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## WHAT IS THE TRUE RELIGION OF GOD – CHRISTIANITY OR ISLAM?

We could spend our entire lives debating the many theories of both religions. However, to answer this question we can limit this investigation to the two most significant events in both Christian and Islamic beliefs.

This is what it all comes down to.....

### **ISLAM**

Did Muhammad receive divine revelation during a miraculous Night Journey, where he ascended to heaven and spoke to God?

Was Muhammad the final prophet of God?

### **CHRISTIANITY**

Was Jesus crucified on the cross as a sacrifice for the sins of mankind, thus fulfilling God's plan for salvation?

Was Jesus the Son of God?

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# **Part I**

# **MUHAMMAD**

## MUHAMMAD'S NIGHT JOURNEY

One of the most significant events in all of Islamic faith is their belief that Muhammad received divine revelation during a miraculous Night Journey. Muhammad, during this Night Journey, claims that he was taken by the arch angel Gabriel from the **Sacred Mosque** to the **Farthest Mosque** and then to the **Dome of the Rock**, where he supposedly launched his trip to heaven and spoke to God.

**Surah 17:1** "Praise be unto him, who transported his servant by night, from the **sacred temple (of Mecca)** to the **farthest temple (of Jerusalem)**, the circuit of which we have blessed, that we might show him (some) of our signs; for (God is) he who heareth, and seeth."

Yusef Ali's footnote 2166 states:

The **Farthest Mosque** must refer to the site of the **Temple of Solomon in Jerusalem** on the hill of Moriah, at or near which stands the **Dome of the Rock**, called also the Mosque of Hadhrat Umar.

### The Historical Timeline

**The Farthest Mosque** refers to the Temple of Solomon.

70 AD - The Temple of Solomon was completely destroyed 500 years before Muhammad was even born. There were no Mosques or Muslims there at the time.

Muhammad's lifetime -----



570 AD - The *birth* of Muhammad

**622 AD - THE YEAR OF THE ALLEGED NIGHT JOURNEY**

632 AD - The *death* of Muhammad

**The Sacred Mosque** refers to the Kaba in Mecca.

638 AD - Original al-Aqsa Mosque built by Caliph Umar, was only a simple wooden sanctuary.

**Dome of the Rock** is where Muhammad claims to have launched his trip to heaven.

691 AD - Dome of the Rock, erected by Caliph abd al-Malik

691 AD - Completion of al-Aqsa Mosque

Sahih Bukhari, Volume 5, Book 58, Number 228:

Jbn Abbas added: **The sights which Allah's Apostle was shown on the Night Journey when he was take to Bait-ul-Maqdis (i.e. Jerusalem) were actual sights, not dreams.** And the Cursed Tree (mentioned) in the Quran is the tree of Zaqqum (itself).

**NONE OF THE "ACTUAL SIGHTS" THAT MUHAMMAD CLAIMS TO HAVE VISITED DURING HIS "NIGHT JOURNEY" EXISTED DURING HIS LIFETIME.**

## ISLAM'S FRIVOLOUS EXPLANATION

*Islamic Awareness* attempts to explain how Muhammad, during his self-purported Night Journey, supposedly visited places that did not exist during his lifetime by stating the following:

“From a linguistics perspective Masjid (Night Journey) simply means a location or place of prostration, and does not refer to a building per se.”

**The above statement is a vague, generic, unverifiable explanation that can be randomly used to account for any place that Muhammad never visited.**

*Islamic Awareness*, then in an attempt to support the frivolous explanation, and to further deceive the followers of Islam, provides pictures of barren unoccupied land to symbolize the presence of a mosque.

The problem with this explanation is that Muhammad, according to Islamic sources, did not describe just a “location” or a “place of prostration” during his Night Journey, but he did describe actual buildings in at least 3 different verses:

1. (Ibn Sa’d, Kitab la-Tabaqat al-Kabir, Vol. , p.248)  
I stood at al-Hijr, visualized Bayt al-Muqaddas and described signs. Some of them said:  
**How many doors are in there in that mosque?** I had not counted them **So I began to look at it and counted them one by one** and gave them information concerning them.
2. Sahih Muslim, Book 001, Number 0309  
I mounted it **and came to the Temple (Bait Maqdis in Jerusalem)**, then tethered it to the ring used by the prophets. **I entered the Mosque and prayed two rak’ahs in it, and then came out...**
3. Sahih al-Bukhar, Volume 4, Book 55, Number 585  
I said, **“O Allah’s Apostle! Which mosque was built first on the face of the earth?”** He said, **“Al-Masjid-ul-Haram (in Mecca).”** I said, **“Which was built next?”** He replied **“The mosque of Al-Aqsa (in Jerusalem).”** I said, **“What was the period of construction between the two?”** He said, **“40 years.”**

Muhammad could not have “entered the Mosque” nor counted any doors in them in that there were no mosques to enter when Muhammad made this alleged “Night Journey.” The above descriptions are recorded in the Hadiths, which are commentaries that expand on the Quran’s limited testimony. Islamic scholars added these descriptions to make the Night Journey seem more credible.

**MUHAMMAD CONJURED UP ONE OF THE MOST PREPOSTEROUS LIES EVER  
UTTERED IN THE NAME OF RELIGION.**

## WITNESSES TO MUHAMMAD'S SELF PURPORTED NIGHT JOURNEY

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Muhammad claimed that after being visited by the Arch Angel Gabriel to have made his Night Journey while riding a white winged animal named al-Buraq as his mode of transportation. Here's the problem :

- No one witnessed Muhammad take off on al-Buraq.
- No one witnessed Muhammad descend on al-Buraq as he arrived at these mosques that did not exist during his lifetime.
- No one certainly witnessed Muhammad in heaven where he claims to have talked to God.

Even worse, the witnesses that Islam does produce testified that Muhammad went nowhere. Muhammad simply woke up one morning and decided to tell the people a deliberate lie that he took a miraculous Night Journey to Jerusalem. Muhammad, on the night of the alleged Night Journey, was at the home of his cousin Umm Hani, and this is what she stated:

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Ibn Ishaq, Sirat Rasulullah, p. 184 (original version)

“Umm, Abu Talib's daughter, said: **‘The apostle went on no journey except while he was in my house.** He slept in my home that night after he prayed the final night prayer. A little before dawn he woke us saying, ‘O Umm, I went to Jerusalem.’ He got up to go out and I grabbed hold of his robe and laid bare his belly. I pleaded, **‘O Muhammad, don't tell the people about this for they will know you are lying and will mock you.’** He said, ‘By Allah, I will tell them. I told a Negress slave of mine, ‘Follow him and listen.’”

Sahih Bukhari, Volume 6, Book 60, Hadith Number 378:

Narrated by Masuq, I said to Aisha, **“O Mother! Did Prophet Muhammad see his Lord?”** Aisha said **“What you have said makes my hair stand on end!** Know that if somebody tells you of the following three things, he is a liar: **Whoever tells you that Muhammad saw his Lord is a liar.”**

## **DID MUHAMMAD SEE GOD THROUGH A VEIL?**

Islam attempts to justify Aisha's condemnation of Muhammad by suggesting that what she actually meant was that Muhammad did not see his Lord because he was veiled from Him and that all he saw was a light.

"It is not fitting for a human being that Allah should speak to him except by inspiration or from behind a veil." (Surah 6:103)

However, simply examine the *language* and the *tone* of the conversation: **"Oh mother! Did Prophet Muhammad see his Lord? Aisha said "What you have said makes my hair stand on end! Know that if somebody tells you of the following three things, he is a liar: Whoever tells you that Muhammad saw his Lord is a liar."**

Aisha (Muhammad's favorite wife) was calling Muhammad a liar – plain and simple.

Aisha then asks Muhammad: **"O'Apostle! Proclaim (the Message) which had been sent down to you from your Lord....."**(5.67) Aisha then states **"Whoever tells you that the Prophet knows what is going to happen tomorrow is a liar."** (Surah 42:51).

Aisha said **"It is you who pretend to be a prophet from Allah."**

Ihya Ulum-id-din [Arabic], Volume 2, page 43.

Nobody knows a man better than his own wife.

## **THE FALSE WITNESS**

Muhammad, in order to get people to believe the lie, convinced his friend and father of his 6 year old child wife (whom he consummated the marriage with when she was only 9) Abu Bakr to support the false testimony. Abu Bakr, in exchange for his false testimony, was honored with the name “al-Siddiq” meaning truthful one.

**Ibn Ishaq p. 183**

**“Many Muslims gave up their faith. Some went to Abu Bakr and said, ‘What do you of your friend now? He alleges that he went to Jerusalem last night prayed there and came back to Mecca.’ ”**

Significantly, it was already established that Muhammad, on the night of his alleged Night Journey, was at his cousin Umm’s house. Abu Bakr was not there. How can Abu Bakr testify “truthfully” to an event that he was not present for and did not witness?

Abu Bakr simply said what Muhammad told him to say:

**Abuk Bakr said, “If he says so then it is true. And what is so surprising in that? He tells me that communications from Allah from heaven to earth come to him in an hour of a day or night and I believe him.”**

Abu Bakr was a false witness who DELIBERATELY and FALSELY corroborated Muhammad’s description of a non-existent Temple that had been completely destroyed over 500 years before Muhammad’s alleged Night Journey.

## **WAS THE NIGHT JOURNEY SPIRITUAL OR PHYSICAL?**

Now that it has been proven that Muhammad went nowhere on the night of his alleged Night Journey Islam introduces an alternative theory that “the Prophet’s body remained where it was” and the journey was spiritual or some sort of dream.

However, according to Islamic sources the Night Journey was clearly meant to be physical:

Sahih Bukhari, Volume 5, Book 58, Number 228:

Jbn Abbas added: **The sights which Allah’s Apostle was shown on the Night Journey when he was take to Bait-ul-Maqdis (i.e. Jerusalem) were actual sights, not dreams.** And the Cursed Tree (mentioned) in the Quran is the tree of Zaqqum (itself).

Sahih Muslim, Book 001, Number 0309:

It is narrated on the authority of Anas B. Malik that the messenger of Allah (peace be upon him) said: **“I was brought al-Buraq who is an animal white and long, larger than a donkey but smaller than a mule, who would place his hoof a distance equal to the range of vision I mounted it came to the Temple (Bait Maqdisin Jerusalem), then tethered it to the ring used by the prophets. I entered the mosque and prayed two rak’ahs, and then came out and Gabriel brought me vessel wine and a vessel of milk, and Gabriel said: You have chosen the natural thing.”**

Here’s the problem with Islam attempting to claim that the Night Journey was spiritual:

- A spirit cannot drink milk. It makes no sense that an angel would bring wine or milk, which are physical liquids to a spirit. These things can only appeal to a physical being.
- A spirit can travel on its own and would not need al-Buraq or any other animal.

The Night Journey was clearly supposed to be an actual physical journey, therefore Islam’s attempt to establish that the Night Journey was a spiritual encounter after it has been proven that Muhammad went nowhere, fails miserably.

There is not a kernel of evidence to support Muhammad’s self-proclaimed Night Journey, physical or spiritual, and the revelations contained in the Quran that were proven to be true were revelations that the Quran repeatedly quoted from the **HOLY BIBLE**.

# **MUHAMMAD'S MIRACLES**

## **MUHAMMAD PERFORMED NO MIRACLES**

The Quran and the Hadiths give completely contradictory testimony about Muhammad performing miracles . The Quran clearly states that Muhammad could **NOT** perform miracles and that he was merely a **WARNER** of things.

### **The people Repeatedly Asked Muhammad Why He Could Not Perform Miracles:**

They say, “Why has a sign (ayatun) not been sent down upon him from his Lord? Say: The unseen belongs only to God. Then watch and wait: I shall be with you watching and waiting.” (Quran 10:20).

“Why has not a treasure been sent down upon his or an angel come with him? You are only a warner; and Allah is custodian over all things. (Quran 11:12).

Muhammad’s wife Aisha also asked why a sign had not been sent: O’Apostle! Proclaim (the Message) which had been sent down to you from your Lord.....”(5.67). Finally, she concludes “**Whoever tells you that the Prophet knows what is going to happen tomorrow is a liar.**” (Surah 42:51).

Aisha did not believe in Muhammad’s Night Journey or that he was a “warner.”

### **Muhammad Repeatedly Answered:**

We send not the angels down except for just cause: if they came to the ungodly. “Why is not a sign sent down from his Lord? But thou art truly a warner and to every people a guide.” (Quran 15:7-8).

And the Unbelievers say: “Why is not a sign sent down to him from his Lord?” But thou art truly a warner and to every people a guide. (Quran 13:7)

### **Muhammad admits that the Book (Quran) is His Only Miracle**

“The (al-ayatu) are only with God, and I am only a warner. What, is it not sufficient for them that We have sent down upon them the Book that is recited to them? Surely in that is a mercy, and a reminder to people who believe.” (Quran 29:48-51).

## **THE HADITHS IS THE ONLY PLACE THAT RECORDS MUHAMMAD'S MIRACLES**

Now a Muslim may refer to the following citation to prove that the Quran mentions one specific miracle of Muhammad splitting the moon:

“The Hour had drawn high: the moon is split. Yet, whenever they see a sign they turn away, and they say ‘A continuous sorcery!’” (Quran 54:1-2).

Muhammad was saying that even “*if*” he split the moon the people would still call it magic.

- Muhammad was speaking hypothetically.
- Secondly, the Quran gives no details about Muhammad splitting the moon, such as when, where, or who was with Muhammad that would form any basis of validity.

This verse is Muhammad trying to justify to the people why he could NOT perform a miracle.

**Islamic scholars used the Hadiths to misconstrue the hypothetically spoken Quran text to make it mean that Muhammad actually performed the miracle.**

Sahih Bukhari 5:58:2009

“The moon was split (into two pieces) while we were with the Prophet in Mina. He said, ‘Be witnesses.’ Then a piece of the moon went towards the mountain.”

Sahih Bukhari 5:58:2008

“The people of Mecca asked Allah’s Apostle to show them a miracle. So he was showed them the moon split in two halves between which they; saw the Hiram’ mountain.”

However, according to the Quran the people asked Muhammad for a miracle, and Muhammad repeatedly told them that he was only a “**warner**” of things.

Sahih Bukhari 5:58:210

“During the lifetime of Allah’s Apostle the moon was split (into two pieces).”

The Hadiths was written after Muhammad was dead, yet it gives details of an event that supposedly happened during Muhammad’s “lifetime.” Moreover, the Quran which is the most revered Book of Islam and was dictated while Muhammad was alive gives absolutely no details whatsoever about Muhammad splitting the moon “into two pieces.”

## MUHAMMAD'S CONFESSION

Eager to be accepted as a prophet in his native Mecca, Muhammad confessed **“I HAVE FABRICATED THINGS AGAINST ALLAH AND HAVE IMPUTED WORDS HE HAS NOT SPOKEN.”**(*Al Tabar, The History of Al-Tabari, vol 6 p.111*) and said he had mistaken the words of “Satan” (*Ibn Ishaq. Sirat Rasul Allah, pp. 165-166*) as Allah’s.

Now, we know who lied.

# **MUHAMMAD'S DEATH**

## **MUHAMMAD’S DEATH WAS BEFITTING THE FALSE PROPHET**

### **Muhammad died an unceremonious, dishonorable death as a result of being poisoned by a JEWISH WOMAN**

“A Jewess brought a poisoned (cooked) sheep for the Prophet who ate from it...Anas added: “I continued to see the effects of the poison on the palate of the mouth of Allah’s messenger.” (Sahih al-Bukhari 2617)

“A Jewess came to Allah’s messenger with poisoned mutton and he took of what had been brought to him (When the effects of this poison were felt by him) he called for her asked about that, whereupon she said: I had determined to kill you. Thereupon he said: Allah will never give you the power to do it.” (Sahih Muslim 54:30)

### **What The Quran Says About How A FALSE PROPHET Should Die:**

“And if he **FABRICATED** against Us some of the sayings, We would certainly have seized him by the right hand and We would have cut of his **AORTA**.” [Shakir] (Quran 69:44-46)

“And had he namely, the Prophet, **FABRICATED** any lies against Us, by communicating from Us that which We have not said....We would have assuredly severed his life artery, the **AORTA** of the heart.....” Tafsir Jalatayn [on Quran 69:44-46]

### **Muhammad Died Exactly The Way His Own Book Says A FALSE Prophet Should Die:**

“The Prophet in his ailment in which he died, used to say, “O Aishah! I still feel the pain caused by the food I ate at Khaibar, and at this time, I feel as if my **AORTA** is being cut from that poison.” (Sahih al-Bukhari 4428)

Umm Bishr said to the Prophet during the sickness of which he died “What do you think about your illness, Apostle of Allah?”.....And I do not think about my illness except that this is the time when it cut off my **AORTA**.” (Sunana Abu Dawud 4449)

Poison **EXITED** Muhammad’s mouth in the form of lies and false prophesies – Poison then **ENTERED** Muhammad through that same orifice, in which he would tell lies no more.

## **CONCLUSION**

### **1. Was Muhammad the final prophet of God?**

No. Muhammad was a false prophet who did not speak for God. This is proven by his false prophecies, inability to perform miracles, and dishonorable way he died, which is ironically foretold by the very book that he dictated.

### **2. Did Muhammad receive divine revelation during a miraculous Night Journey where he ascended to heaven and spoke to God?**

No. Muhammad's self-purported Night Journey is completely unsupported by facts and totally void of witness corroboration. Moreover, the evidence that is available confirms that Muhammad fabricated this event.

### **The Holy Bible warns us about false prophets**

“The prophets are prophesying lies in my name. I did not send them, nor did I command them or speak to them. They are prophesying to you a lying vision, worthless divination, and deceit of their own minds.” (**Jeremiah 14:14**)

“Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.” (**1 John 4:1**)

# **Part II**

## **The Myths of Christianity**

## ISLAM WRONGLY PROMOTES THAT CHRISTIANITY IS A WHITE MAN'S RELIGION



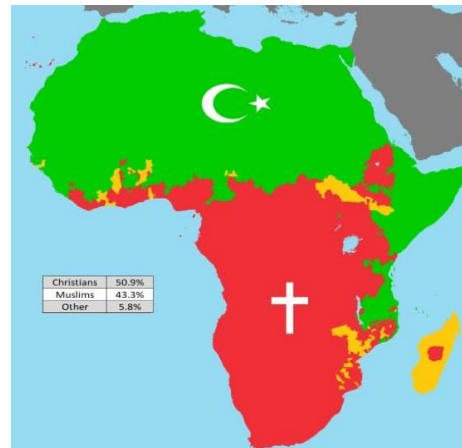
### MUSLIM CONQUEST IN AFRICA

Muslim conquest ravaged Africa almost **1000 years before** slavery in America.

1619 AD – The first slave ship to come from America arrived in Africa in **1619**.

**647 AD – Is when the first Muslim conquest of the Maghreb (Northwest Africa) took place following the death of Muhammad in 632 and continued with rapid Muslim conquests into Northern Africa.**

Muslim conquest perverted the true Word of God, and caused division and conflict in Africa that has lasted right up to modern times today. **Islam is how we “lost” our language.** The white man’s slavery was a horrific event that, as demonstrated above, occurred long after Muslims invaded Africa.



### CHRISTIANITY STARTED IN AFRICA

330 AD – Ethiopia’s King Ezana the Great declared Christianity its official religion.

200 AD – Christianity continued to spread throughout North Africa.

100 AD – Egypt was one of the first countries in the world to adopt Christianity.

**85-95 AD – Is when the Bible was written.**

1317 BC – Is believed to be when God gave Moses the Ten Commandments on Mt. Sinai, which is the mountainous region of Africa



**Christianity was founded in Africa centuries before slavery and long before the arrival of any white man.**

## **WAS CHRISTIANITY INVENTED AT THE COUNCIL OF NICEA?**

Many non-believers use an event called the “Council of Nicea” to levy allegations against the Bible that it was there that Christianity was “invented” by Roman Emperor Constantine and that the Bible was either changed or manipulated.

In short, this is why the meeting at Nicea took place:

During the reign of the Constantine there was a priest named Arius who had a different belief as to the origin and deity of Jesus. Arius believed that Jesus was created and not begotten. He also rejected the theology of God, the Son, and the Holy Spirit as one.

Arius’ belief was adamantly opposed by a Deacon named Athanasius who argued the opposite, holding true to Christian belief today. This created controversy and division within the church.

Therefore, Constantine in 325 AD called for a meeting of bishops at Nicea to resolve the escalating controversy amongst church leadership. This meeting was called “The Council of Nicea.” At the Council of Nicea Emperor Constantine presided over a group of about 300 bishops and other leaders with the purpose of defining the nature of God for all of Christianity and eliminating conflict within the church.

Arius and Athanasius used the same, unchanged gospels that are in the Bible today to argue their case. Arius and Athanasius did not disagree on what the scriptural documents stated or what should be ‘in’ the Bible. They disagreed, with heated debate, on the *interpretation* and the *meaning* of the scriptures. However, altering the Word from its original text was never at issue, nor was it the purpose in the Council of Nicea.

The 300 bishops assembled by Constantine were religious leaders whose purpose was to ensure both accuracy and uniformed agreement as to the correct interpretation of God’s Word. As a result of this meeting Arius’ interpretation of the Word was determined incorrect, so much so, that out of the 300 bishops in attendance only 2 sided with Arius. Arius, as a result of his false teachings and incorrect interpretation of the Bible, was excommunicated from the church and his writings ordered destroyed by Constantine. *Arius’* writings were ordered destroyed, NOT the Bible’s, nor any of its Books.

### **Historical Timeline**

**325 AD** is when the Council of Nicea assembled.

**200 AD**

**100 AD**

Between **85-95 AD** is when the Bible was completed.

“The disciples were called Christians first in Antioch. During this time some prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch.” (**Acts 11:26-27**)

Therefore, based on the historical timeline the Council of Nicea could not have “invented” Christianity when the Bible was already written and Christianity established **over 200 years before** the meeting at Nicea ever took place.

## WHY ARE THERE SO MANY DIFFERENT VERSIONS OF THE BIBLE?

“*Only a lie has different versions*” is a common theme often used to attack the credibility of the Bible. There are many valid reasons as to why there are different translations of the Bible. There are certain Greek and Hebrew words that have no exact English equivalent. Also, the English language itself has changed over the years. However, as demonstrated below, while worded slightly differently, each translation of the Bible has the same meaning.

Significantly, the discovery of the Dead Sea scrolls in 1947 contains Biblical testimony that dates back over 2000 years and that is remarkably similar to the Bible’s Old Testament that exists today. This is very strong evidence of how well the Holy Bible has been preserved throughout the years.

### Luke 12:20

#### **King James Bible**

But God said unto him, *Thou Fool*, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided.

**King James Bible** uses majestic, early seventeenth-century English such as thee and thou.

#### **New Living Translation**

“But God said to him, ‘You fool! You will die this very night. Then who will get everything you worked for?’

While **New Living Translation** uses simpler more modern English replacing thee and thou with you and he.

#### **English Standard Version**

But God said to him, ‘Fool! This night your soul is required of you, and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’

If you still chose to follow a religion that is clearly false and that will dam your eternal soul – then *thou* truly is a fool.

### As To The Letter “J”

There is a lot of meaningless rhetoric over the name Jesus, because the letter “J” was not added to the alphabet until 1524. The name Jesus is derived from his original Hebrew name Yeshua. Accordingly, with the addition of the letter J to the alphabet the language was transliterated to conform to its modern translation which means absolutely nothing in terms of what Jesus (or Yeshua) did when he was here.

For example, Cassius Clay changed his name to Muhammad Ali in 1964. However, he was still using the name Cassius Clay when he “shook up the world” by defeating Sonny Liston to become heavyweight champion of the world. Thus, whether you refer to him as Cassius Clay or Muhammad Ali it is still the same person, and makes no difference in terms of what he accomplished.

Hence, Yeshua (the Greatest) shook up the world when he died on the cross for us! – and the addition of the letter “J” does not change that at all.

## DOES THE BIBLE CONTRADICT ITSELF?

Muslims put great effort into studying the Bible in an attempt to find contradictions within the Word. For example, the following verses, read independently, will surely seem to contradict Christian theology that Jesus was Lord and Savior to the world:

### Isaiah 43:10

There is no other God – there never has been, and there never will be.

### Isaiah 43:11

I, yes I, am the LORD, and there is no other Savior.

## The Bible, Fully Read And Understood, Does Not Contradict Itself

### Deuteronomy 12:30-31

Do not inquire after their **gods**... You shall not worship the LORD your God in that way;

### Isaiah 43:8

Which of their **idols** has ever foretold such things? Which can predict what will happen tomorrow?

### Isaiah 43:10

There is no other God – there never has been, and there never will be.

### Isaiah 43:11

I, yes I, am the LORD, and there is no other Savior.

### Isaiah 43:12

First I predicted your rescue, then I saved you and proclaimed it to the world.....

No **foreign god** has ever done this.



Aside from being Old Testament and written before Jesus was born, God, in these verses, is referring to false idols and foreign gods, NOT Jesus.



God is referring to Jesus in this verse!

Islam will standalone **Isaiah 43:10-11** to deceive its followers into believing that the Bible is full of contradictions, and therefore not valid. The same devil who deceived Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden is busy at work today through Islam.

Also, the Holy Bible is not a copy-cat or a retelling of the story of Eye of Horus or any other god of Greek mythology. As demonstrated above, God explicitly commands us not to worship such gods.

## **DOES THE BIBLE CONTRADICT ITSELF (Continued)?**

The son pays for sins of the father. (**Exodus 20:5**). The son will **not** pay for the sins of the father. (**Ezekial 18:14-20**).

Taking a single line from a Biblical verse and placing it alongside a single line from another verse is a common tactic used by Islam to make the Bible seem contradictory. However, the Biblical verses that testify as to how God will judge the sins of the son are based on two entirely different conditions:

### **Generational**

**Exodus 20:5** Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me;

### **Individual**

**Ezekial 18:14-20** “But suppose this son who sees all the sins his father commits, and though he sees them, he does not do such things:”..... “He will not die for his father’s sin; he will surely live. But his father will die for his own sin.”

In other words, if your father taught you to follow a false religion that is blasphemous to almighty God and then you teach your son to do the same then the son pays for sins of the father. This is the generational curse of those who “hate” the Lord.

However, if the son sees that the things his father taught him are wrong and turns from such abominations and obeys God’s Word then he will **not** pay for his father’s sins. “Since the son has done what is just and right and has been careful to keep all my decrees, he will surely live. The one who sins is the one who will die. The child will not share the guilt of the parent, nor will parent share the guilt of the child.” (**Ezekial 18:19-20**).

What choice will you make?

# **Part III**

## **JESUS**

## **WAS JESUS THE SON OF GOD? OR WAS JESUS JUST A PROPHET?**

Bible:

For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believes in him shall not perish, but have everlasting life. John (3:16).

Quran:

It befitteth not (the Majesty of) Allah that He should take unto Himself a son. Quran (19:35).

### **SOMEBODY LIED**

**The Quran affirms the Bible's testimony that Jesus was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born unto a virgin.**

The Angel said unto Mary, "We sent unto her Our Spirit and it assumed to her the likeness of a perfect man." Quran (19:17)

Mary said unto the Angel, "How can I have a son when no mortal hath touched me, neither have I been unchaste." Quran (19:20)

**The Quran affirms the Bible's testimony that Jesus was sinless.**

The Angel said to Mary, "I am only a messenger of the Lord, that I may bestow upon thee a **faultless son**." Quran (19:19)

"We sent unto her Our Spirit and it assumed to her the likeness of a **perfect man**." Quran (19:17)

**The Quran affirms the Bible's testimony that Jesus raised the dead and healed the sick.**

Jesus had the power to raise the dead. Jesus healed the sick and the lepers. Quran (3:49)

**ISLAM, SPEAKING IN FORK TONGUES, REPEATEDLY QUOTES FROM THE HOLY BIBLE AND THEN ACCUSES THE BIBLE OF BEING "CORRUPT".**

The Quran states "Christ the son of Mary was no more than a messenger." Quran (3:75)

This makes no sense.

No human being other than the Son of God can be "faultless" and "perfect."

Furthermore, the miraculous birth of Jesus should be a huge clue to all those who follow Islam that God had a much greater purpose for Jesus than to be merely a prophet or a messenger.

**HAD GOD INTENDED FOR JESUS TO BE MERELY A PROPHET THEN HE WOULD HAVE BEEN BORN BY WAY OF NORMAL HUMAN REPRODUCTION AS DID ALL OTHER PROPHETS.**

## ISLAM CLAIMS JESUS HAD NO FATHER

### Islam attempts to justify the miraculous birth of Jesus by comparing him to Adam

#### Islam:

##### **Jesus had no father.**

Islam's Yusef Estes explains by comparing Jesus to Adam.

"Adam had no father either, but what did that make him? So that the likeness of Adam is the likeness of Jesus."

"Indeed the likeness of Jesus to God is as the likeness of Adam; He created him from dust, then said to him 'Be' and he was." (Quran 3:59).

##### **Muslims Also Reject Christian Belief That We Are Born into Sin Because of Adam.**

Muslims deny that we inherit Adam's sin. "No burdened person (with sin) shall bear the burden (sins) of another." (Quran 53:38-41). Islam also claims "Thus did Adam disobey his Lord, so he went Astray. Then his Lord chose him, and turned to him with forgiveness and guidance." (Quran 20:121-122).

##### **The Quran's version of Adam does not align with the Old Testament.**

When Adam sinned God said to him **"Cursed is the ground because of you." (Genesis 3:17)** –and ever since we have been subjected to the exact same punishment that Adam was subjected to when he sinned – sickness, disease, death, struggle, hardship and every other curse under the sun. **"Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man (Adam), and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned." (Romans 5:12-14)**

We do indeed bear the burden of Adam's sin – if we did not, then we would all be in the Garden of Eden right now – since it was Adam, and not us, who ate of the forbidden tree. The curse of Adam is also not a "test" as Islam claims. The test was in the Garden of Eden in which mankind failed when we sinned against God.

#### Christianity:

Islam creates a correlation between Jesus and Adam because they have no valid explanation for the miraculous birth of Jesus.

Comparing Jesus to Adam is ridiculous. Some Muslims even claim that Adam was "more revered" by God than Jesus, which is even more ridiculous. **JESUS IS THE ONLY BEGOTTEN SON OF GOD.**

Adam was created from dirt. God breathed into Adam and brought him to life.

Jesus was not created from dirt.

The Holy Spirit came unto the virgin Mary, spoke unto her and conception took place. There was a pregnancy and a birth. **WHERE THERE IS A PREGNANCY THERE IS A FATHER,** and in this miraculous case **THE FATHER IS GOD.**

No, "the likeness of Jesus to God is" NOT "the likeness of Adam." – *in either origin or purpose.*

Jesus was born.

Adam was created.

Adam committed the first sin.

Jesus was sent by God to save us from sin.

"For just as through the disobedience of one man (Adam) the many were made sinners, so also through the obedience of one man (Jesus) the many will be made righteous." (Romans 5:18).

The Bible states a clear purpose in why Jesus was sent, whereas based on the Quran, Jesus' miraculous birth has no purpose at all.

Comparing the *birth* of Jesus to the *creation* of Adam is a desperate reach by Islam, committed to justify the purposeless falsehood that the miraculous birth of Jesus was just a demonstration of God's power to create.

God already demonstrated His power to create when He created the earth, the seas, and all of its inhabitants.

## **DID JESUS CLAIM TO BE GOD?**

When Jesus finished washing their feet, he put on his cloths and returned to his placed, “Do you understand what I have done for you?” he asked them. “You call me ‘Teacher’ and ‘Lord’ and rightly so, for that is what I am. Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you should also wash one another’s feet. I have set an example for you.” (John 13:11-15).

The woman came and knelt before Jesus. “Lord, help me!” she said. He replied “It is not right to take the children’s bread and toss it to the dogs.” “Yes it is, Lord,” she said. “Even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their master’s table.” Then Jesus said to her, “Woman, you have great faith! Your request is granted.” Her daughter was healed at that moment. (Matthew 15:25-28).

Jesus said “For just as the Father raises the dead and gives them life, even so the Son gives life to whom he pleases to give it. Moreover, the Father judges no one, but has entrusted all judgment to the Son, that all may honor the Son just as they honor the Father. Whoever does not honor the Son does not honor the Father, who sent him.” (John 5:21-23).

## **The Muslim Misinterpretation**

In typical Muslim deceit they took a portion of a Biblical verse (John 14:28) “For the Father is greater than I” to undermine the deity of Jesus and his equality to God the Father. Muslims are also quick to quote (John 5:30) where Jesus says “By myself I can do nothing,” but, disregard the rest of the verse where Jesus says “for I seek not to please myself, but him who sent me.”

## **The True Meaning of Jesus’ Message**

“In your relationship with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus. Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death – even death on a cross!” (Philippians 2:5-8).

“the Jews tried all the more to kill him, because he not only broke the Sabbath, but he also called God his own Father, making himself equal to God.” (John 5:18). Jesus said “The Son of Man is going to be betrayed into the hands of men. They will kill him, and after three days he will rise.” (Matthew 17:22-23). Jesus also called himself the “Son of Man” because although he was God he took upon himself the form of a man – but one thing Jesus NEVER called himself was the “son of Mary.”

## **WAS JESUS CRUCIFIED AS A SACRIFICE FOR OUR SINS?**

### **Islam Claims That Jesus Was Not Crucified**

According to the Quran God transformed another to resemble Jesus, whereas it was someone else, and not Jesus who was crucified. Meanwhile, Jesus was spared the crucifixion and raised alive unto God.

**Quran 4:157** And for their saying, ‘Indeed, we have killed the Messiah, Jesus, the son of Mary, the messenger of Allah.’ And they did not kill him, nor did they crucify him; but another was made to resemble him to them....And they did not kill him. Rather Allah raised him unto himself.

### **The Hadiths claim that it was Judas who was actually crucified**

The Quran does not state who the other person was who was made to “resemble” Jesus, but the Hadiths claims it to be Judas. “Finally, one of his close companions who was called Judas Iscariot and was one of his twelve Apostles, showed Jesus’ hideout to his enemies in exchange for a payment of 30 coins.”

“God did not left Jesus alone and helped him and hid him from the eyes of the attackers. As a result, instead of Jesus, they arrested Judas Iscariot the man who bore a great resemblance to him and due to severe fear, that man could not open his mouth, talk, or introduce himself. Judas was crucified and executed by the murderers and was punished for his actions.”

### **Islam’s version has no resemblance to the Bible’s original trial records of Jesus**

The Sanhedrin trial of Jesus refers to the trial of Jesus before a Jewish council following his arrest, and prior to his dispensation by Pontius Pilot. While the Gospel accounts vary with respect to various details, *they all agree on the general character and overall structure of the trials of Jesus*:

**Mark 14:61** states the high priest then asked Jesus: “Art thou the Christ, the Son of the Blessed?” And Jesus said, “I am” at which point the priest tore his robe in anger and accused Jesus of blasphemy.

**Matthew 26:63** the high priest asks: “tell us whether you are the Christ, the Son of God.” Jesus responded “You have said it” prompting the priest to tear his robe.

**There is absolutely nothing to support Islam’s claim that “another was made to resemble” Jesus to them but the lying, unproven words of Muhammad.**

### **Jesus was charged for claiming to be King of the Jews and the Son of God**

**John 19:19** Pilate also wrote an inscription and put it on the cross. It was written, “JESUS THE NAZARENE, THE KING OF THE JEWS.”

**Matthew 27:37** Above his head they placed the written charge against him: THIS IS JESUS, THE KING OF THE JEWS.

There were laws in Jesus’ time just as there are today. Judas never claimed to be King or the Son of God, and was never charged with this crime. Therefore, Judas was not crucified.

Muslims are faced with another problem in claiming that it was actually Judas who was crucified.

Judas is well recorded as having committed suicide as a result of his betrayal of Jesus.....

### **By hanging (Matthew 27:3-8)**

“Then Judas, who betrayed Him, saw that He had been condemned, he felt remorse and returned the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders saying ‘I have betrayed innocent blood’ ....and went away and hung himself.”

### **By falling (Acts 1:16-19)**

“Now this man acquired a field with the price of his wickedness and falling headlong he burst open in the middle and his bowels gushed out.”

Headlong (adj.) – moving without or lacking restraint.

Headlong (adv.) – fast uncontrolled movement.

If Judas’ body fell headlong (without restraint), then at one point it had to be restrained, for example, by a noose for hanging. Also, if Judas’ body was already dead as it was falling then the movement would be uncontrolled, as a dead person cannot control its movement; thus the term headlong.

### **Medical evidence supports the Bible’s testimony**

These above verses do not contradict each other – they confirm each other, because they are both true. It is a medical fact that when a dead body is decomposing that gases build up in the body and the abdomen becomes swollen. This explains why Judas “burst open in the middle” when his body fell. Judas went and hung himself, and then his body later fell down and split open. In other words, the rope or branch probably broke due to his weight, and his body fell down and his bowels spilled out.

### **The Field of Blood (Matthew 27:6-8) and (Acts 1:18,19)**

The religious leaders used the 30 pieces of silver that Judas returned to them to purchase a field.

As it turns out, the very field that they had purchased was the same field that Judas used to hang himself. With the payment he received for his wickedness Judas bought a field; there he fell headlong. Judas’ body burst open and his intestines spilled out. **Everyone in Jerusalem heard about this**, so they called that field in their language Aceldama, this is **“Field of Blood.”**

Both **Matthew** and **Acts** give corroborating testimony as to the “Field of Blood.” Therefore, any attempt to establish a contradiction within the Bible, about Judas’ death, is defeated – leaving unanswered the question as to who was “made to resemble Jesus” to them because it certainly was not Judas.

### **It is common for Islam to lie on the Holy Bible**

Yusef Estes, once again, attempts to fool the followers of Islam by saying the following:

Bible compared to Quran by Yusef Estes: How did Judas die?

“Mathew 27:5 says that Judas Iscariot when he died hung himself. **Acts 1** says that, no he jumped off a cliff head first.”

Acts 1:16-19 speaks about Judas’ death. Nowhere does it say that Judas “jumped off a cliff head first.”

Yusef Estes lied. That’s why he only wrote “Acts 1” without writing the exact verse. Acts 1 has 26 verses. Yet, Yusef Estes only wrote Acts 1, *without the verse*, so that you couldn’t find where he lied.

## JESUS' CRUCIFIXION AND RESURRECTION

The Bible bears many witnesses *before, during, and after* Jesus' lifetime.

Islam falsely alleges that the Bible's testimony about Jesus was "invented" by Apostle Paul. The basis for this claim is that Paul wrote about half of the New Testament although he was not one of the original disciples. *Islam attacks the credibility of Paul because he was not one of Jesus' original disciples, yet they accept the testimony of Muhammad who was born over 500 years after Jesus lived and who bore witness to absolutely nothing.*

Indeed, the entire *other half* of the New Testament that predates Paul was written by disciples who were with Jesus, up to and including the last supper, when Jesus foretold of his crucifixion and resurrection. John, one of Jesus' closet disciples, was present at the foot of the cross when they crucified Jesus. **"There they crucified Him, and with Him two other men, one on either side, and Jesus in between."** (John 19:19).

### The Damascus Road Experience

Jesus, after he ascended to heaven, made a post-resurrection appearance to Apostle Paul, who was once a persecutor of Christians. After Jesus' resurrection Paul encountered Lord Jesus on the Damascus Road which led to his dramatic conversion known as the "Damascus Road Experience." On their way to Damascus a light from heaven flashed and Paul fell to the ground and Jesus spoke unto him **"Saul, Saul why do you persecute me."** The men traveling with Paul (then Saul) all saw this event which caused his temporary blindness and inability to eat or drink for three days. **(Acts 9:1-9).**

Unlike Muhammad, Paul sought to deceive no one:

Paul said "Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve. After that he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at the same time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. Then he appeared to James, then to the apostles, and **last of all he appeared to me also, as to one abnormally born. For I am the least of the apostles and do not even deserve to be called an apostle because I once persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am...**" (Corinthians 15:3-10).

### Hundreds of people witnessed each of these events.

#### **Witnesses to the crucifixion of Jesus**

- Chief priests, scribes and elders (Matthew 27:41)
- Centurion and Roman soldiers (Matthew 27:54)
- Two criminals crucified with Jesus (Luke 23:33)
- Crowds of bystanders (Matthew 27:37; Luke 23:48; John 19:20)
- Many women including Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James and Joseph and wife of Ciopas, Salome the mother of the sons of Zebedee (Matthew 27:56; Mark 15:40; John 19:26)
- Jesus' mother (John 19:26)
- The "disciple that Jesus loved" – John (John 19:26)
- Acquaintances of Jesus (Luke 23:49)
- Joseph of Arimathea (Matthew 2:57)
- Nicodemus (John 19:39)

#### **Witnesses to the resurrection of Jesus**

- Mary Magdalene (Mark 16:9; John 20:1;14-18)
- Women returning from tomb (Matthew 28:8-10)
- Peter (John 20:3-9; 1 Corinthians 15:5)
- Disciples on the road to Emmaus (Mark 16:12;)
- Apostle, Thomas absent (John 20:19-24; Luke 24:36-43)
- Apostle, Thomas present (John 20:26-28; Luke 24:3-13)
- Seven by the Sea of Galilee (John 21:1-14)
- 500 Believers at one time (1 Corinthians 15:6)
- James (1 Corinthians 15:7)
- Eleven Apostles (Acts 1:3-4)
- Apostles at his ascension (Acts 1:8-9)
- Stephen (Acts 7:56)
- Paul (Acts 9:1-6)
- Paul in Temple (Acts 22:18-21)
- John on Patmos (Rev. 1:9-20)

## **IT IS ABOUT THE BLOOD**

Islamic theology is not in accordance with God's will or His Law. You cannot earn your way into heaven by doing "good works" that outweigh the bad (**Ephesians 2:8-9**), nor is there remission of sin by simply asking for forgiveness. God requires a blood offering as atonement for sin **"without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness."** (Hebrews 9:22).

### **The Quran acknowledges the Godliness of the Torah**

The Torah is believed by Muslims to have been given by God to the prophets. *"Indeed, We sent down the Torah, in which was guidance and light."* (Quran 5:44). The Book of Leviticus is the third Book of the Torah, and of the Old Testament. Yet, Islam in both ignorance and blasphemy deny and reject the very Word that they claim to believe.

God, in His decree, explains to Moses **"For the life of a creature is in the blood, and I have given it to you to make atonement for yourselves on the altar; it is the blood that makes atonement for one's life."** (Leviticus 16:15). In the Old Testament animals were sacrificed as an offering acceptable to God. God commanded **"then he shall kill the goat of the sin offering that is for the people and bring its blood inside."** (Leviticus 17:11).

God required animal sacrifices to provide a temporary covering of sins and to foreshadow the perfect and complete sacrifice of Jesus Christ. However **"it is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sin"** as this decree is only **"a shadow of good things to come."** (Hebrews 10:1-4). This is why animals had to be sacrificed continually.

However, Jesus was the perfect sacrifice and he fulfilled the Old Testament's prophesy, once and for all, when he was crucified and shed his blood on the cross. Thus, bringing us into a new Covenant where Jesus is the ultimate and only sacrifice by which we can be saved. **"In Him we have redemption through His blood, according to the riches of His grace."** (Ephesians 1:7)

### **Muslims who deny the Blood of Jesus are not saved**

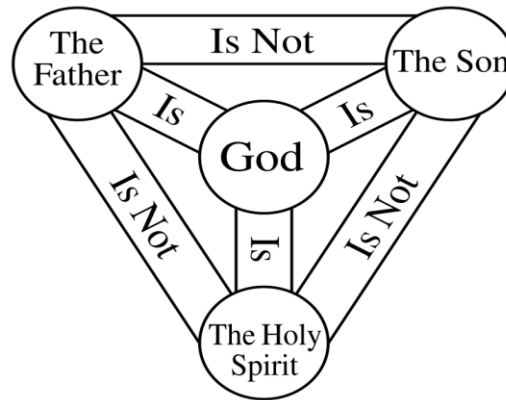
Muslims separate themselves from God by denying the deity of Jesus and rejecting his suffering on the cross. **Whoever shall confess that Jesus is the Son of God, God dwelleth in him, and he in God.** (1 John 4:15).

Muslims, by rejecting Jesus as the Son of God who died for their sins have rejected the blood covering. Thus, Muslims have no hope for salvation, as without the blood, they have no means by which to atone for their sins and are therefore subject to the full wrath of God.

**"Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God's wrath through him!"** (Romans 5:9). Jesus said **"For this is the blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins."** (Matthew 26:28)

## EXPLAINING THE TRINITY

**“For there are three that bear record in heaven, the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one.” (1 John 5:7)**



Jesus, who existed before the foundation of the earth, left his throne where he was seated at the right hand of the Father and took the form of a man for our sake **“The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father full of grace and truth.” (John 1:14).**

Jesus, while he prayed to his Father to remove the “bitter cup” of crucifixion from his lip, was indeed God and had the power to remove himself from the cross, but instead gave his life as a sacrifice in accordance to the will of his Father. Jesus said **“No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have the authority to lay it down and authority to take it up again. This command I receive from my Father.” (John 10:18).**

Muslims profess that there is only one God and that He needs no partner.

This is correct. God does not need a partner – we do.

God did not send Jesus to be His partner. God saw that we were condemned to an eternity in hell, because we could not keep His Law. Yet, God through His grace and mercy made a way for our escape from hell and forgiveness for our sins. That grace was made available ONLY by accepting Jesus as our Lord and Savior, who died on the cross for our sins. God does not answer prayers of those who reject His Son whom He sent to save us. **“No one who denies the Son has the Father, whoever acknowledges the Son has the Father also.”(1 John 2:23).**

Therefore, Muslims who “pray” 5 times a day, but deny the deity of Jesus pray to no one but the floor beneath them. In fact, God does not even want prayer rituals. **“But when ye pray, use not vain repetitions, as the heathens do; for they think that they shall be heard for their much speaking.” (Matthew 6:7).**

*The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit are one God.*

**“You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe – and shudder!”(James 2:19).**

## THE ABRAHAMIC COVENANT

The Abrahamic Covenant is the covenant between Abraham and God. God promised Abraham three things: (1) the Promised Land (2) the promise of the descendants (3) and the promise of blessings.

Islam falsely teaches that “After Noah, Abraham was the first Prophet appointed by God to spread the universal meaning of Islam.” Islam tells this lie to establish origins as the righteous faith of God.

Abraham had two sons, Isaac and Ishmael. Sarah was the wife of Abraham. Hagar was the servant of Sarah. God had promised Abraham many descendants, but ten years after the promise, Sarah was still unable to have children, and they had both grown old. So, Sarah chose to give her servant Hagar to Abraham so that he could conceive a child with her. (**Genesis 16:2**).

Abraham’s child by the servant Hagar is Ishmael. *Ishmael was begotten in disobedience to God’s promise, and Muhammad is the fruit of that disobedience.* **“For it is written that Abraham had two sons, one by a slave woman and one by a free woman. His son by the slave woman (Ishmael) was born according to the flesh, but his son by the free woman (Isaac) was born according to the promise.”** (Corinthians 6:22-23).

The Old Testament, which Muslims claim to believe, makes it clear:

Then God said “your wife Sarah will bear you a son, and you will call him Isaac. I will establish my covenant with him as an everlasting covenant for his descendants after him.” (**Genesis 17:19**).

And as for Ishmael, I have heard you: I will surely bless him; I will make him fruitful and will greatly increase his numbers. He will be the father of twelve rulers, and I will make him into a great nation. (**Genesis 17:20**).

But my covenant I will establish with Isaac, whom Sarah will bear to you by this time next year. (**Genesis 17:21**).

*God allowed Ishmael to live because he was a descendant of Abraham. God, for that same reason, blessed Ishmael - but that is the limit.*



And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham’s descendants, heirs according to the promise. (**Galatians 3:29**).

## **WAS JESUS OR MUHAMMAD CHOSEN TO SPEAK FOR GOD?**

Muslims often use a verse from Deuteronomy to establish a basis that the Bible foretold of the coming of Muhammad as a prophet who will speak for God. In Deuteronomy God is prophesizing to Moses about a prophet to come who will speak for Him.

### **THE PROPHET**

#### **Deuteronomy 18:18-19**

<sup>18</sup> I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their fellow Israelites, and I will put my words in his mouth. He will tell them everything I command him. <sup>19</sup> I myself will call to account anyone who does not listen to my words that the prophet speaks in my name.

#### **MOSES SPENT 40 DAYS ALONE WITH THE LORD WHILE FASTING WHEN HE RECEIVED THE TEN COMMANDMENTS**

<sup>27</sup> Then the LORD said to Moses, “Write down these words, for in accordance with these words I have made a covenant with you and with Israel.” <sup>28</sup> Moses was there with the LORD forty days and forty nights without eating bread or drinking water. And he wrote on the tablets the words of the covenant—the Ten Commandments. (Exodus 34:27-28).

#### **JESUS SPENT 40 DAYS ALONE WITH THE LORD WHILE FASTING WHEN HE WAS TEMPTED BY SATAN**

Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. <sup>2</sup> After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. <sup>3</sup> The tempter came to him and said, “If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread.” (Matthew 4:1-11).

Forty is the number of days in the Bible designated to important time periods and events. Jesus, after his resurrection and before he ascended to heaven, walked the earth for forty days proving to all that he, the Son of God, is risen (Acts 1:3).....Muhammad never spent forty days and nights alone with the Lord fasting and he certainly is not with Him now.

Furthermore, Muhammad was born a member of the tribe of Quraysh and the clan of Hashim. Therefore, **Deuteronomy 18:18-19** could not be referring to Muhammad as Muhammad was not a descendant of the twelve tribes of Israel nor was he an Israelite.

Jesus was a member of the tribe of Judah by lineage (This is demonstrated in the “Family-Trees of Abraham’s sons” on the preceding page). The tribe of Judah was one of the twelve tribes of Israel, thereby making Jesus a “fellow Israelite” and brethren to Moses. In **Deuteronomy 18:18-19** God was prophesizing to Moses about the coming of Jesus, and NOT Muhammad as Islam falsely claims. **“In flaming fire, inflicting vengeance on those who do not know God and on those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus.” (2 Thessalonians 1:8).**

## **BOTH THE BIBLE AND THE QURAN TESTIFY AS TO THE SECOND COMING OF JESUS**

Islam explains:

Narrated by Abu Huriara, Allah's Apostle said "How will you be when the son of Mary (i.e. Jesus) descends amongst you and **he will judge people by the Law of the Quran** and not by the law of the Gospel." (Bukhari volume 4 Book 55, Number 658).

This is wrong. Islam claims that Jesus was only a prophet. Prophets, although exalted in *heaven*, were still sinners. **No sinner can return to judge another sinner.** Only **God** or the **Son of God** who NEVER broke God's Law, would have the right and the authority to come back and "judge people by the Law."

The Second Coming of Jesus also proves that Jesus was not a precursor to Muhammad. A precursor **CANNOT FOLLOW** that which is foretold to come. If Jesus was a precursor to Muhammad then the prophesy of the Second Coming would have to be fulfilled by Muhammad – yet God chose Jesus who is the Most High in Christian belief.

The Quran, by acknowledging the Second Coming of Jesus has, once again, affirmed the Bible's testimony that Jesus is the Messiah, and the Son of God.

## **THE SECOND COMING OF JESUS IS TO FULFILL THE PROPHECY OF THE FIRST COMING**

Jesus was already in heaven over 500 years before the Quran was ever even written. Jesus had nothing to do with the Quran, nor did he say the things that the Quran has falsified him as having said. Jesus was not a precursor to Muhammad, nor was he Muslim.

**DO NOT ATTEMPT TO CONNECT THE DIVINITY OF JESUS** – to Muhammad or Islam.

So, Muhammad, who supposedly corrected corruption within the Bible, and who is the author of Islam's most sacred Quran, was NOT chosen by God to come back and represent the "Law of the Quran?"

So, Muhammad, who according to Islam, was the "Final Prophet" of God, and who was so blessed and so favored by God that he was taken on a miraculous Night Journey where he ascended to heaven and spoke to God was NOT chosen by God for the Second Coming?

**Muhammad was not chosen by God for the Second Coming because he was never chosen by God in the first place.**

## **WHEN JESUS RETURNS YOU WILL KNOW HE IS LORD**

"Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail on account of him." So shall it be! Amen. (**Revelations 1:7**)

**HE WAS HERE. HE IS RISEN, AND HE SHALL COME AGAIN.**