## Mr. Muhammad Speaks

## ISLAM FOR THE SO-CALLED AMERICAN NEGROES

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Say: O people, If you are in doubt as to my religion (Islam) then know that I do not serve those whom you serve besides Allah, who will cause you to die, (Holy Qur-an 10: 104).

ACCORDING TO the past histories of Prophets and reformers, the very people to whom they were sent, with the light of TRUTH, were their rejectors and even their enemies.

When the time comes for a change in the life of a people, there are those who will not appreciate a change. They are suspicious and doubt that which is other than what they have been believing all their lives.

The people of Noah, Abraham, Moses, and Jesus doubted that which these Prophets brought to them from Allah (God), until Allah brought about a showdown between the two.

The so-called American Negroes are so gravely deceived by the white man's Christianity and Bible, until they doubt everything that does not have the white man's approval.

Again, the time has arrived for a change; this time it is Universal and the American so-called Negroes are now the great problem to awaken. The so-called Negroes are made to believe that all other than the Christian religion is false, and idol worship, while the Christian worships idol gods in their churches and religious literature.

They have statues of wood, metal, and marble and imaginary pictures of God, the Angels, the Prophets, and the Disciples. They bow in reverence to them as if they could speak.

The worst of all, the pictures and statutes are not of God, His Angels, the Prophets, nor of the Disciples of Jesus. Therefore, they are false worshipers, and ignorant enough to love the falsehood.

Isaiah and Ezekiel have well described them. The Christian believers claim to believe in ONE GOD. Should not the Divine Supreme Being destroy those who serve and worship gods other than He? Allah (God) does not approve of you and me worshipping His Angles and Prophets as His equal. IT IS A DISGRACE.

The religion of Islam teaches that Allah is ONE GOD, and the Holy Qur-an teaches that what you worship besides Allah, is the fire wood of hell. You doubt the TRUTH OF ISLAM, while it is the religion of Allah (God) and the Prophets whom you claim to believe in. The principles of belief in Islam are: One God, His Prophet His Scriptures, His Judgment, His Resurrection (of the mental dead.)

The main principles of action: Keeping up prayer, Spending in the cause of truth, Speak the Truth regardless to whom or

what, be clean internally, Love your brother believers as yourself, Do good to all, Kill no one whom Allah has not order to be killed, Set at liberty the captured believer, Worship no God but Allah, and fear no one but Allah.

The above is the TEACHING OF THE PROPHETS. Why should you doubt Islam and you know that it is the TRUTH? There is no fear for



you nor shall you grieve today, if you will accept Allah and His religion, Islam. It is unlike your Christianity which has really put fear in you, and promises you help or defense only after death. I am commanded that I should serve Allah and to Him I submit.

HURRY AND JOIN WITH YOUR OWN KIND. THE TIME OF THIS WORLD IS AT HAND.



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