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UNDERSTANDING HOW ALLAH HAS DESCRIBED THE JEWS



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وشدّة عداوتهم، وحربهم لهم،

قال -تعالى-:

لَتَجِدَنَّ أَشَدَّ النَّاسِ عَدَاوَةً لِّلَّذِينَ آمَنُوا الْيَهُودَ وَالَّذِينَ أَشْرَكُوا).

AND YOU WILL CERTAINLY FIND THAT THE PEOPLE MOST HOSTILE AGAINST THE BELIEVERS ARE THE JEWS AND THE ONES WHO ASCRIBE PARTNERS TO ALLAH. YOU WILL CERTAINLY FIND THAT THE CLOSEST OF THEM IN FRIENDSHIP WITH THE BELIEVERS ARE THOSE WHO SAY, "WE ARE CHRISTIANS."THAT IS BECAUSE AMONG THEM THERE ARE PRIESTS AND MONKS, AND BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT ARROGANT.

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استثقال الأوامر قال -تعالى-: (وَإِذْ أَخَذْنَا مِيثَاقَكُمْ وَرَفَعْنَا فَوْقَكُمُ الطّورَ خُذُوا مَآ آتَيْنَاكُم بِقُوّةٍ وَاسْمَعُوا قَالُوا سَمِعْنَا وَعَصَيْنَا وَأُشْرِبُوا فِي قُلُوبِهِمُ الْعِجْلَ بِكُفْرِهِمْ قُلْ بِئْسَمَا يَأْمُرُكُمْ بِهِ إِيمَانُكُمْ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ مّؤْمِنِينَ).

AND WHEN WE TOOK A PLEDGE FROM YOU, AND RAISED HIGH THE (MOUNT OF) TŪR ABOVE YOU: "HOLD FAST TO WHAT WE HAVE GIVEN YOU, AND LISTEN"! THEY SAID, "WE HAVE HEARD AND DISOBEYED." AND, ON ACCOUNT OF THEIR DENIAL, THEY WERE SOAKED WITH LOVE FOR THE CALF IN THEIR HEARTS. SAY: "EVIL IS THAT WHICH YOUR FAITH ENJOINS UPON YOU, IF YOU ARE BELIEVERS."

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تطاولهم على الله تعالى فادّعوا أنّ له ولد، وأنّه فقير وهم أغنياء، ولم يسلم أحدٌ من شرورهم، قال -تعالى-: (لَقَدْ سَمِعَ اللَّهُ قَوْلَ الَّذِينَ قَالُوا إِنَّ اللَّهَ فَقِيرٌ وَنَحْنُ أَغْنِيَاءُ سَنَكْتُبُ مَا قَالُوا وَقَتْلَهُمُ الْأَنْبِيَاءَ).

ALLAH HAS SURELY HEARD THE WORDS OF THOSE WHO SAID, "ALLAH IS POOR, AND WE ARE RICH."WE SHALL WRITE DOWN WHAT THEY SAID, AND THEIR KILLING OF THE PROPHETS UNJUSTLY; AND WE SHALL SAY, "TASTE THE PUNISHMENT OF THE FLAMING FIRE.

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الكذبُ، والغدر، والخيانة، ونقضُ المواثيق والعهود، ويشهد التاريخ بهذه الصفات، حيث حاولوا قتل النبي عليه الصلاة والسلام غير مرّة، فنقضوا بذلك عهدَهم معه، قال -تعالى-: (فَبِمَا نَقْضِهِمْ مِيثَاقَهُمْ لَعَنَّاهُمْ وَجَعَلْنَا قُلُوبَهُمْ قَاسِيَةً يُحَرِّفُونَ الْكَلِمَ عَنْ مَوَاضِعِهِ).

SO, BECAUSE THEY BROKE THEIR PLEDGE, WE CURSED THEM AND MADE THEIR HEARTS HARDENED. THEY CHANGE WORDS FROM THEIR PLACES, AND THEY HAVE OVERLOOKED A GOOD DEAL OF THE ADVICE THEY WERE GIVEN. EVERY NOW AND THEN YOU COME ACROSS A CERTAIN TREACHERY FROM ALL OF THEM, EXCEPT A FEW. SO, FORGIVE THEM AND FOREGO. INDEED, ALLAH LOVES THOSE WHO ARE .GOOD IN DEEDS

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قتل الأنبياء صلوات الله عليهم وممّن قتلوا من الأنبياء زكريا، ويحيى -عليهما السلام-، قال -تعالى-: (فَبِمَا نَقْضِهِم مِّيثَاقَهُمْ وَكُفْرِهِم بِآيَاتِ اللَّهِ وَقَتْلِهِمُ الْأَنبِيَاءَ بِغَيْرِ حَقٍّ وَقَوْلِهِمْ قُلُوبُنَا غُلْفٌ ۚ بَلْ طَبَعَ اللَّهُ عَلَيْهَا بِكُفْرِهِمْ فَلَا يُؤْمِنُونَ إِلَّا قَلِيلًا).

SO, (THEY MET THEIR FATE) FOR BREAKING THEIR PLEDGE, AND FOR THEIR DISBELIEF IN THE VERSES OF ALLAH, AND FOR THEIR SLAYING OF THE PROPHETS UNJUSTLY, AND FOR THEIR SAYING, "OUR HEARTS ARE SEALED" - RATHER, ALLAH HAS SET A SEAL OVER THEM FOR THEIR DISBELIEF, SO THEY DO NOT BELIEVE BUT A LITTLE



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الاعتداءُ على الخلْق، وأكلُ أموالهم بالباطل، وعصيانُ الله -تعالى-، وعدم التناهي فيما بينهم عن المنكرات، قال -تعالى-: (لُعِنَ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا مِن بَنِي إِسْرَائِيلَ عَلَىٰ لِسَانِ دَاوُودَ وَعِيسَى ابْنِ مَرْيَمَ ۚ ذَٰلِكَ بِمَا عَصَوا وَّكَانُوا يَعْتَدُونَ* كَانُوا لَا يَتَنَاهَوْنَ عَن مُّنكَرٍ فَعَلُوهُ ۚ لَبِئْسَ مَا كَانُوا يَفْعَلُونَ).

ON THOSE WHO DISBELIEVE FROM AMONG THE CHILDREN OF ISRĀ'ĪL , A CURSE WAS PRONOUNCED BY DAWŪD AND 'ĪSĀ, SON OF MARYAM. ALL THIS BECAUSE THEY DISOBEYED AND USED TO CROSS THE LIMITS

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إخفاءُ العلم وكتمانه على الرغم من أمر الله لهم بتبليغه، قال -تعالى-:
(إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يَكْتُمُونَ مَا أَنزَلَ اللَّهُ مِنَ الْكِتَابِ وَيَشْتَرُونَ بِهِ ثَمَنًا قَلِيلًا ۙ أُولَٰئِكَ مَا يَأْكُلُونَ فِي بُطُونِهِمْ إِلَّا النَّارَ وَلَا يُكَلِّمُهُمُ اللَّهُ يَوْمَ الْقِيَامَةِ وَلَا يُزَكِّيهِمْ وَلَهُمْ عَذَابٌ أَلِيمٌ)

VERILY, THOSE WHO CONCEAL THE BOOK ALLAH HAS REVEALED, AND EARN THEREBY A SMALL PRICE, THEY EAT NOTHING INTO THEIR BELLIES BUT FIRE, AND ALLAH WILL NOT SPEAK TO THEM ON THE DAY OF JUDGMENT, NOR WILL HE PURIFY THEM, AND FOR THEM THERE IS PAINFUL PUNISHMENT.

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قال الله تعالى في وصفهم: (لَأَنتُمْ أَشَدُّ رَهْبَةً فِي صُدُورِهِم مِّنَ اللَّـهِ ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّهُمْ قَوْمٌ لَّا يَفْقَهُونَ* لَا يُقَاتِلُونَكُمْ جَمِيعًا إِلَّا فِي قُرًى مُّحَصَّنَةٍ أَوْ مِن وَرَاءِ جُدُرٍ بَأْسُهُم بَيْنَهُمْ شَدِيدٌ تَحْسَبُهُمْ جَمِيعًا وَقُلُوبُهُمْ شَتَّى ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّهُمْ قَوْمٌ لَّا يَعْقِلُونَ* كَمَثَلِ الَّذِينَ مِن قَبْلِهِمْ قَرِيبًا ذَاقُوا وَبَالَ أَمْرِهِمْ وَلَهُمْ عَذَابٌ أَلِيمٌ)

IN FACT, YOUR FEAR IN THEIR HEARTS IS GREATER THAN (THAT OF) ALLAH. THAT IS BECAUSE THEY ARE A PEOPLE WHO DO NOT UNDERSTAND.