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- **[The Hornet's Nest of Muhammad's Islam](#)** [1]

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Source Item:

[The Hornet's Nest of Muhammad's Islam](#) [3]

Summary:

What Western leaders desperately need to understand is that ISIS, Boko Haram, Hamas, the Muslim Brotherhood and its brood of viper organizations, al-Qaeda, AQAP, al-Shabaab, Islamic Jihad, Hezbollah, the IRGC, Lashkar-e-Taiba, Hizb-ut-Tahrir, Abu Sayyaf and scores of other Muslim jihadi groups are only symptoms, not the source. They are merely angry hornets, looking for whomever they can sting, but destroying them will not rid the world of Islamic terrorism. To do that, we must destroy the nest which endlessly produces them.

That nest is the ideology of core Islam, i.e., the Islam of Muhammad as taught in its source materials: the Qur'an, the Hadith and the Sira (early biographies) of Muhammad.

Found prominently in all three is the directive that Muslims are to channel all their energies and resources into conquering the world for Allah and his religion. They are to use force, as necessary, to bring all human beings into subjection to Allah. This is the primary Qur'anic meaning of the well-known term "jihad." Westernized Muslims often object to the translation "holy war", and I would agree with them. There is nothing holy about jihad — but it is nevertheless a religiously mandated war against all unbelievers. Let's just call it "religious war."

- **[Defining 'True Islam' Is Harder Than Progressives Think](#)** [4]

Author(s):

[Spectator](#) [5]

[Sam Westrop](#) [6]

Source Item:

[Defining 'True Islam' Is Harder Than Progressives Think](#) [7]

Summary:

In fact, Washington state's source for its proclamations about Islam is rather peculiar. The infographic cites "Swedish Nomad," a [blog](#) [8] published by a "Professional Travel Blogger and Photographer from Sweden." He is also very much a non-Muslim.

Relying on non-Muslims to explain "true Islam" to the world on behalf of Muslims everywhere is enormously helpful to the non-violent Islamists. These [duplicious extremists](#) [9] may spout hatred behind closed doors, but they too offer these infographic-themed platitudes in front of the cameras. This distances them from the jihadists and legitimizes them as examples of "true Islam."

By denying the diversity of Islamic thought and speaking only of a dichotomy featuring true Muslims on one side and ISIS on the other, politicians and government officials homogenize Islam, making it impossible to separate moderate Muslim partners from the dangerous Islamist networks that operate lawfully within the "true Islam" of Western Muslim communities. This obfuscates counter-extremism and counter-terror work and hurts efforts by Muslim reformists to challenge Islamist influence within their own communities.

• [The Extinction of Christians in the Middle East](#) [10]

Author(s):

[Gatestone Institute](#) [11]

[Giulio Meotti](#) [12]

Source Item:

[The Extinction of Christians in the Middle East](#) [13]

Summary:

- "I don't believe in these two words [human rights], there are no human rights. But in Western countries, there are animal rights. In Australia they take care of frogs.... Look upon us as frogs, we'll accept that — just protect us so we can stay in our land." — Metropolitan Nicodemus, the Syriac Orthodox archbishop of Mosul, *National Catholic Register*.
- "Those people are the same ones who came here many years ago. And we accepted them. We are the original people in this land. We accepted them, we opened the doors for them, and they push us to be minorities in our land, then refugees in our land. And this will be with you if you don't wake up." — Metropolitan Nicodemus.
- "Threats to pandas cause more emotion" than threats to the extinction of the Christians in the Middle East. — Amin Maalouf, French-Lebanese author, *Le Temps*.

Convert, pay or die. Five years ago, that was the "choice" the Islamic State (ISIS) gave to Christians in Mosul, then Iraq's third-largest city: either embrace Islam, submit to a religious tax or face the sword. ISIS then [marked](#) [14] Christian houses with the Arabic letter ن (N), the first letter of the Arabic word "Nasrani" ("Nazarene," or "Christian") . Christians could often take no more than the clothes on their back and flee a city that had been home to Christians for [1,700 years](#) [15].

Two years ago, ISIS was defeated in Mosul and its Caliphate crushed. The extremists, however, had succeeded in "cleansing" the Christians. Before the rise of ISIS, there were [more](#) [16] than 15,000 Christians there. In July

2019, the Catholic charity, Aid to the Church in Need, [disclosed](#) [17] that only about 40 Christians have come back. Not long ago, Mosul had "[Christmas celebrations without Christians](#) [18]".

This cultural genocide, thanks to the indifference of Europeans and many Western Christians more worried about not appearing "Islamophobic" than defending their own brothers, sadly worked.

- [Macron Vows to Reform Islam in France](#) [19]

Author(s):

[Soeren Kern](#) [20]

[Gatestone Institute](#) [11]

Source Item:

[Macron Vows to Reform Islam in France](#) [21]

Summary:

- The overall objective of President Macron's plan is to ensure that French law takes precedence over Islamic law for Muslims living in the country.
- The plan, as currently conceived, is vague and short on details, but appears to involve three broad pillars: determining who will represent Muslims in France; delineating how Islam in France will be financed; and defining how imams in France will be trained.
- "It is time to bring in a new generation. We have seen fifteen years of debate to defend the interests of foreign states." — Hakim el-Karoui, a French-Tunisian expert on Islam who is advising Macron on the reforms.

See also: [Muslim leader urges Macron not to meddle too much in French Islam](#) [22]

[More than a quarter of French Muslims 'support hardline Islam and scores back Sharia'](#) [23]

- [Lega's leader Salvini promises to deport 500k illegal immigrants and declares Islam extremely dangerous](#) [24]

Source Item:

[Lega's leader Salvini promises to deport 500k illegal immigrants and declares Islam extremely dangerous](#) [25]

Country:

Italy

News Date:

30/01/2018

Summary:

Salvini is already thinking about the future after the [possible victory](#) [26] of the right-wing coalition in March. Salvini stated:

- [Hitchens on the Tedious Absurdities of Islam](#) [27]



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Summary:

When it comes to Islam, I criticize the ideology AND its followers. I can't understand how anyone could take a good look at Islamic texts and tenets and come to the conclusion that they're in any way tolerable let alone great! I don't advocate or condone violence, but I am compelled to call a spade a spade. I don't care if these people are brainwashed -- they should know better. No ideology can be active without adherents. I hold PEOPLE accountable for embracing barbaric ideology.

- [Islam has nothing to do with Islam](#) [28]

Source Item:

[Islam has nothing to do with Islam](#) [29]

Summary:

Conclusion.

Starting with the premise that Islamic terrorism “**has nothing to do with Islam**” we can logically deduce that:

- The Sharia **has nothing to do with Islam.**
- The Sunnah **has nothing to do with Islam.**
- Mohammed **has nothing to do with Islam.**
- The Quran **has nothing to do with Islam.**

- Allah **has nothing to do with Islam.**

Thus none of Islam's foundational texts and personalities actually have anything whatsoever to do with Islam.

To put this in a nutshell we arrive at the conclusion that: **Islam has nothing to do with Islam.**

This is an example of "*reductio ad absurdum*" (reduction to absurdity). Thus those who peddle this line are either liars or themselves deceived.

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- [UK terror convictions rising, BBC Jihadist database shows](#) [30]

Source Item:

[UK terror convictions rising, BBC Jihadist database shows](#) [31]

Country:

United Kingdom (UK)

News Date:

06/07/2017

Summary:

More than 100 people in the UK have been convicted of terrorism offences related to Syria and Iraq since 2014, research by the BBC has revealed.

BBC gets through the article without once mentioning the words Muslim and Islam!! Remarkable bias by omission <https://t.co/2BblZZjtSV> [32]

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- [Yes, Islamic Terrorism Really Is Islamic](#) [33]



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Source Item:

[Yes, Islamic Terrorism Really Is Islamic](#) [34]

Author(s):

[Robert Spencer](#) [35]

[Ibn Warraq](#) [36]

Summary:

It is a symptom of the denial and willful ignorance that blankets the present age that this book even had to be written, and that Ibn Warraq, a historian and social theorist of preeminent insight and wisdom, should have had to devote his considerable talents to it.

Nonetheless, we can be grateful that he has given us [The Islam in Islamic Terrorism: The Importance of Beliefs, Ideas, and Ideology](#) [37], as this book is breathtakingly comprehensive despite its quite manageable length, and is, quite simply, irrefutable. If there remains in the world anyone who holds that Islam is a Religion of Peace and yet has sufficient intellectual honesty and acumen to consider these arguments on their merits, this is the book to give.

- [Son of Hamas Commander - full speech @ JPost Conference](#) [38]



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Summary:

A very powerful speech!

- [Ex-Muslims-Islam is the problem](#) [39]

[Source Item](#) [39]

Tweets from ex-Muslims saying they think "Islam is the problem"

Another ExMuslim agreeing that Islam is the problem. Respect and love to you all ??

Piers has no clue. He needs to get educated bf speaking.

— Yasmine Mohammed (@ConfessionsExMu [40]) [June 21, 2017](#) [41]

- [Collective Punishment of Christians in Pakistan](#) [42]

Source Item:

[Collective Punishment of Christians in Pakistan](#) [43]

Country:

Pakistan

News Date:

30/04/2017

- [Pakistan acquits and releases 115 Muslims accused of burning down 150 Christian homes over “blasphemy”](#) [44]

Source Item:

[Pakistan acquits and releases 115 Muslims accused of burning down 150 Christian homes over “blasphemy”](#) [45]

Country:

Pakistan

News Date:

31/01/2017

Summary:

Pakistan regularly [claims](#) [46] to the world that it wants to partner with the West to fight jihad terrorism, while all too many of its citizens keep on [demonstrating](#) [47] a propensity for violence against innocent Christians, manipulating the nation’s harsh and unjust blasphemy law with official sa

- [Pakistan Christians burnt alive - still no convictions two years on](#) [48]

Source Item:

[Pakistan Christians burnt alive - still no convictions two years on](#) [49]

Country:

Pakistan

News Date:

15/11/2016

Summary:

Two years since a Christian couple were burnt to death in Pakistan, there still haven't been any convictions for their murders. Shama Masih, 24 and five months pregnant at the time, and her husband Shahzad Masih, 26, were beaten by an angry mob and thrown alive into a burning brick kiln in Kot Radha Kishan in Punjab province in November 2014. It's after allegations they blasphemed against the Quran whilst working as labourers at the site.

- [Nigeria: Muslims attack, nearly lynch Christian chemist for alleged "blasphemy"](#) [50]

Source Item:

[Nigeria: Muslims attack, nearly lynch Christian chemist for alleged "blasphemy"](#) [51]

Country:

Nigeria

News Date:

06/09/2016

- [Mob kills eight in Nigeria over 'blasphemy'](#) [52]

Source Item:

[Mob kills eight in Nigeria over 'blasphemy'](#) [53]

Country:

Nigeria

News Date:

23/08/2016

- [Worth Less - Aynaz "Anni" Cyrus](#) [54]

Author(s):

[Aynaz "Anni" Cyrus](#) [55]

[Source Item](#) [54]

I learned the worth of a woman under Islam the day I sought a divorce in the Islamic Republic of Iran. I was worth less than a man, worth only half of a man. That day, somewhere in the United States, girls my age were making sure their clothes and hair were just right for a day in 7th grade (Year 9 in England). Not I. I stood before a judge in an Iranian courtroom as a married woman beaten brutally every day of my short “marriage” by my husband, a mentally unstable, older man to whom I had been sold for the financial profit of my family.

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