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Hi Rudy,

I received your letter sometime last week. I would have responded sooner but I have been very busy with my schedule of committing the Qur'an to memory and other matters. I'm glad that you sent your letter via the U.S. mail as I have lost my privilege to use the Corrlinks e-mail system for the next 60 days. This is due to the high standard of integrity that the BOP holds us prisoners to (but fails to hold themselves to). I was found "guilty" of lying to staff due to placing an e-mail address belonging to someone else under someone else's contact information. This is all part of the game and one has no choice but to bear it with patience.

So as you have learned, I have been imprisoned for the past 6 years since I was kidnapped on March 15, 2012 coming out of my home to go to the mosque for morning prayers. In 2013 my wife and daughter was forced to leave the country and have since moved back to the U.K. This was done under the threat and intimidation of immigration authorities. I have not seen them since. Maintaining communication with them is difficult due to the outrageous phone charge here in prison of a \$1 a minute for international calls. My main form of communication with them was via Corrlinks before that was taken from me. I attempt not to waste too much time in here on foolish pursuits. I spend most of my time reading and studying history, theology, politics, etc.

So why do you find that the King James version of the Bible is the most authoritative? The problem I see with Christianity is the serious lack of what we Muslims call isnad (or chain of authority). It's one thing to have faith, and that is your foundation, but our Lord gave us an intellect and a brain, the ability to think, contemplate, and reflect. You see "isnad" is a chain, link upon link, giving authenticity of a statement or actions of another. An eye witness account able to be authentically traced back to the original source. (Example being; Bob heard from Rudy who heard from Khalifah that he's been in prison since 2012).

Here you have a man Prophet Jesus the son of Mary (upon whom be peace), the true Messiah, the Word of Allah, who lived 2,000 plus years ago, and who's native tongue was Aramaic. Yet the earliest testimony or witness to his teachings among the 27 books of the New Testament which is considered the "official" canon, is the Gospel "according" to Mark, which according to Biblical scholars is dated to have been written about 55-65 A.D. Prophet Jesus (upon whom be peace) was raised up to the heavens at or about 33 A.D., so not only did the pasting of 2 or 3 decades transpire before his teachings was preserved into writing but they were translated first into Greek, a language which has no similarity to Aramaic hence the great possibility of his teachings getting lost or corrupted in translation. So from the very beginning we are encountering problems regarding the authenticity of the true teachings of Jesus. But let us go off of what we have to work with, and for the sake of argument say everything in the "Gospels" are correct and authentically the words of Prophet Jesus (upon whom be peace). I still see a major problem with Christianity as most of Christian doctrine viz. Original Sin, Jesus supposed death on the cross for mankind's sins, the need to accept Jesus as God and/or the literal son of God, is NOT substantiated by the (red lettered) words of Jesus found in the New Testament.

As a matter of fact we find the total opposite. Let us learn what Jesus says regarding how to achieve eternal life (in the Hereafter). In Mark, chapter 10, starting at verse 17, we are told the story of the rich man who came to Prophet Jesus (upon whom be peace), asking: "Good master, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life?" This would have been the prime opportunity to expound upon all that modern Christianity considers essential in answer to this question viz. Accepting Jesus as your Lord and savior and believing in his suppose death on the cross for mankind's salvation, but instead Jesus, the son of Mary (upon whom be peace)

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first responds by correcting him on referring to him as "good" or "pure", as "none is good but God", clearly establishing a difference between himself and God. He then reminds him of the obligation of following the commandments of Prophet Moses (upon whom be peace). Logically speaking one normally states or list things in order of importance, especially to a question such as this. Prophet Jesus (upon whom be peace) was teaching submission (Islam) to the Creator!! After the man affirms that he has been faithful to the commandments since his youth, Prophet Jesus instructs him to give his riches to the poor (sensing in this man the spiritual disease of the heart of attachment to this world). He then instructs him to become one of his disciples or companions, something that is obligatory upon all believers who live in the time of a prophet or messenger of God.

All the foundational doctrines of Christianity are based either on obscure interpretations of the (suppose) words of Jesus or more likely the case, the writings of Paul, who is credited with being the author of 14 of the 27 books of the New Testament. Such essential matters as it pertains to mankind's salvation in the Hereafter would not be shrouded in mystery and allegorical language needing the interpretation of the preacher or the writings of Paul. Paul was a man who never knew Jesus, never ate with him, walked with him, and initially was an admitted great enemy of Prophet Jesus and the early believers. More or less a bounty hunter who would arrest and bound the followers of Jesus and bring them to Jerusalem to be persecuted, and yet he has been assert into the position of the leading authority on the "true" teaching of Jesus. So much for Peter fulfilling this role!! (See Matt. 16:18). Two more books of the New Testament has been credited as the work of the physician and close friend of Paul's i.e. Luke. Luke is credited with the gospel that bears his name and the book of Acts. Again, we find a man who's (suppose) writings are used as the foundation of Christian doctrine yet once again this "witness" never met Jesus, walked with him, ate with him or eye witnessed the events in which he reported. Now tell, in which judicial courtroom in the world would such a "witness" stand up to the objection of the defensive attorney and not be thrown out as mere hearsay (or "heresy" in this case)? (Other than maybe one of the unjust cases that the fed's has successfully won against an innocent victim!!) You must ask yourself if 59% of the writings of the New Testament are written by people who were not eye witnesses to the teachings of Jesus, the Messiah, and his reported words have to be given obscure interpretations to fit into their mold, are you willing to gamble your Hereafter and your place in eternality on such uncertain grounds? I for one am not!!!! As much as I love, honor and respect Jesus, this head will NOT bow to none other than Allah!! Prophet Jesus (upon whom be peace) will be absolved of all the false things that have been claimed in his name on the great Day of Judgment. He, like all the prophets and messengers of Allah, called to the complete worship of the Oneness of God. As a Muslim, I too await his return to the earth in which he will break the cross and kill the pigs, and eventually establish Allah's order and justice. All this will take place ushering in the Day of Judgment.

I would like to take this time to invite you to Islam!! Think about it!! With the resources available to you I would encourage you to research the truth of Islam. I mean no offense but just wish to share with you some of my thoughts.

This life is a prison for the believer and a paradise for the disbeliever. Any trial and tribulation that we go through in this life for the sake of our Creator is a blessing and I for one pray that He accepts it from me.

"Do you suppose that you will enter paradise untouched by the suffering endured by the men of faith who passed away before you? They were afflicted by misery and hardship and so convulsed that the messenger and the believers with him cried out: 'When will Allah's help arrive?' They were assured that Allah's help was close by." (Qur'an 2:214)

Until next time,

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