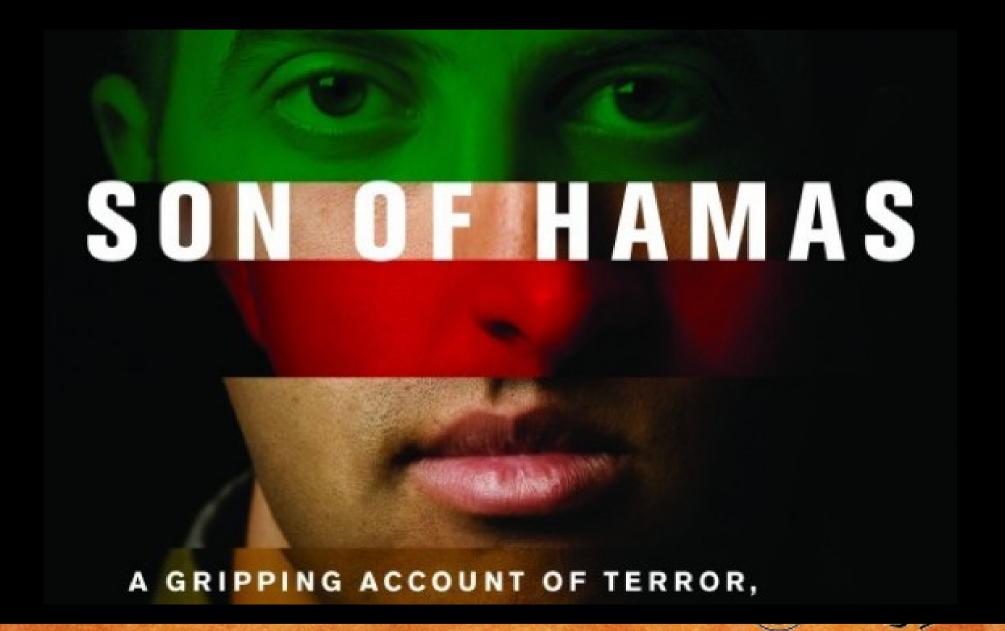
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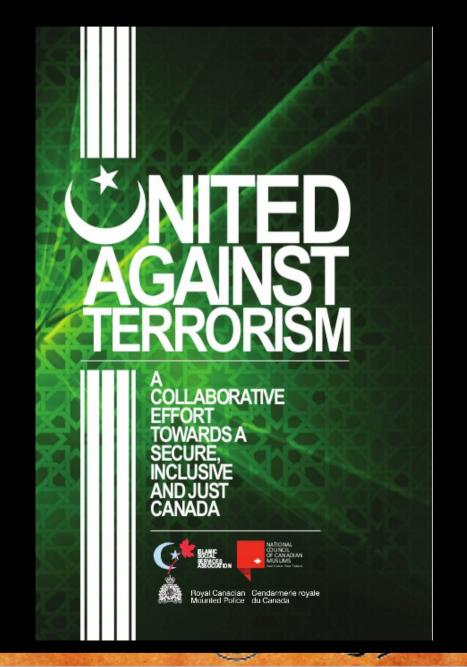




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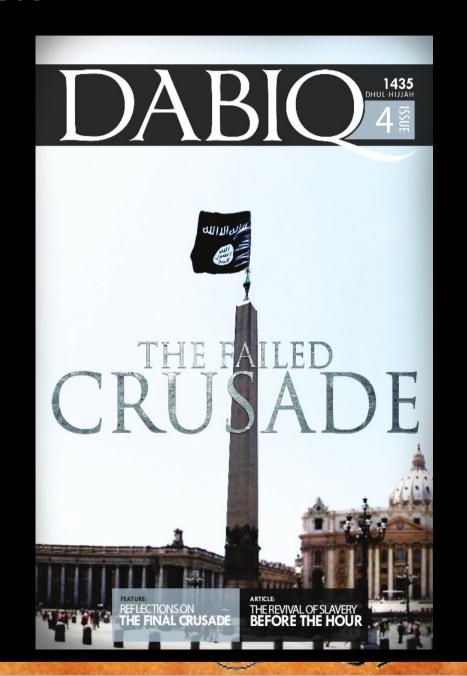
United Against Terrorism

- Created by National Council of Canadian Muslims, the Islamic Social Services Association, and RCMP
- "After a final review of the handbook, the RCMP could not support the adversarial tone set by elements of the booklet and therefore directed RCMP Manitoba not to proceed with this initiative."



Dabiq Magazine

- Created by ISIS/ISIL/IS
- Islamic State's glossy propaganda magazine
- Named after a key site in Muslim apocalypse theology



- Will Islam Be Our Future? A Study of Biblical and Islamic Eschatology [2007]
- Islamic Eschatology And The Islamic End Time Theory [2011]
- Islam: Sunnis and Shiites [2009]
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- Islamic State: The Changing Face of Modern Jihadism [2014]
- This Is the Promise of Allah [2014]
- Muslim Scholars: Open Letter to Islamic State [2014]

Bonus

Islamic Eschatology

God (Allah)

The Arabic word for God, meaning simply "the one to be worshiped and obeyed." (Like Elohim in Hebrew)

Fundamental Beliefs of Islam

Day of Judgement

Allah will judge mankind by their deeds. All will enter either Paradise (the Garden) or Hell (the Fire).

Angels

God's servants (messengers) in heaven. Gabriel is the Angel of Revelation who, Muslims believe, recited the Qur'an to Mohammed.

Books (Scriptures)

The Qur'an, but also scriptures that were revealed before it, especially the Torah, Psalms, and the Gospel.

Prophets

Mohammed, "the seal of the prophets," but also the prophets who came before him, especially Adam, Noah, Abraham, Moses, and Jesus.

Minor Signs

- The disappearance of knowledge/appearance of ignorance
- Adultery and fornication will be performed in the open
- The consumption of intoxicants will be widespread
- Killing, killing, killing
- The nations of the earth will gather against the Muslims
- The children will be filled with rage and will be foul
- Rain will be acidic or burning
- When a trust becomes a means of making a profit
- Gains will be shared with the rich, and no benefit to the poor

Major Signs

- Appearance of the Mahdi (rule Caliphate for 7 years)
- Black flag army will appear from Greater Khorasan
- Appearance of Masih ad-Dajjal (Anti-Christ)
- The return of Isa (Jesus) (live/rule for 40 years)

	lmam	Birth & Death	Manner of Death
1	Ali ibn Abu Talib	600-661	Assassinated
2	Hasan ibn Ali	624–680	Poisoned
3	Husayn ibn Ali	626–680	Beheaded
4	Ali ibn Husayn	658(?)-712	Poisoned
5	Muhammad ibn Ali	677–732	Poisoned
6	Ja'far ibn Muhammad	702-765	Poisoned
7	Musa ibn Ja'far	744-799	Poisoned
8	Ali ibn Musa	765-817	Poisoned
9	Muhammad ibn Ali	810-835	Poisoned
10	Ali ibn Muhammad	827-868	Poisoned
11	Hasan ibn Ali	846-874	Poisoned
12	Muhammad ibn al-Hasan	868?-?	Still living "in occultation"

<u>Mahmoud Ahmadinejad</u>

"The arrival of the Ultimate Savior, Jesus Christ and the Righteous will bring about an eternally bright future for mankind, not by force or waging wars but through thought awakening and developing kindness in everyone." [Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, 2012]





Dabiq

"The Final Hour will not be established until the Romans land at either al-A'mag or at Dabig. Then an army from al-Madinah of the best people on the earth at that time will leave for them."

[Abu Hurayrah, Hadith]



Black Banners from the East

"A black banner of Bani Al-Abbas will come out . Then, another black banner will come from Khorasan...They will defeat the supporters of the Sufyani until he arrives to Jerusalem (where) he will lay the foundation for the Mahdi's dominion...From the time, he comes out until he hands over the matter to the Mahdi, there will be seventy two months." [Nuaim Ibn Hammad's Kitab Al-Fitan]

The Final Battle

"You will have a treaty of security with the Romans until you both fight an enemy beyond them. And you will be victorious, you will gain war booty, and you will achieve such without losses...A man from the Roman Christians will then raise the cross. He will say, 'The cross has prevailed!' A man from the Muslims will then say, 'Rather Allah has prevailed,' and then he will angrily rise and crush the cross which is not at a distance from him. Then the Romans will betray the treaty by rising against the breaker of the cross and striking his neck. The Muslims will then rise and rush to their arms. They will then battle. Allah will bless this party of Muslims with shahādah. The Romans will say to the Roman leader, 'We are sufficient for you against the Arabs.' They will then gather for the Malhamah (the grand battle before the Hour)." [Ahmad, Abu Dawud, and Ibn Majah]

Return of Jesus

"Then Allah will send Isa from Heaven and he will be brought by two angels to the roof of the Ka'bah. He will descend during the Fajr prayer. When the people see Isa on top of the Ka'bah they will bring ladders to help him down. After which Isa with other Moslems will declare war on Dajjal and ultimately slay him and break the cross. Isa will convert the whole world to Islam and rule by the principles of Qur'anic Law for 40 years. Then he will pass away and be buried next to the grave of the Holy Prophet Mohammed"

Important Announcement

Discovering Islam, in association with **End Times Research Center**, is pleased to inform you about a great book :

The End Times: Based on Numerical Analysis of the Quran, Hadith, Arabic Words, and Historical Events

The latest research of End Times Research Center indicates that, in-sha-Allah (if Allah is willing):

(a) The first phase of the End of Time will start (and the Imam Mahdi will appear) most likely in 2014.

The probability for the beginning of the End Times is as follows:

Year 2014 55 %

Year 2015 40 %

After Year 2015 5%

(b) Jesus Christ (p) will come down from Heaven in 2022, but the World will not end in 2022.

Hard Core Jihadist Islamist e.g. ISIS

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Sympathizers

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