

INSTITUTE OF THE ISLAMIC MISSION OF AMERICA FOR THE PROPAGATION OF ISLAM PURPOSES AND OBJECTIVES

READ'READ'READ;

READ! Read this booklet in the name of "ALLAH", thine Lord that Created you and me and giveth us Life and Who will taketh it again whenever it pleaseth Him."

Read so that you may come to know the true Nature of ALLAH, thine Lord, yourself and all created things, creatures, beings and existence, and your duty to your Lord, as His Servant on earth; to your human brethren, your Father and Mother, your families and your neighbors. Read so that you may come to know the true definition of the word "ISLAM", the revelation of your and our Lord, that contains His true and perfected Religion of all believing humanity, with understanding hearts who believe in Him, in His Angels, in His Revelations, in His Books, in His Prophets and in the hereafter, as the one and only Religion of all of His Prophets and all believing humanity as the Religion in which to worship Him, Praise Him and to glorify His holy name, and from which to acquire all true knowledge for our righteous government and guidance upon this planet earth."

This booklet also contains the Motive, the Purpose and the Objective of the Institute of the Islamic Mission of America for the Propagation of the Religion of "ISLAM", the Religion of ALLAH, our Lord, His Prophets and all true believing humanity with understanding hearts who believe in God, in His Angels, in His Revelations, in His Prophets and in the hereafter. Read! It is the acquisition of Knowledge that has made humanity higher than Angels. Read the contents of this booklet carefully, it contains the absolute solution for world peace, human equality, goodwill and the brotherhood of man and woman on earth. "READ, so that" you may also come to know the purpose of your creation, why you must live and die, and where you are going after death." That may inspire you to respect the Rights, the Freedom, the Dignity, the Property Rights and the Right to Self-Determination of each other in conformit with the Laws of ALLAH, our Lord. TO L' A



Allah our Lord, Creator and Sustainer of the Universe and Sovereign of the heavens and earth. Created all things by His Will and His Command merely by saying unto them Be! and it is, for the benefit and service of mankind. He created mankind for Himself to be His Viceregent upon the earth. The generous Most Merciful Lord bestowed upon us special favours. He created us independent of each other, free and equal with a free will and a mind of our own with the power of reason and understanding, and the ability to acquire knowledge.

He gave us a conscience, the criterion of right and wrong and subsequent laws by which to make such determination which He did not give to any other of His creatures and created things. He taught man to know the Nature of his Lord, himself and the nature of all created things and beings, which makes man the highest of all things and creatures created, including the angels of the heavens.

Every human person was either created or born in the womb of his or her mother submissive to the Will, and the Command of his or her Lord, which makes us all Muslims! Submission to the Will of Allah, Creator and Sovereign of the Heavens and the earth.

The universal Religion of humanity as revealed and as related to our Lord, Allah, the Lord of the worlds, Creator and Sustainer of the universe is "Obedience", or "Submission" to the Will, the Command and the sacred Laws of our Lord.

"Islam" is the written revelation of 'Allah", the Almighty God, containing His Perfected Religion of humanity, bearing His Holy Command and sacred Laws for the universal government and guidance of mankind and

as a protection from evil, and a warning to unbelievers. "Obelience" to the Almighty and all that He hath revealed in "Islam", is the true Religion of mankind. 'Islam" is the Religion of every creature and created things, and its Laws are the true laws for the righteous government of all things and beings." It makes no difference whether you are a Muslim a Jew, a Christian, a Hindu, Buda, Catholic or what not. Our Religion, yours and mine and all mankind is "Islam." Submission, or Obedience to the Will, the Command and the sacred Laws of "Allah", the one true Almighty God, Originator of the Heavens and the earth.

Authority of Spiritual Leaders of Humanity. They must be of the Faith and the Belief of the one true God of Abraham and the Prophets; And they must be of the Seed of Abraham: And of the Religion of Abraham and the Prophets! ("Islam") Submission to the Will and the Guidance of Allah, the one true God.

The Author



THE ISLAMIC MISSION OF AMERICA FOR THE PROPAGATION OF ISLAM, THE TRUE FAITH, ITS MISSION AND ITS OBJECTIVE:

In the name of "God", the "Beneficient" the 'Merciful."

The Islamic Mission of America For The [†]Propagation of Islam, The True Faith, is a national and international non governmental religious institution. Based fundamentally and principally on the sacred revealed Laws of "Islam", the revelation of Allah, the Almighty God, containing His Holy Command and sacred Laws, and in accordance and obedience to the Holy Command and sacred Laws of Allah, Creator and Sustainer of the Heavens and the Earth. The Mission is operated in accordance with the constitutional laws of the government of the United States of America for freedom of religious worship. Incorporated according to the religious Church corporation laws of the state of New York as a Church Mission Mosque.

The purpose of the Islamic Mission of America is to acquaint mankind with the true and correct revelation and doctrine of Islam, the perfected religion of humanity. To acquaint him with the true revealed laws and command of their Lord, the Almighty God. To acquaint him with the true philosophy of Islam, its principles, its precepts, its culture, its ethics, and its social working order. To acquaint him with the true nature of his Creator, himself, and the nature of all God's created things and creatures, and to acquaint him with the true and correct laws that were revealed for his government, guidance, and protection from evil, and to acquaint him with the Prophets of the Lord and their earthly missions and to acquaint him with his own earthly mission.

The objectives of the Islamic Mission of America are to bring about through the propagation of Islam, the perfected religion of humanity, the worship of Allah, the one true God, Creator, and Sustainer of the Universe, Sovereign of the heavens and the earth, by all believers. The implementation of His Holy Command and Sacred

Revealed Laws by all Nations and people.

The respect for human freedom, human rights, and their property rights, human dignity, and the right to self determination. Love, peace, security, tranquility, good will, and the universal brotherhood of all mankind.

The Islamic Mission of America for the propagation of Islam, the true Faith established the following Muslim Commissions for Muslim Affairs in the United States of America, South and Central America and to defend the Faith of Islam and the Faithful.

COMMISSION FOR THE DEFENCE OF THE RELIGION OF ISLAM, THE TRUE FAITH: AND THE FAITHFUL.

1. To investigate Muslims and their families, to see to it that their children and themselves receive proper Islamic education in accordance with the laws of Islam. To defend Islam, the revealed Laws and the Holy Command of Allah, the Almighty God from all enemies.

To formulate plans for Theological Islamic Colleges and schools for the education of Muslims and facilities for its student body. To encourage students who show proper aptitude for Islamic missionary work, and to qualify them for Immans, teachers and Chaplains to serve in the military services of the United States Armed forces.

COMMISSION FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND ISLAMIC LAWS

2. To promote and to establish Theological colleges and schools for the study of the Religion of Islam, its

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laws, its principles, its ethics, its philosophy, its precepts, and its social order, as applied to the Laws of Allah, the Almighty God in Islam.

COMMISSION FOR MUSLIMS IN THE UNITED STATES MILITARY SERVCES

3. To ascertain qualifications of persons in accordance with the required laws of the United States military services. To make necessary appointment for Chaplains in the military services. To investigate conditions as affecting Muslims in the military service of the United States.

To make certain arrangements according to the Laws of Islam for the benefit of Muslims in Military Services.

To consult with Chief of Chaplains of United States Army whenever necessary.

To make certain designated appointments as requested by Chief of Chaplains U. S. Army.

The Commissioner so appointed has complete and full authority to carry out the requirements of this office.

Appointees to U. S. Military Services in accordance with Religious education and Islamic Law Commission.

COMMISSION FOR ISLAMIC ECONOMIC LAWS AND FINANCE

4. To raise funds by launching projects and planning programs in accordance with Islamic Laws. To facilitate, finance and maintain economic stability of the Islamic Mission of Amerca.

COMMISSION FOR MANAGEMENT AND MAINTEN-ANCE OF REAL ESTATE PROPERTY

5. To manage and to purchase real estate and to equip them for the facilitation of Muslims, in accordance with the religious laws of Islam. To arrange and to build Mosques and to acquire such property or properties for Mosques and for the bulding of Mosques, and schools for the teachings of the Religion of Islam.

COMMISSION FOR SOCIAL WELFARE AND HEALTH

To facilitate and to maintain hospitals, homes for convalescent, aged and unfortunate.

Rendering of assistance for immigrants to U.S. and

Sponsorship .

To sustain Muslim Hospitals and Sanitoriums for the aged, sick and unfortunate.

To assist displaced persons.

To sustain Mutual Benefit and Aid Policy and Fund for Muslims.

To aid husiness endeavors. To encourage the establishment of Muslim Fraternity and Cultural Societies.

Commissioners appointed by the Islamic Mission of America are selected from among the best available Muslims, qualified in their appointed line of duties. They have full and complete authority to carry out their assignment in accordance with the laws of Islam and the laws of the government of the United States.

We are counting on the support of the Muslim governments and the cooperation of the good offices of the government of the United States in the fulfillment of our

spiritual and moral objectives.

"ISLAM" is the Law for the universal government and guidance of mankind, and the constitution of the United States is a part of that Law, committed by the constitution itself. The belief in God. The freedom and equality of the creation of mankind. The freedom of religious worship and self determination of the individual. "ISLAM" (means) Submission to the Will, the Guidance, the Command and the Laws of the Almighty Creator of the universe . . .

The government of the United States of America and its wonderful people and other God fearing peace loving people of the world must accept Islam, its laws and its principles, if they truly desire peace — love and the good-will of those who truly believe and love God in order to wipe out communism from the face of the earth.

MANKIND AND HIS PERFECTED REVEALED RELIGION:

Religion is "Islam": Submission to the Will, the Command and the sacred Laws of Allah, the Almighty God, Lord of the worlds.

Peace is the attributes of righteousness, which can only be attained and maintained through strict observance to the Holy Command and sacred Laws of Allah, our Lord, the "Almighty God."

None can evade nor fight "Islam", because 'Islam" is Truth. The revealed Word, Laws and Command of our Lord. "Islam" is the supreme Law that governs all things. There is no true Law but the Law of "Islam" Any law other than "Islam" is the law of Satan, the mischief maker, which can avail mankind nothing but evil. The Laws of "Islam" is the Laws of the Prophets and Messengers of God, revealed for the government and guidance of mankind.

Oh mankind! Do not follow the religion of shaetan, the mischief maker. For he has rebelled against the command and the true Religion of Allah, our Lord, Creator and Sustainer of the universe and the Majesty of the Heavens and the earth. If ye should turn away from "ISLAM" the true Religion of Thy Lord and follow shaetan and his religion he will surely lead you away from the right path which thy Lord hath chosen for thee, and ye shall then become the companion of the devil in hell-fire in the last Day.

... Surely! the Religion with Allah is "ISLAM."

Kool who wa Lahu ahad, Allahu Samad: Lam ya lid wa lam yu lad, wa lam yakoon lahu koof wan ahad

Say He is Allah the one: Allah the Eternal Besought of all. He was not begotten and He begotteth none, and there is nothing comparable unto Him.

O ye who believe! Be careful of your duty to Allah. In order that ye may receive the true guidance, the for-

giveness, the Mercy and the Blessings of Allah, thy Lord, the Sovereign of the Heavens and the earth, so that ye may enjoy peace and security, tranquillity, the love and the good-will of thy human brethren and Paradise in the last Day. Ye must accept, implement and obey the Laws of thy Lord and His command and apply them to your every earthly action.

Allah, our Lord, the Lord of the worlds, of Abraham, the Prophets and mankind, Creator and Sustainer of the Heavens and the earth is one Universal Eternal God who has neither image nor the likeness of anything He hath created and He hath created all things visible and invisible, known and unknown. Allah, our Lord has no mother father, son nor daughters, and He is not a person nor a thing. He was not born and He did not and can not die. For He Allah is Eternal All. He is the life and the Sustainer of all things. His Spirit is the life of Jesus, the Prophets, mankind and all things. He is the Seer, the Hearer, the Knower, the Thinker, the Schemer, the Wise, Master of the Day of Judgement. He is all things that are anything and without Him there is nothing.

Mankind are the Viceregents of Allah on earth. Allah the Lord of the worlds, Creator and Sustainer of the Heavens and the earth created mankind for Himself to be his Viceregents on earth free and equal with a free will and a mind of our own after man's own image and likeness. All else were created for the benefit of mankind. the highest of God's creation. Any person who worship or adore another human being, idol or any created things or creatures of the Almighty God, Lord of the worlds is considered an idol worshipper. For all mankind are equal and stands free and equal in the presence of their Lord and in the presence of each other. For all were created free and equal as the servants of their Lord and none deserves to be worshipped but the one true God.

Mankind were created higher than angels because we were created with a free will and a mind of our own to do with as we please, which were not given to the angels. We were also given a conscience, the criterion of right and wrong, good and evil with subsequent laws by which to make such determination. The Majesty of the Heavens and the earth also gave unto mankind the power of reason and understanding and the ability to acquire knowledge. Mankind were taught to know the true nature of his Lord Who created him, the nature of himself and the nature of the angels and all created things and creatures. Due to these high qualities which the Almighty Allah, Lord of the worlds hath bestowed upon mankind makes each and every human person responsible for his or her own earthly actions, and to which we must give an account to our Lord on the day of judgement.

THE RELIGION OF MANKIND:

The Religion of mankind is "Islam"! Submission to the Will and the guidance of Allah, the Almighty Creator and Sustainer of the universe. Islam has been the Religion of mankind from the very beginning of creation, Started with Adam and was perfected by Allah, our Lord with Mohammad: (Peace be on him.) It contains the last and complete revelation of our Lord with His Holy Command and sacred Laws for the universal government and guidance of all mankind. To have Religion is to obey the Holy Command and sacred Laws of Allah. the Lord of the worlds as revealed in Islam. To imbue oneself with righteousness is to accept the sacred laws of "Islam", the Prophet Mohammad and the revelation of his Lord that came to him. Islam is not a new Religion! It has always been the Religion of mankind, including the Prophets of our Lord. There is no other Religion related to Allah, the Almighty God and mankind but "Islam". It means Submission to the Will and the guidance of Allah, the Almighty God.

Muslims are those who have obeyed and who have surrendered freely their freewill in humble obedience to the Will, the Command and the sacred Laws of Allah, their Lord. Who believe in the prophets of their Lord and the revelation of their Lord that came to the Prophet and who believe in the hereafter.

THE PROPHETS, THEIR LORD AND THEIR RELIGION

Prophets and Apostles are Messengers of Allah, the Lord of the worlds, Creator and Sustainer of the universe. They are the receivers of and bearers of the messages of glad tidings from their Lord through the angel Gabreil who instructs them in the Laws and the Command of their Lord and who in turn inform and instruct mankind. All the Prophets, Apostles and Messengers of Allah, our Lord were the worshippers of the one and the same God Who created them, and their Religion their Laws and their teachings were one and the same; 'Islam!' They were all Muslims and their Faith was the belief in the oneness in the one God, Allah, Creator and Sustainer of the Heavens and the earth.

JESUS, THE MESSIAH, SON OF MARY

Jesus, the Messiah, son of Mary is not God nor the son of God but an Apostle, a Prophet and Messenger of Allah, his Lord Who created him in the womb of his beloved and blessed virgin mother by His Will and His Command. The life of Jesus was the Holy Spirit of God in him as it is in all human being and the life of all created things and creatures. Jesus was no different from the other Prophets of our Lord. He like all the Prophets of Allah were given special missions to perform and when their missions were over, or finished they were taken away by the decree of their Lord.

The mission of Jesus was to confirm the laws of Moses that were revealed before him and to announce the coming of the Prophet Mohammad. He said that he was an Apostle of God unto the children of Israel who came to confirm the laws that were revealed before him and to announce the coming of a Prophet who will not speak of himself but whatsoever he may hear that shall he speak, he will lead you into truth and show you things to come. When Jesus work was finished he summoned his disciples and told them that he had overcome his

enemies and the time had come when he must leave them. He bid them farewell and asked them to disperse and when they had left him he went before his Lord and said O my Lord I have come before Thee. I have finished the work that Thou hath given me to do. This proves that Jesus was not crucified. For he was taken away by his Lord and was in heaven long before the so-called crucifixion had taken place.

To prove definitely that Jesus was not crucified. According to John 17 Chapter 11-14 Verse. He said also, My Lord them that thou gavest me I kept them with Thy name when I was with them on earth. Now I am no more with them on the earth, Thou must keep them with Thy name.

Quran: 5-157. They say in boast that they crucified Jesus, son of Mary. They crucified him not for I have taken him up unto myself. For surely they crucified him not.

Jesus was neither a Jew nor a Christian but an Apostle of God, and his Religion was the Religion of Abraham his forefather, Moses, David and the Prophets: "Islam"! Jesus did not give mankind a religion other than Islam. the true Religion of His Lord and the Prophets Abraham. Jacob, the tribes, Moses, David. And he did not give mankind a church other than the one he found when he came and which he cleansed of the money changers, the thieves, peddlers and the gamblers and in which he taught the confirmation of the laws of Moses daily. He was truly perfect man and not God nor the son of God but the son of man. Was he not born in the womb of his mother like you and I by the Will and the Command of his Lord, and did he not also eat earthly food? Was he not of flesh, blood and bones? He said that he was a prophet and the son of Man.

There is no forgiveness for those who make unto Jesus a holy trinity and who say that he and Allah, the Almighty God were the one and the same person and that he was the son of God. He also said to his disciples that the Lord our God, your Lord and my Lord is one God, and that none is good but Him who sent Him."

THE PRINCIPLES OF ISLAM:

The five principles of Islam are as follows . . :lst. To bear witness that there is no God but Allah, the one and only God and to bear witness that Mohammad is His Apostle and His Messenger. 2nd to perform five daily prayers as prescribed by the Holy Prophet Mohammad: (Peace be on him): 3rd. To pay the poor rate. A tax which is levied upon the wealthy for the benefit of the poor unfortunate. 4th To observe the Holy Month of Ramadan by fasting the entire ninth lunar moon month of the Muslim Calendar of each year. 5th To make the pilgrimage to Mecca, the Holy house of Allah once at least during ones life time if able to do so.

MUSLIM PILLARS OF FAITH.

1. To believe in Allah, the one God. (2.) To believe in His angels. (3.) To believe in His revealed Books. (4.) To believe in His Prophets. (5.) To believe in Heaven and hell. (6.) To believe in the chastisement of the grave. (7.) To believe in the resurrection of the dead and Judgement Day. The belief in the premeasurement of all things good and evil by Allah, our Lord constitute also as a part of the Muslims belief.

PROHIBITED FOOD AND DRINK

In the name of "Allah", the 'Beneficient" the "Merciful."

Quran: The Table Spread

1. O ye who believe! Fulfill your undertaking. The beast of cattle is made lawful unto you (for food) except that which is announced unto you (herein . . 3. Forbidden unto you (for food): are carrion and blood and swine flesh, and that which hath been dedicated unto any other

than "Allah", and the strangled and the dead through beating, and the dead through falling from a height, and that which hath been killed by (the goring of horn), and the devoured of wild beast, saving that which you make lawful (by the death, stroke,) and that which hast been immolated unto idols. And forbidden is it), that ve swear by the divining arrows. This is abomination. This day are those who disbelieve, in despair of (ever harming) vour Religion: so fear them not, fear Me! This day I have perfected your Religion for you and completed my favor unto you, and have chosen for you as Religion "Al-Islam". Who is so forced by hunger, not by will, to sin; (for him) Lo! 'Allah" is forgiving Merciful.

PROHIBITED THINGS BY GOD

In the name of "Allah", the 'Beneficient" the "Merciful."

Quran Surah: The Cattle 151.

Say: Come: I will recite unto you that which your Lord hath made a sacred duty for you: that ye ascribe nothing as partner unto Him. and ye do good to parents, and that ye slay not your children because of penury—We provide for you and for them—and that ye draw not night to lewd things, whether open or concealed, and that ye slay not the life which Allah hath made sacred, save in the cause of justice. This He hath commanded you in order that you may discern.

And approach not the wealth of the orphan, save with that which is better, till he reach maturity. Give full measure and full weight in justice. We task not any soul beyond its scope. And if ye give your word, do thereunto, even though it be (against) a kinsman, and fulfill the covenant of Allah. This He commanded you that haply ye may remember.

153. And (He) commanded you, (saying): This is my straight path, so follow it. Follow not other ways lest

ye be parted from His way. This hath He ordained tor you, saying that ye may ward off (evil).

Verily, the religion with Allah is "Islam" (submission) to His Will. S-10-3.

It is I who made the Sun to be a shining glory, and the Moon to be a light of (beauty), and measured out stages for her; that you might know the number of years and the count of time.

It is the solemn duty of every Muslim to perform the five daily prayers and the Juma Salat Fard prayers on Friday at mid day. If there is a Mosque in his or her vicinity, they should perform their prayers at that Mosque—but if there is no Mosque in the vicinity in which they live, they should join others and perform their prayers in any available place. If there are two or more Muslims assembled for prayer, one of them who is best qualified must lead the prayer.

The Muslims are forbidden to consume swine flesh in any manner or the meat of dead animals. They are forbidden also to drink any kind of intoxicating liquors. The game of chance—such as gambling is strictly forbidden.

The Sura; Yaseen should be read for the sick, the dying, and the dead in Arabic. The performance of autopsy is strictly forbidden on the body of any Muslim. A Christian minister or priest is not allowed to pray over the dead body of a Muslim, and neither is a Jew or any one else. Only a Muslim is permitted to do so.

The Fatiha opens and closes all prayers, preceded by the Bisme Lahe rah mani ara heeme.

The Fatiha reads like this: Alhamdu Lilahe rabbil aalameen arrahmani ra heem, malike vaum id-deen eyaka na'abuda wa iyyaka nasta een; ihdina siratal mustaqeema siratal-lathena an amta alaihim ghairil maghdoobe alaihim wala thaleen . . . Ameen . . .

It says, Praise be to Allah, Lord of the worlds, the Beneficent, the Merciful, Owner of the Day of Judgement. Thee alone we worship; Thee alone we ask for help. Show us the straight path, the path of those whom Thou has favoured, not the path of those who earned Thine anger nor of those who go astray.

Under proper conditions the body of a dead Muslim must be washed and ablution made on his body in the same manner as when he or she was alive . . .

Prayer for the sick, dying and the dead must be performed by a Muslim Imam, or a Muslim qualified to do so. At no time is an Autopsy permitted to be performed.

The proper salutation when a Muslim meets another is Assalam alaikum wa rah matullah. The annswer: Wa laikum assalam wa rahmatullah. (It says; Peace be on you and the Mercy of Allah . . . And unto you peace and the Mercy of Allah . . .

COLLEGE OF ISLAM AND THEOLOGY

Theological College of Islam is now open for all Muslims who would like to study the religion of Islam, its laws, principles and its social and religious philosophies, at 143 State Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Classes 11:00 A. M.—3:30 P. M. and 7:00 to 9:00 P. M. daily.

Public lectures every Sunday at 3:00 P. M. to 4:30 P. M. Religious services are held here five times daily and Salat Juma (Sabat prayers) every Friday at mid-day at the Mosque here in Brooklyn.—143 State Street.

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