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**Summary:**

What Tariq A. Al Maeena doesn't explain is how the Islamic State and al-Qaeda to misinterpret all those hadiths, and why so many other groups do as well, and why they all misunderstand Islam in the same way. “Time to fight Islamophobia,” by Tariq A. Al Maeena, [Gulf News](#) [9], December 28, 2019:

**Image:**

**Among Muslims and non-Muslims, there is an urgent need to address those obsolete and problematic elements of Islamic orthodoxy that underlie the Islamist worldview, fuelling violence on both sides. The world's largest Muslim organisation, Indonesia's Nahdlatul Ulama, of which I am General Secretary, has begun to do exactly that.**

**The truth, we recognise, is that jihadist doctrine, goals and strategy can be traced to specific tenets of orthodox, authoritative Islam and its historic practice. This includes those portions of Shariah that promote Islamic supremacy, encourage enmity towards non-Muslims and require the establishment of a caliphate. It is these elements – still taught by most Sunni and Shiite institutions – that constitute a summons to perpetual conflict.**

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