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### This Is The 'Peaceful' Religion A Blinded Uk Welcomed To Its Shores

I need not tell you what prompted me to write this article! Sadly, the horrific events in France a few days ago, are not unusual but have become increasingly common over recent years. The wicked cruelty of Islam has been manifested more and more on the streets of Europe.

This religion has been afforded a place of acceptance and esteem within the ranks of our nation. Such an action can but reap a whirlwind of horror.

Let us be aware of the Bible's warnings and revelations regarding the advance of evil in the last days and the comforts God offers to His people in the midst of this flood.

"When the enemy shall come in like a flood, the Spirit of the LORD shall lift up a standard against him," Isaiah 59:19.

**A link to sermons exposing the errors of Islam.**

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"Muslims 'have the right to kill millions of French people', Malaysia's former PM says after church terror attack in Nice" - so ran the headline in one of main daily newspapers.

Mahathir Mohamad, a former Malaysian Prime Minister who left office in February of this year, can hardly be considered a wild fanatic on the outer fringes of Islam. No, he merely confirms that the Muslim religion of the history book lives still today.

All false religions, and there are few that are more false than Islam, are the creation of the devil. As the Saviour said of him: "Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it," John 8:44.

These words were spoken to members of the Jewish sect of the Pharisees, John 8:13. They claimed to believe the Word of God and to worship Jehovah. But in truth they had substituted man's traditions for the very truth of God.

*"Then came together unto him the Pharisees, and certain of the scribes, which came from Jerusalem. And when they saw some of his disciples eat bread with defiled, that is to say, with unwashen, hands, they found fault. For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, except they wash their hands oft, eat not, holding the tradition of the elders. And when they come from the market, except they wash, they eat not. And many other things there be, which they have received to hold, as the washing of cups, and pots, brasen vessels, and of tables. Then the Pharisees and scribes asked him, Why walk not thy disciples according to the tradition of the elders, but eat bread with unwashen hands? He answered and said unto them, Well hath Esaias prophesied of you hypocrites, as it is written, This people honoureth me with their lips, but their heart is far from me. Howbeit in vain do they worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men. For laying aside the commandment of God, ye hold the tradition of men, as the washing of pots and cups: and many other such like things ye do. And he said unto them, Full well ye reject the commandment of God, that ye may keep your own tradition."* Mark 7:1-9.

Whatever the errors embraced by the Pharisees, they were slight in comparison with the inventions of the originator of Islam, Muhammad. This 6th century religious charlatan was, he claimed, sent to proclaim to the world the revelations given him by the angel Gabriel. These supposedly divine revelations became known as the Koran or Quran.

The beginnings of the consolidation of Islam were indicative of the methods it would employ to extend its frontiers and 'convert' new followers! In December 629, after eight years of intermittent fighting with Mec-



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can tribes, Muhammad gathered an army of 10,000 Muslim converts and marched on the city of Mecca. The conquest went largely uncontested and Muhammad seized the city.

The sword was the chief means of the Islamist 'evangelist'!

From these beginnings, Islam spread forth to bring death to any who refused to submit to its beliefs and practices.



**A Protester outside the French Embassy in London holding up a poster making a most ludicrous claim!!!!**

The present persecution of Bible believers in those lands it governs and controls is illustrated in the barbaric acts witnessed by the world in recent years of terrorism, right down to this latest slaughter in Nice in France.

Apostate Christianity here in the United Kingdom has opened its arms to Islam. It has refused to call it what the Lord calls it - a religion of falsehood which will bring down to everlasting damnation all who embrace its teachings!

Of course, we can expect no more from heretical and treacherous 'Christianity'! It is but another of the daughters of the 'Mother of harlots', Revelation 17:5. We would say here in Ulster that they are but 'pigs of the one sow's litter'.

The honouring of Islam and its teachings in the United Kingdom and the outlawing of virtually all criticism of this evil system can only lead to disaster! False religion always undergoes a metamorphosis from how it first appears.

At first it is the 'lamb', meek and harmless. Then it becomes the 'fox', sleekit and crafty. Then it casts off these cloaks and reveals itself as it really is: a 'tiger'! Surely there is little need to produce evidence of the cruelty of Islam! Daily, in the reports from the four corners of the earth, there comes testimony of the fanatical terrorism it freely engages in, all in the name of its 'god'!

Its adherents have sought sanctuary and economic advancement within the shores of our land but that has not hindered it, upon getting a foothold, setting up enclaves wherein its 'Sharia Law' rules. It is claimed that it is the 'Law of God' but in truth it is but the regime of the devil, cruel, oppressive, dark and enforced by brutish individuals. Again, I appeal to the many reports which have appeared in many news outlets of the sufferings of children and women under its savage jurisdiction. It is almost impossible to believe that this 'law' has a measure of legal standing in our land. Rulings can be enforced in England and Wales by both the County Courts and the High Court. The media have described a system of Islamic Sharia courts which have the power to rule in civil cases. As of 2008, the courts had dealt with around 100 cases dealing with issues such as inheritance and nuisance neighbours.

Such recognition has gone hand in glove with an oppressing of any criticism of this evil religion. The European Court of Human Rights has ruled against criticism of Islam. It has been reported that an Austrian woman repeated the claims that dominant Islamic traditions hold that Muhammad's third wife, Aisha, was 6 at the time of their marriage and 9 at its consummation. Muhammad was in his early 50s. The Austrian woman repeated these claims, and the Austrian court ruled that she had to pay 480 euros or spend 60 days in jail. The ECHR ruled that Austria had not violated her rights!

Yet daily, Christianity is vilified and the Saviour mocked and blasphemed and that with impunity! David said: "I was the song of the drunkards," Psalm 69:12. So it is worldwide for great David's greater Son, the Lord Jesus Christ. Comedians (what a misnomer that is) earn their wages by entertaining the masses with ribald



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mockery of the Holy One of God, and again with impunity for the law on blasphemy is utterly ignored by the law-enforcers!

Not one of these funny men will repeatedly mock 'Muhammad' or 'Islam'! No, they fear the sudden vengeance of the bomb or the slicing knife decapitating them!

Such are the cruel mercies of Islam!

It is to be noted by Christians everywhere that it is a blend of Islam and its fellow evil deceits which will dominate the world in the days before the Saviour's return. So we are plainly told in Revelation 17:4-6. "And the woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet colour, and decked with gold and precious stones and pearls, having a golden cup in her hand full of abominations and filthiness of her fornication: and upon her forehead was a name written, MYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT, THE MOTHER OF HARLOTS AND ABOMINATIONS OF THE EARTH. And I saw the woman drunken with the blood of the saints, and with the blood of the martyrs of Jesus."

### Forerunner

This woman, this system of dark religion, is the forerunner of the Antichrist. He, at first, is nurtured by her but then he destroys her and declares himself to be 'God' and requires all, on pain of death, to worship him.

"And the ten horns which thou sawest upon the beast, these shall hate the whore, and shall make her desolate and naked, and shall eat her flesh, and burn her with fire. For God hath put in their hearts to fulfil his will, and to agree, and give their kingdom unto the beast, until the words of God shall be fulfilled," Revelation 17:16-17.

"And they worshipped the dragon which gave power unto the beast: and they worshipped the beast, saying, Who is like unto the beast? who is able to make war with him? And there was given unto him a mouth speaking great things and blasphemies; and power was given unto him to continue forty and two months. And he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme his name, and his tabernacle, and them that dwell in heaven. And it was given unto him to make war with the saints, and to overcome them: and power was given him over all kindreds, and tongues, and nations. And all that dwell upon the earth shall worship him, whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world," Revelation 13:4-8.

"Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God. Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things? And now ye know what withholdeth that he might be revealed in his time. For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who now letteth will let, until he be taken out of the way. And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming: even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders, and with all deceivableness of unrighteousness in them that perish; because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved," 2Thessalonians 2:3-10.

This is the comfort of the believer as we see error embraced and extolled all around us. This will only continue for a season. The Psalmist rightly understood this truth and was directed by the Lord to share with us the comfort that such a truth brings.

*"Wait on the LORD, and keep his way, and he shall exalt thee to inherit the land: when the wicked are cut off, thou shalt see it. I have seen the wicked in great power, and spreading himself like a green bay tree. Yet he passed away, and, lo, he was not: yea, I sought him, but he could not be found. Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright: for the end of that man is peace. But the transgressors shall be destroyed together: the end of the wicked shall be cut off. But the salvation of the righteous is of the LORD: he is*



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*their strength in the time of trouble. And the LORD shall help them, and deliver them: he shall deliver them from the wicked, and save them, because they trust in him," Psalm 37:34-40.*

Christian, savour these words and the many like passages in the Book of God.

Sincerely in Christ,

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