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# IS ; TERRORISTS UNDER THE GUISE OF ISLAM



I remind myself and all  
of us to have the *taqwa*  
of Allah by fulfilling all  
of His Commands and  
avoiding all of His  
prohibitions.

On this blessed day, let  
us internalize upon a  
*khutbah* titled

***“IS ; Terrorists Under  
The Guise Of Islam”***

Let us refer to a *hadeeth*  
narrated by ‘Ali ibn Abi  
Taalib *radiyAllaahu’anh*  
where he heard Rasulullah  
صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ said:

***“There would arise at the  
end of the age a people  
who***

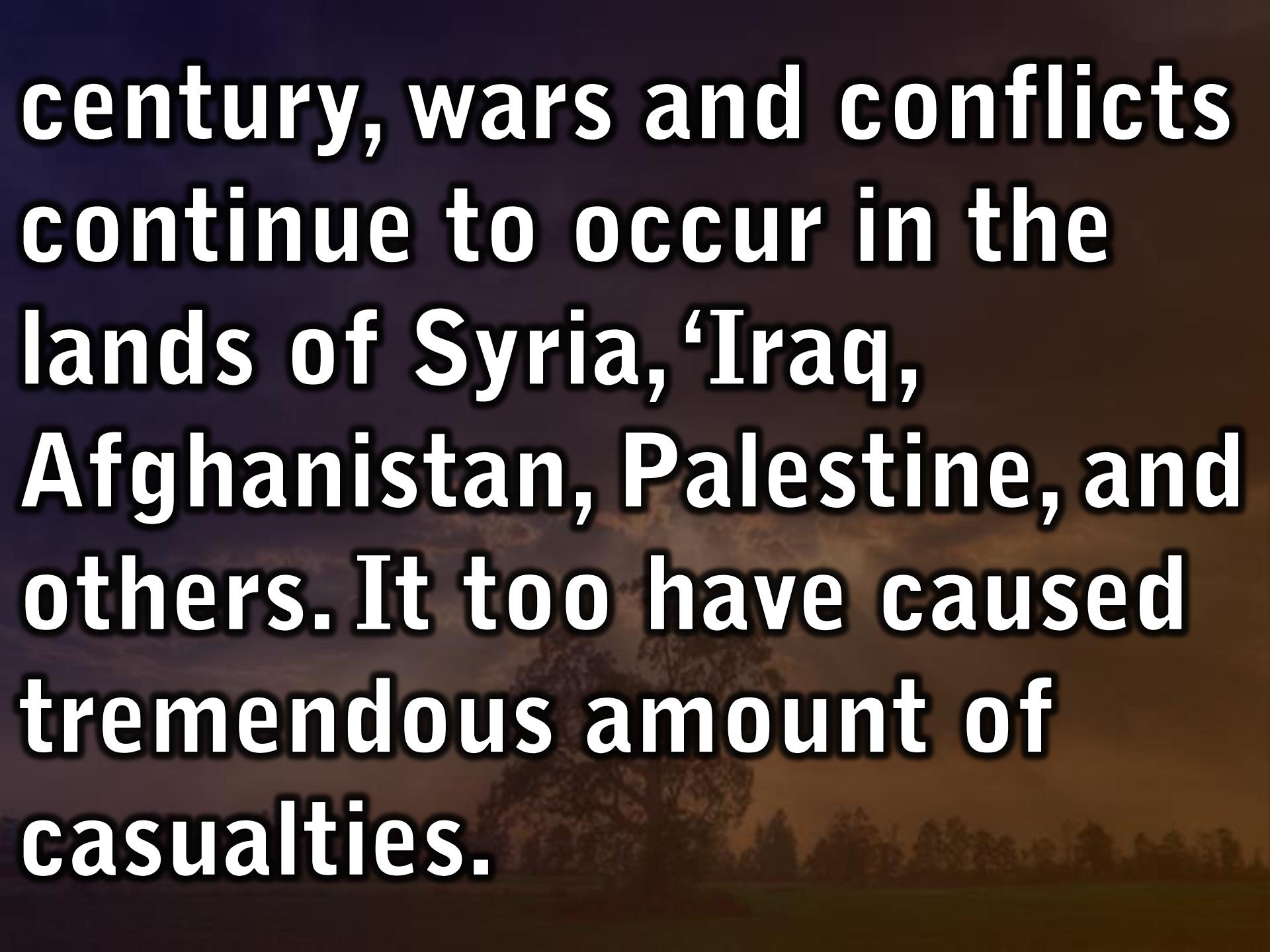
*would be young in age  
and immature in thought,  
but they would talk (in  
such a manner) as if their  
words are the best among  
the creatures. They would  
recite the Qur'an, but it*

*would not go beyond their throats, and they would pass through the religion as an arrow goes through the prey. So when you meet them, kill them, for in their killing you would get a*

*reward with Allah on  
the Day of Judgment”*

*(al-Bukhaari and Muslim)*

Today, the world is witnessing a staggering number of casualties due to wars and conflicts. Wars that occurred in the 20<sup>th</sup> century had caused millions of lives lost. Today, in the 21<sup>st</sup>

The background of the slide features a dark, moody landscape. In the foreground, there's a silhouette of what appears to be a forest or a group of trees against a lighter sky. Above them, the sky is filled with heavy, textured clouds, suggesting a sunset or sunrise. The overall color palette is dominated by dark blues, blacks, and hints of orange or yellow from the light filtering through the clouds.

century, wars and conflicts continue to occur in the lands of Syria, 'Iraq, Afghanistan, Palestine, and others. It too have caused tremendous amount of casualties.

What is more alarming this time is that it is as if the wars in Syria and ‘Iraq depicts the description mentioned in the *hadeeth*. Widespread killings such that the murderer does not even know why he needs

to kill and the murderer does not know the motive that he was he killed for. Mankind will kill at will. It will create a situation of *fitnah*, so much so, that even opposing groups would not know who

are their actual friends  
and foes.

In the recent massacre in  
Paris, the IS militants  
claimed responsibility in  
carrying out those  
terrorist attacks.

**Unfortunately, some of us  
actually supports a  
particular group solely  
based on their spirit  
without knowing really  
knowing who they are.**

**Who are these people? The history of IS' establishment was traced to a group led by Abu Musa az-Zarqawi, who founded Jamaa‘ah Tawheed wal-Jihaad some time in 1999.**

The group that was originally established to oppose the invasion of ‘Iraq by the US troops has gone to the extreme not only against the enemies of Islam, but also against Muslims who

were loosely accused of collaborating with the enemies of Islam. In the end, anyone who disagrees with them will be accused as the enemy's stooge and convicted as an apostate or

disbeliever. In 2004, this group had pledged (*bay'ah*) to become an ally of al-Qaeda and became known as Tanzeem al-Qaeda in ‘Iraq. After Abu Mus‘ab az-Zarqawi was killed in 2006,

the leadership position was assumed by Abu Ayyoob al-Masri whom declared the establishment of “Dawlah Islam Fee ‘Iraaq” (Islamic State in ‘Iraq – ISI). In 2010, Abu Ayyoob was killed and

succeeded by Abu Bakr al-Baghdaadi, who was announced killed on the 11<sup>th</sup> of October, 2015. When the Syrian crisis began in 2011, they expanded their influence into Syria and

began using the name Islamic State in ‘Iraq and *Shaam* (ISIS), and now known as IS.

However, in February 2014, al-Qaeda that is seen as an extremist group had rejected

and severed their relationship with IS due to IS being too extreme in their actions.

Among the cruelty and extreme actions committed by IS were:

1. The beheading of journalist Jeremy Foley who was accused of being an agent for the US.

**2. The beheading of two  
Japanese humanitarian  
activists as a warning to  
the Japanese government  
to not get involved in the  
'Iraqi and Syrian crises.**

**3. Burning alive the  
Jordanian pilot, Mu‘adh  
Yoosuf al-Kasasibah, a  
Sunni Muslim, for  
participating in the  
attack against IS.**

**4. Killing the prisoners by drowning them.**

**5. Killing the prisoners of war by locking them up in a car and then launching a rocket into the car, destroying everything.**

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- 6. Tying explosives to the neck of a prisoner and detonating the bomb causing the head to separate from the body.**
- 7. Raping female prisoners for they are deemed as slave**

**prisoners of war.**

**8. Among other violent crimes committed by them was destroying houses of worship and graveyard, and indiscriminate killing of civilians regardless whether**

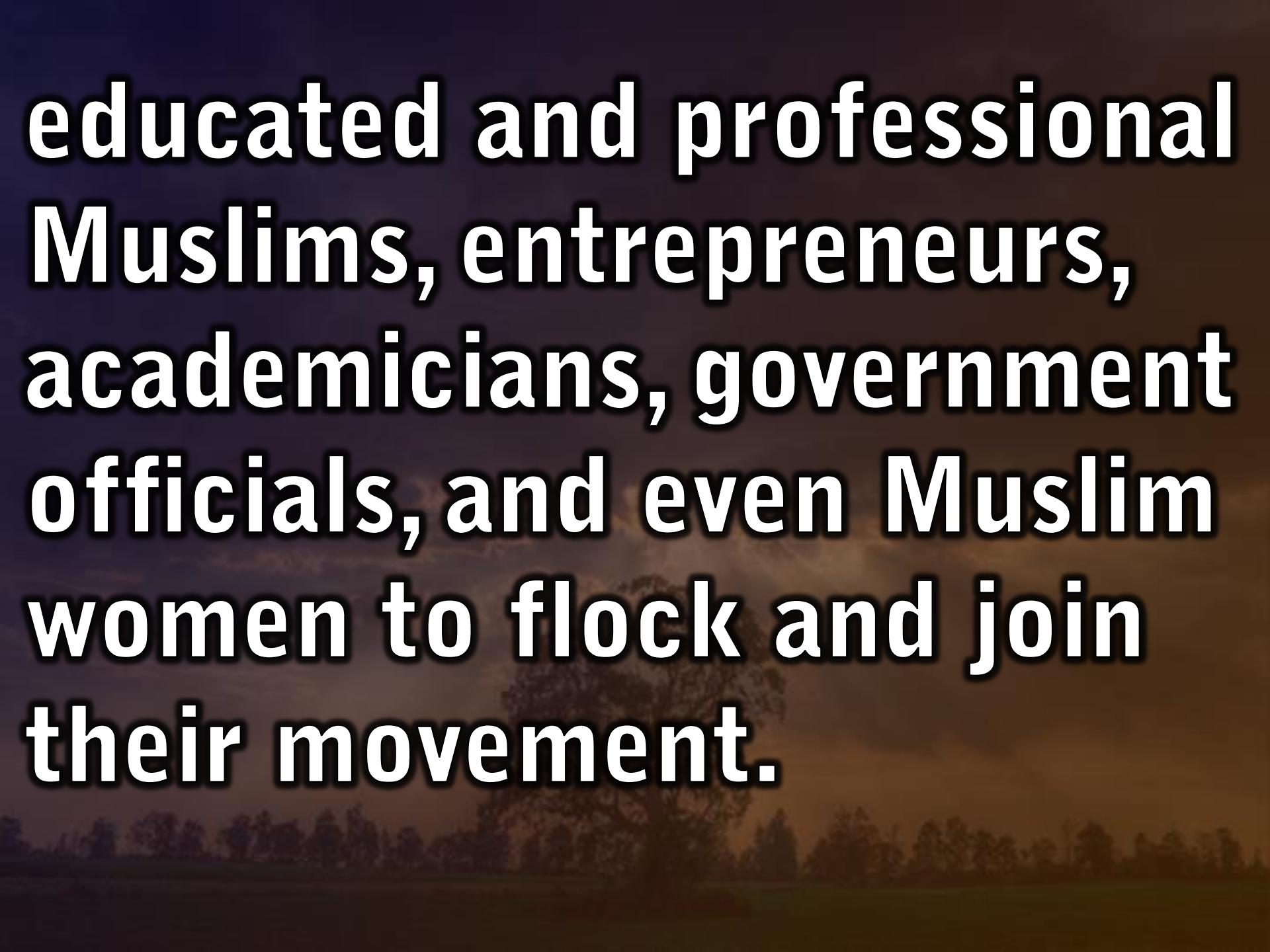
**they are adults, women, or  
children.**

**These are only a fraction  
of the violent crimes that  
IS had committed without  
adhering to the *Sharee'ah*  
and *akhlaaq* of Islam.**

These accounts of the killings by IS were not obtained from the Western media who may have their own vested interest, but instead were taken from sources published by IS

**themselves who not only  
admitted their own  
doings openly, but even  
disseminated them with  
pride.**

Ignorance in the *fiqh* of  
*jihad* will cause some of  
the Muslims to support  
this group that thrives  
upon violence and  
injustice. This group has  
successfully infiltrated the  
minds of



**educated and professional  
Muslims, entrepreneurs,  
academicians, government  
officials, and even Muslim  
women to flock and join  
their movement.**

**IS commits murder,  
slaughter, and bombing on a  
daily basis, wrongfully and  
heinous, not only to the  
non-Muslims but also to the  
Muslims including scholars  
who disagree with their**

view. This is clearly against the true concept of *jihad* espoused by Islam.

Realizing how dangerous the creed and ideology of IS upon the ‘aqeedah and national security, then the

Muslims must shun the teachings and ideology of IS for they have deviated and contradicted the true Islamic teachings according to creed of *Ahl as-Sunnah wal-Jamaa'ah*.

Among the deviations that can be detected:

1. Establishing *Dawlah* (sovereign) IS through the method of *jihad Qitaal* (killing/offensive) and violence by way of killing

the enemy and innocent civilians unjustly. Furthermore, they firmly assert that those who do not participate in their *jihad* have committed a major sin.

**2. IS declares *kufr*  
(disbelief) upon Muslims  
practicing the democratic  
system, and being  
involved in election and  
partisanship.**

**3. The existence of other Islamic nations other than IS are deemed as kaafir (disbeliever) states and they are obligated to be fought.**

**4. They declare kufr upon those who are not in**

agreement with them and  
deem their blood as  
'lawful' including Muslim  
rulers that do not uphold  
the *Sharee'ah* within the  
nation.

**5. They declared  
themselves as a *Dawlah*  
(sovereignty) illegally  
without receiving  
recognition from anyone  
including the International  
Union of Muslim Scholars.**

The fiery passion but devoid of knowledge possessed by IS will result in an approach that is very rigid and extreme, like the ones emerged with the Khawaarij where they would easily

**make *takfeer*  
(excommunicate) upon  
anyone who do not support  
their movement,  
irrespective of their  
background and reason for  
rejecting them. They would  
establish**

evidence from Qur'anic  
texts wrongfully without  
referring to the  
explanation through  
*ahaadeeth* and *tafseer* of  
the scholars.

In concluding today's  
*khutbah*, let us  
comprehend and ponder  
upon these matters:  
1- Islam strongly prohibits  
any form of violence and  
killing without rights

committed by anyone upon  
Muslims or non-Muslims.

2- The Muslims are  
prohibited from  
participating in any form  
of extreme actions by any  
group including IS.

**3- The Muslims must strengthen their *imaan* and empower their Islam with authentic knowledge, as well as preserving harmony with Muslims and non-Muslims alike.**

**4- Parents, educators, and leaders must exercise their very role in monitoring and preventing the spread of IS ideology.**

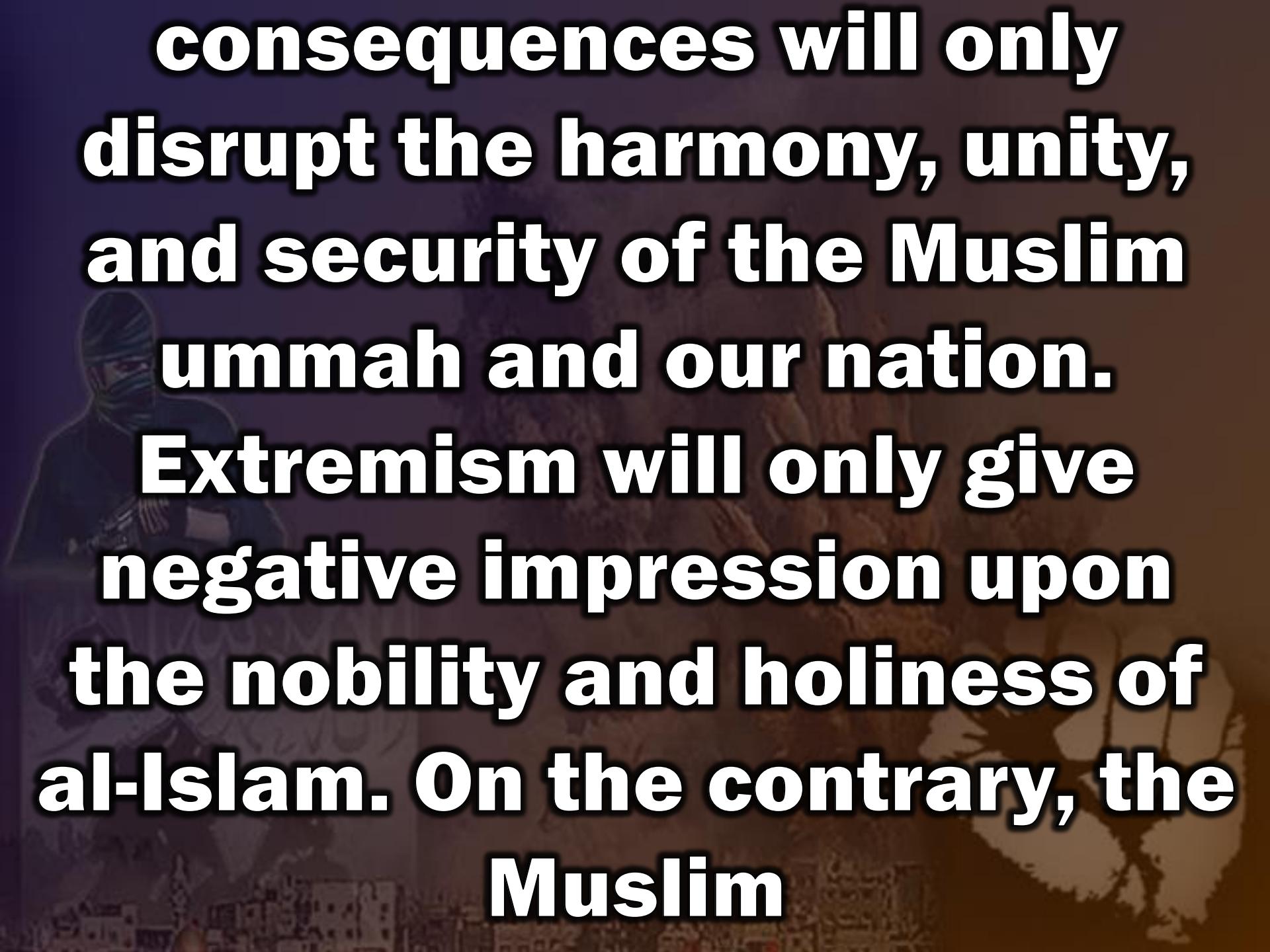
*“But whoever kills a  
believer intentionally - his  
recompense is Hell,  
wherein he will abide  
eternally, and Allah has  
become angry*

*with him and has  
cursed him and has  
prepared for him a  
great punishment”*

(al-Nisaa' 4:93)

بَارَكَ اللَّهُ لِيْ وَلَكُمْ فِي الْقُرْآنِ الْعَظِيمِ وَنَفَعَنِي  
وَإِيَّاكُمْ بِمَا فِيهِ مِنَ الْآيَاتِ وَالذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيمِ  
وَتَقَبَّلَ مِنِّي وَمِنْكُمْ تِلَاوَتُهُ إِنَّهُ هُوَ السَّمِيعُ  
الْعَلِيمُ. أَقُولُ قَوْلِيْ هَذَا وَأَسْتَغْفِرُ اللَّهَ الْعَظِيمَ  
لِيْ وَلَكُمْ وَلِسَائِرِ الْمُسْلِمِينَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ  
وَالْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ الْأَحْيَاءِ مِنْهُمْ  
وَالْأَمْوَاتِ فَاسْتَغْفِرُوهُ  
إِنَّهُ هُوَ الْغَفُورُ الرَّحِيمُ

**Once again, I would like to  
remind all of us that Islam  
teach its adherents to remain  
moderate in all actions and  
deeds. At the same time, the  
Muslims are to avoid any  
form of extremism in which  
its**



**consequences will only disrupt the harmony, unity, and security of the Muslim ummah and our nation.**

**Extremism will only give negative impression upon the nobility and holiness of al-Islam. On the contrary, the Muslim**

**ummah must inculcate noble akhlaaq, having utmost personality and attitude as true Muslims so that the world will know that Rasulullah (صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم) was sent down as a messenger, and Islam that was revealed is mercy**

**for the entire nation and  
universe.**



**O Allah, You are the Lord that  
is All Mighty, we are grateful  
to You for having bestowed  
upon us *rahmah* and *ni'mah*,  
that we are able to continue  
the effort in empowering the  
Muslim *ummah* especially in  
Selangor, as an**

**advanced state, prosperous,  
and providing welfare.**

**Hence, we sincerely beseech  
you, O Allah, strengthen our  
*imaan*, accept our deeds,  
strengthen our unity,  
increase our *rizq*, enrich us  
with**

**beneficial knowledge,  
cultivate our soul with good  
mannerisms, return us to the  
path that you are pleased with,  
protect us from disasters and  
your severe trials, so that our  
nation will become more  
peaceful and filled with  
blessings.**

**O Allah, we sincerely beseech  
you, strengthen our beliefs  
according to the creed of  
*Ahlus Sunnah wal-Jamaa'ah*,  
and protect us from deeds and  
'aqeedah that are astray such  
as the extreme Shee'iis,  
*Qadiyani*, and other  
ideologies.**

**O Allah, open up our hearts in fulfilling the five daily prayers, performing zakaat, and other obligations. Bless those that have fulfilled their zakaat and loving the *fuqaraa'* and *masaakin*, and those that have**

**made waqf and gave up their  
wealth for *Tabung Amanah  
Pembangunan Islam Selangor*  
(Islamic Development Trust  
Fund of Selangor) with  
continuous reward until the  
Hereafter.**

**O Allah, increase and widen  
the *rizq* of those that made  
*waqf* from their wealth with  
perpetual rewards until the  
Last Day.**



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*DISEDIAKAN OLEH :*

**UNIT KHUTBAH,**

**BAHAGIAN PENGURUSAN MASJID,**  
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