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# Resurgent Islam, the interfaith delusion and a Christian response

#### Dear Friend,

In the USA, instead of a military attitude the resurgent Islam has adopted Muhammad's season of diplomacy from his Meccan period. Although traces can be found of militant Islam and of terror, Muslims are using, in the forefront, all legal means to spread their ideology. Financial aid in the millions is given to Islamic organizations and secular Universities and colleges by Saudi



Arabia and Gulf states to enlighten people in the USA to see Islam as the best way of the Abrahamic path. Muslim organizations are using every available source from IT to PR. Packages of pro-Islamic books and media materials by the thousands are provided to libraries, teachers, State officials and Representatives. Many Muslims have made contacts with influential people at Radio, TV and newspaper mediums and seek their help to give a peaceful picture of Islam. Several Muslim organizations, such as CAIR, ISNA and MSA are campaigning against those Non-Muslims who want to expose the hidden face of Islam and Muslims. Indirectly some Muslims are trying to replace America's freedom of speech with hate-crime bills. They are relentless in the nomination of Muslim sympathizers and Muslims in political and religious offices. They are getting involved in demonstrations on immigration issues, as well.

On a Christian response, the Church in America is divided into two extremes from hatred to totally unconditional love. There are 'Christians' who believe that Islam and Muslims are not included in 'The Great Commission', thinking God has finished with them. On the other hand there are those who are so 'loving' that they do not want to share Jesus in the name of interfaith slogan of 'co-exist', thus compromising the gospel. Their doctrine seems to be that Islam or any other faith can be accepted as a way to God. In both cases it is obvious that their 'will and affections' are set upon their fallen nature and thus they have become an offense to Christ. Both of these courses lead to spiritual ruin because the first group has totally closed the door of salvation on Muslims and the other in their compassion has gone too far to even offend God by showing an attitude that is contrary to the Gospel. (See how Carter Conlon, co-pastor of David Wilkerson, explains in his sermon "When Compassion Offends God". http://jgospel.org/faith/sermon/when-compassion-offends-god-carter-conlon.c15451.aspx).

There are, however, a portion of Christians in between these two extremes that believe in loving the Muslims 'the God way' and are willing to take a stand for the uniqueness of the message of Christ and assurance for all, including Muslims. They use the utmost of their abilities to share the love of Christ with Muslims through friendship, and meaningful dialogue.

The main goal of 'Jesus to Muslims' has been established for this ultimate purpose, to love Muslims into the Kingdom and teach truth. We have been 'called' by God to equip and educate the truth about our Spiritual enemy, who is using the ideology of Islam to intimidate all those who pursue this avenue of teaching truth. Even Satan, himself knows there is only one way to God. He does not want Christians to reach these lost deceived & confused souls of the Muslim people with the



truth, because his agenda is to prowl around like a lion to devour, kill and destroy as many people as possible before Jesus returns! Let us not be deceived by any other gospel. Let us go back to Biblical truths and remember our first love, Jesus, so to walk out our lives according to His example. We need to call upon and walk in the power of the Holy Spirit daily, so that we can live the victorious life of a Christian and be light in the darkness. As Christians we have been called to live according to Colossians 3 & 4. To live is to die to self. Colossians actually tells every Christian how to live out this victorious life from the time we wake up to the time we die. It's not

enough to say we are Christians, for they will know us by our fruit. This day to day instruction seems to be the one thing that is attracting Christians and others to Islam, because people want to be told what to do. Christianity's life of freedom seems to be misinterpreted by giving people freedom to do anything. Ephesians 6:10-20 makes this Spiritual warfare we are living in today, clear and requires putting on our full armor of God to stand against the schemes of the devil in our daily Christian walk. Satan is the Father of lies, deception, confusion, control, fear and death! The ideology of Islam that Satan is using to achieve his goal is the Spirit of lying and deception called *takiyya*. The Spirit of confusion is used in Qur'anic contradictions. The Spirit of control and fear is used to intimidate in debates, accusations and the US legal system to achieve his agenda and the Spirit of death is used to keep people from feeling the peace Muslims proclaim with words and propaganda. However, while this ideology is the sin that God hates, God loves the Muslim people the same as all people and wants them to be saved! God's Spirit of love and speaking The Word in love can break down all these demonic Spirits.

#### Be warned of the 'Interfaith' delusion that is about in the USA.

We are living in a time where in the name of tolerance we try to find something good anywhere and everywhere and whatever the situation may be. Mindful people claiming to be from various faiths in the USA, have established themselves into what is known as Interfaith dialogue. On the surface, when you look at it, you find that in the forefront Judaism, Christianity and Islam as 'Abrahamic faiths' and not as Judeo-Christian faith is presented. They claim that 'The Torah, the New Testament, and the Quran all contain exceptional teachings instructing us to love God, to love one another, and to care for all people.' Then they go a little further, stating that it is 'crucial... that we honor both the universal as well as the particularly exclusivist teachings of each of our faith's traditions.' (http://www.countercurrents.org/falcon150910.htm). Although as a Christian, I



have no problem with such statements, what I find is that many Muslims on these "Interfaith committees" are actually using the forum to their own propagation agenda, while the prominence of salvation through Jesus is shunned by them and many of the pastors and reverends attending these meetings just keep quite in the name of so-called 'tolerance' not even pointing out their reservation of the matter.

In these interfaith dialogues while it is talked how badly Muslims are treated in America, we hear rarely Muslims and other raising their voices on what goes on in Muslim majority countries against Christians, in losing their lives and belongings. In fact in the name of 'Interfaith' Muslims hold meetings in churches and synagogues to convince non-Muslims how good the Islamic ideology is. They go to the extent to invite attendees to perform some of the rituals and even are given Islamic polemic material showing that it is not Christianity, but

Islam that should be followed.

As far as being loving and kind to each other that is indeed Biblical, but to allow a Muslim on a church platform to go on to do Islamic evangelism, is not Jesus, but Muhammad who is presented to be followed. Such a notion is a total negation of the gospel which declares that Jesus is the only way unto Salvation.

If you love Jesus and accept him as the only Savior, then it is of utmost importance that you, as his follower, should draw a line and state – this far is fine, but not beyond Biblical values. State clearly indeed I have to love as the Lord loves, but when it comes to the matter of Salvation, even God has drawn the line. There is only one name under heaven through whom we

can be saved. He is Jesus. Be warned. The Scriptures is quite clear and warns us of 'no other gospel' to be accepted.

## An Opportunity lost

Well, you heard it all - Pastor Terry Jones and the burning of the Qur'an. We thank the Lord that he did not follow the conviction and withdrew from it. However, we believe he could have used the opportunity while announcing his withdrawal to remind the media of the atrocities against Christians that are committed day and night in Muslim majority countries. Churches are burned down and even members killed and their Scriptures are destroyed. The Pastor could have easily reminded the media asking 'where are you when such things happen? Why don't you report them? I am calling on you to look into your conscience and ask yourselves which side you are on.'

# Q and A

Steven, just in its simplicity, tell me: What did you see in the *Injil* that caused you to leave Islam and be a Christian?

- 1. The unconditional love of God for humanity
- 2. The providence of God's Grace and Mercy
- 3. The Assurance of Salvation and Eternal life through Jesus
- 4. That it is not religion but our personal relationship with God that matters

Out of over a 1,000 e-mails a week indeed a few senders do want to know Jesus. Pray with us that they will embrace the light of Jesus.

This would at least been heard in the media somewhere, but Terry did not use such an opportunity. Let us please pray for each other, that whenever we all are given such an opportunity, we may glorify Him, use the Lord's wisdom and be counted to say words that will be a warning and loving too. (Ezekiel 3:18)

## The Comfort Project

We have really stretched ourselves beyond proportions to financially support this Project. This project needs your financial consideration. This project is to provide safety and assist a convert (Muslim who leaves Islam and turns to Christianity) to



stand on his or her feet both spiritually and socially in the community with a place to stay, to be restored and recuperated from the vulnerability caused because of following Christ. There is also an at home "USA Missionary" opportunity for the right candidate(s). Call Karen for more info: <a href="Market Market Name of Nam

## Gideon's Army Project

Join our Billboard Campaign to advertize the TRUTH of JESUS on Billboards while the cost is incredibly cheaper during these economically challenging times! Support it monthly with just \$30 a month. Muslims are using this medium with multi-million dollar budgets to proclaim and propagate the peacefulness of Islam and mercy for Mankind through Muhammad all over America! Let's join in unity as Christians to financially support the proclamation of Scriptural TRUTH for healing and Salvation of men's souls!



#### MBB Conference(s)

All years round in different parts of the USA, Muslim background believers gather to share their joy and concern and uplift each other. We attended one in Texas in September and there is one coming in February in Florida. Please pray that the Lord will help more Muslims to come into the Light of Jesus.

#### Islam Seminars

We have been holding Seminars from 2 to 6 hours and a few more are coming in January – March and April. We praise God, there is an awakening now coming in churches to want to know more about Islam and Muslims and how to share Jesus with them! We pray that all such efforts will be used to produce much fruit. It is time to understand Islam the Biblical way so to engage in the Spiritual battle for the Salvation of Muslims. It is time that Christians be equipped on Islam with love. Write to us for a Seminar at your fellowship or church.

Number does not matter. We now have our 6 DVD series recording (330 minutes) of the Seminar we did at Village View Community Church at the end of August 2010 available for just a suggested donation of \$25. Contact us to get yours.



Start dialoguing with your Muslim neighbors, doctors, and relatives about Spiritual issues! They love to talk about religion and politics! Time is short before Jesus comes back!

If nothing else, at least you can do this. Get a phone directory and find some Muslim names with addresses. Send them some Christian literature or our evangelistic leaflets anonymously in the post.

## Jesus to Muslims: Financial Aspects

Funds in total received:

Aug. 16 - Sept. 15, 2010: \$8,721.00 Sept. 16 - Oct. 15, 2010: \$8,703.00

Thank you & may God richly bless you for your obedience, that in-spite of the economic crisis, you chose to support this ministry. Outreach to Muslims is vital in light of the "times" we are in today and although our monthly need is \$12,800, we trust in HIM to continue to and pray that all those called to provide for this ministry will heed His call. Praise God for His provision for His work. If you are mailing your gift, please use the envelope provided. For online giving go to: www.JesusToMuslims.org & click on 'Make a Donation'.

#### **Our Needs:**

- Continuous Support for the ministry
- \$1000 annual payment for billboard.
- \$1200 monthly support for 'safe house' The Comfort Project
- Missionary minded house parent to disciple newly converted Christians.



## **Prayer Support**

We pray for the UNITY of the ONE body of Christ to join us in this battle for the souls of men in 'such a time as this'! We are calling out God's Prayer Warriors to pray against the incredible Spiritual warfare we deal with daily in this ministry to email Karen@jesustomuslims.org so to receive our daily and weekly prayer requests as we go about our journeys and work for the Lord in this ministry. Thank you for your support in advance.

# Order some Publications at hand

Get our 10 evangelistic leaflets and DVD series on 'A Christian response to Islam.'

Shari'a has come to America!
Learn how in our 2<sup>nd</sup> DVD series,
'A Christian response to Islamic Claims.'
See Steven Masood's testimony
featured in Radical Islam on the March DVD
For a full list of books and other resources
please visit:

www.JesusToMuslims.org/publications.html