

“What the Bible Says About Islam”

Selected Scriptures

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1. Islam is a totalitarian theocracy.

A. Islam means “submit”

B. Islam is violent and dangerous

“Strike off their heads. Strike off their finger-tips!... because they defied God and his Apostle” (Koran 8:12-13)

“Believers! Retaliation is decreed for you in bloodshed” (Koran 2:178)

“Seize them and put them to death wherever you find them” (Koran 4:89)

“Believers, make war on the infidels who dwell around you (Koran 9:123)

“When you meet the unbelievers in the battlefield, strike off their heads” (Koran 47:4)

“annihilate the infidels” (Koran 3:141)

2. Islam is the avowed enemy of Israel and Christianity.

A. As prophesied in Scripture.

“The angel of the LORD said... ‘Ishmael... will be a wild donkey of a man, his hand will be against everyone... he will live to the east of his brothers... I will multiply him exceedingly’... he settled in defiance of all his relatives” (Genesis 16:11-12; 17:20; 25:18)

“Persia, Ethiopia and Libya... many peoples with you... in the latter years... you devise an evil plan... and you will come up against My people Israel like a cloud to cover the land. It will come about in the last days” (Ezekiel 38:5, 6, 8, 10, 16)

“the great river, the Euphrates, and its water was dried up that the way might be prepared for the kings from the East... for the war of the great day of God... Babylon the Great... drunk with the blood of the saints, and with the blood of the witnesses of Jesus... of those who had been beheaded because of the testimony of Jesus” (Revelation 16:12, 14; 17:5-6; 20:4)

B. As taught by Islam

“O Believers! Take not those who were given the Book [the Jews or Christians] as friends” (Koran 5:56)

“fight against the [Jews and Christians]” (Koran 9:29)

“if you die [through *jihad*] unto Allah shall you be gathered” (Koran 3:151-152)

C. As revealed in history

“Peace for us means the destruction of Israel” (Yasser Arafat, PLO, February, 1980)

“the purest joy in Islam is to kill and be killed for Allah” (Ayatollah Khomeini, Iran)

3. The Koran plagiarizes and distorts the Bible.

- A. Jesus is called Esau ('Isa) 97 times
- B. Jesus is called 'the Spirit of God' 7 times
- C. Abraham sacrifices Ishmael (Koran 37:100-104)
- D. "O [Mary] sister of Aaron" (Koran 19:28)
- E. "O Jesus...how thou didst shape of clay as it were the likeness of a bird" (Koran 5:110)

4. Islam rejects the Trinity and the deity of Christ.

"Lo! The likeness of Jesus with Adam is as the likeness of Adam. He created him of dust, then He said to him: Be! and he is" (Koran)

"O Jesus, son of Mary! Didst thou say unto mankind: Take me and my mother for two gods beside Allah?" (Koran 5:119)

5. Islam rejects the gospel of Jesus Christ.

" 'Isa (Jesus) son of Mary, Allah's messenger—They slew him not nor crucified, but it appeared so unto them; and lo! those who disagree concerning it are in doubt thereof; they have no knowledge thereof save pursuit of a conjecture; they slew him not for certain" (Koran 4:157)

6. Muhammad was a false prophet.

"Men are in charge of women...as for those from whom you fear rebellion...scourge them" (Koran 4:176)

7. We must call Muslims to repentance and to faith in Christ.

Recommended Reading:

Answering Islam, Norman Geisler
Terrorism, Jihad and the Bible, John MacArthur
Unholy War, Randall Price
Secrets of the Koran, Don Richardson
Islam Revealed, Anis Shorrosh
Preachers of Hate, Kenneth Timmerman