



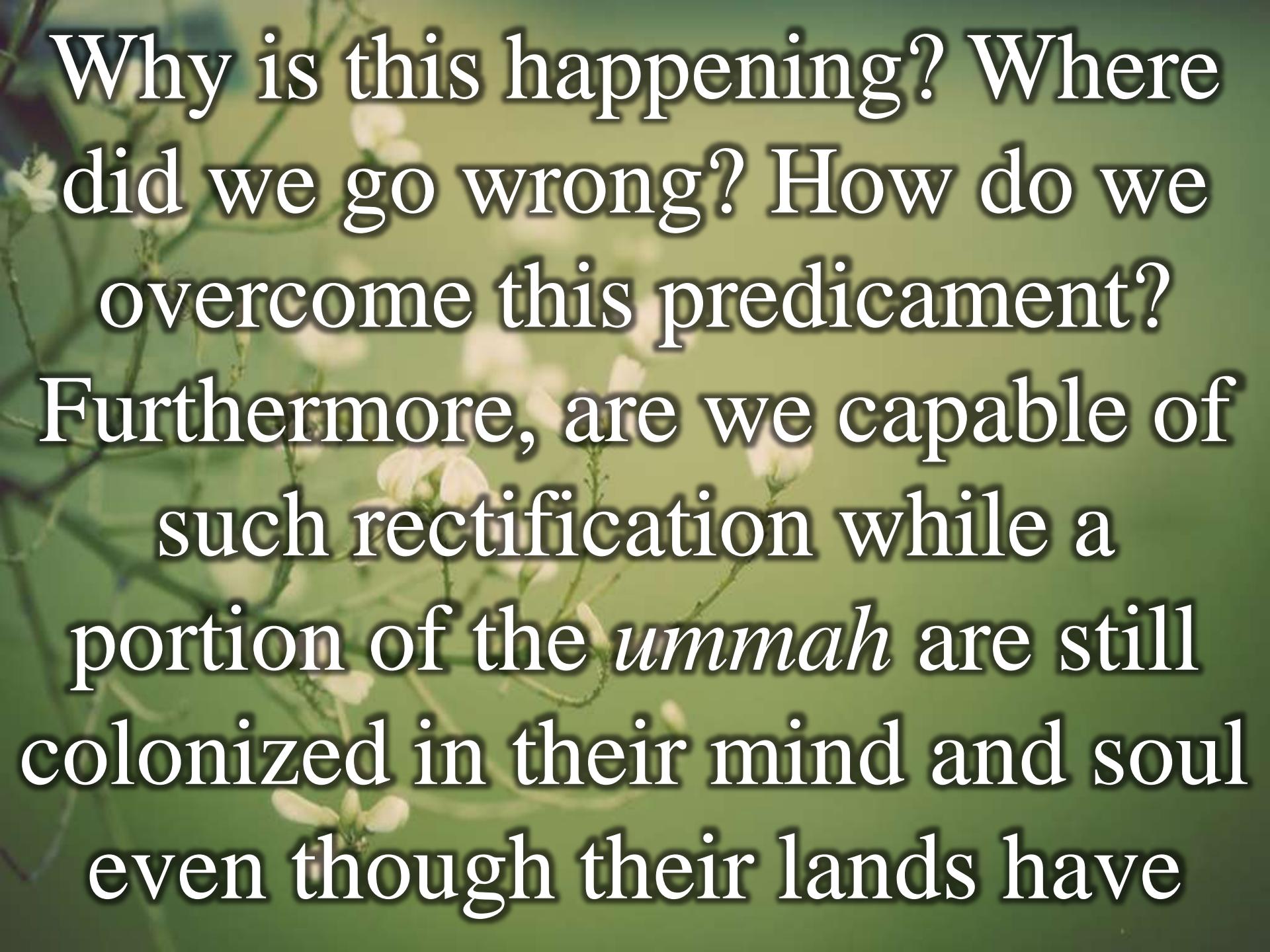
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LIBERATE THE
COLONIZED
MIND



Let us have the *taqwa* of Allah
Subhaanahu Wata 'aala by performing
all of His Commands and avoiding all
of His prohibitions. Truly, the best of
people in the Sight of Allah
Subhaanahu Wata 'aala are those with
utmost *taqwa*

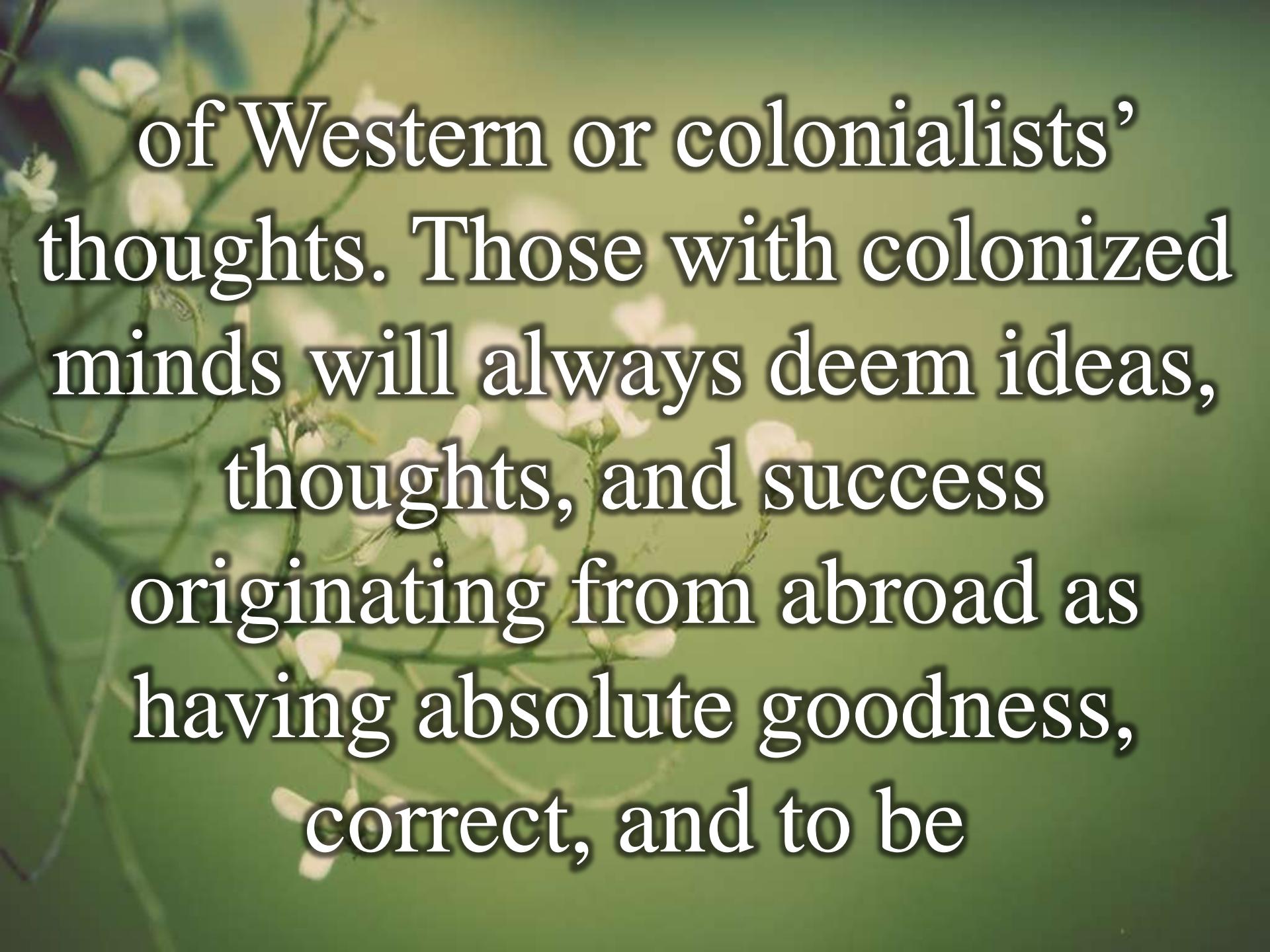
The Muslim *ummah* of the past were glorious with tremendous contributions to the civilization of mankind. However, today it has all changed. The Muslim *ummah* are now tremendously lagging behind in various aspects.



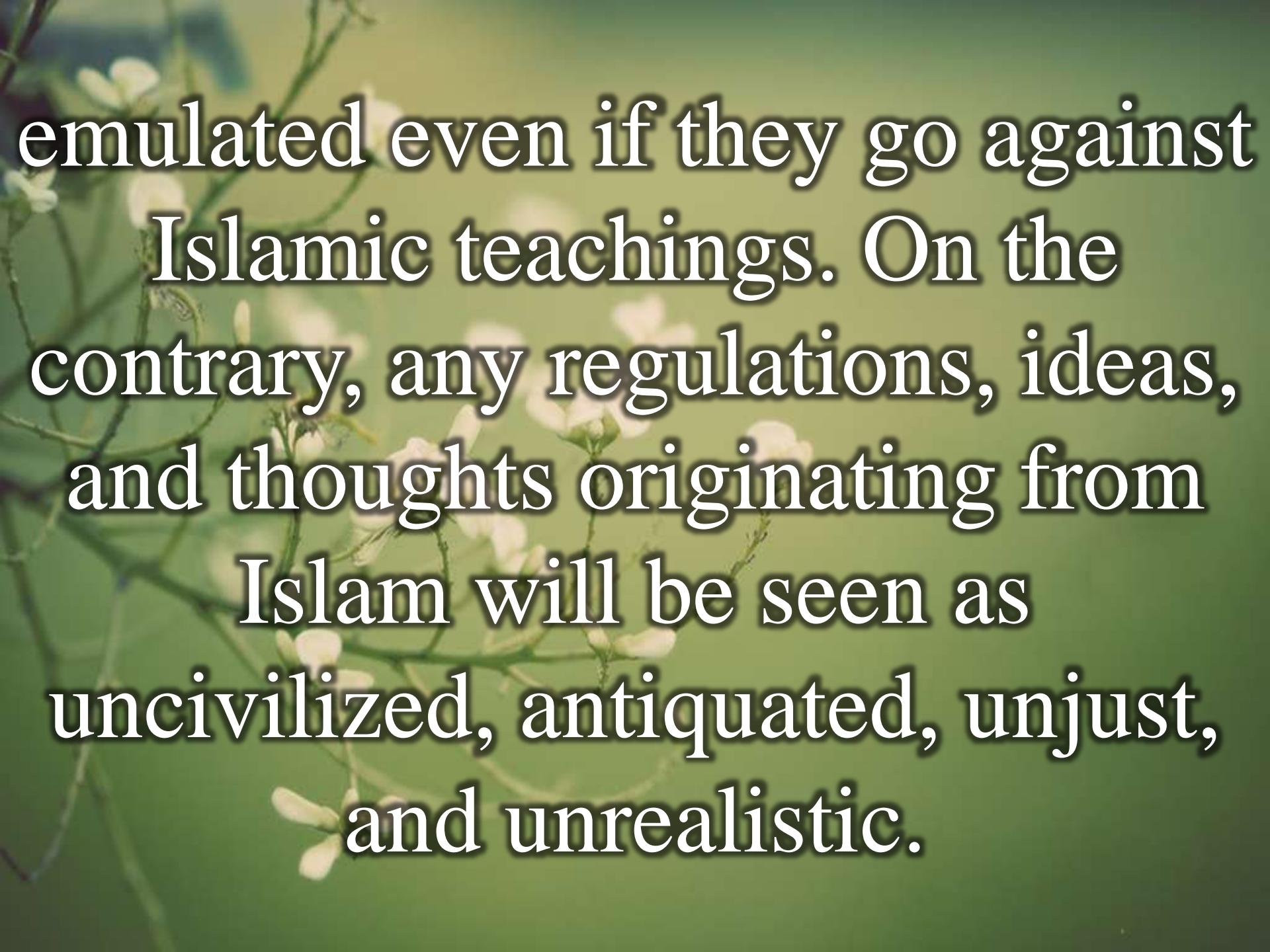
Why is this happening? Where
did we go wrong? How do we
overcome this predicament?

Furthermore, are we capable of
such rectification while a
portion of the *ummah* are still
colonized in their mind and soul
even though their lands have

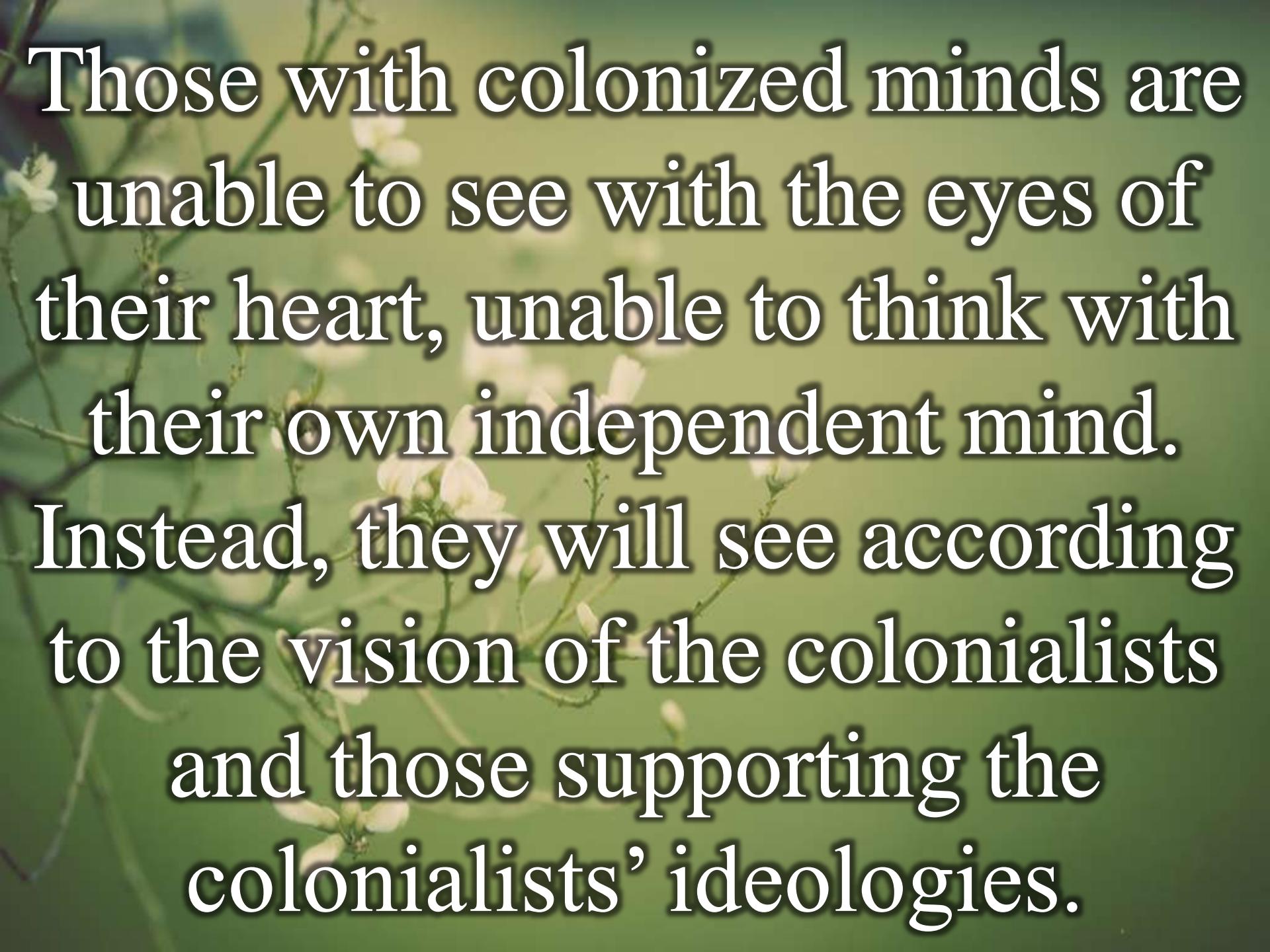
long gained independence?
The colonization of the mind
and soul is when the Muslim
ummah, even though highly
educated and intellectual, are
incapable of liberating
themselves from the shackles



of Western or colonialists' thoughts. Those with colonized minds will always deem ideas, thoughts, and success originating from abroad as having absolute goodness, correct, and to be



emulated even if they go against Islamic teachings. On the contrary, any regulations, ideas, and thoughts originating from Islam will be seen as uncivilized, antiquated, unjust, and unrealistic.



Those with colonized minds are unable to see with the eyes of their heart, unable to think with their own independent mind. Instead, they will see according to the vision of the colonialists and those supporting the colonialists' ideologies.

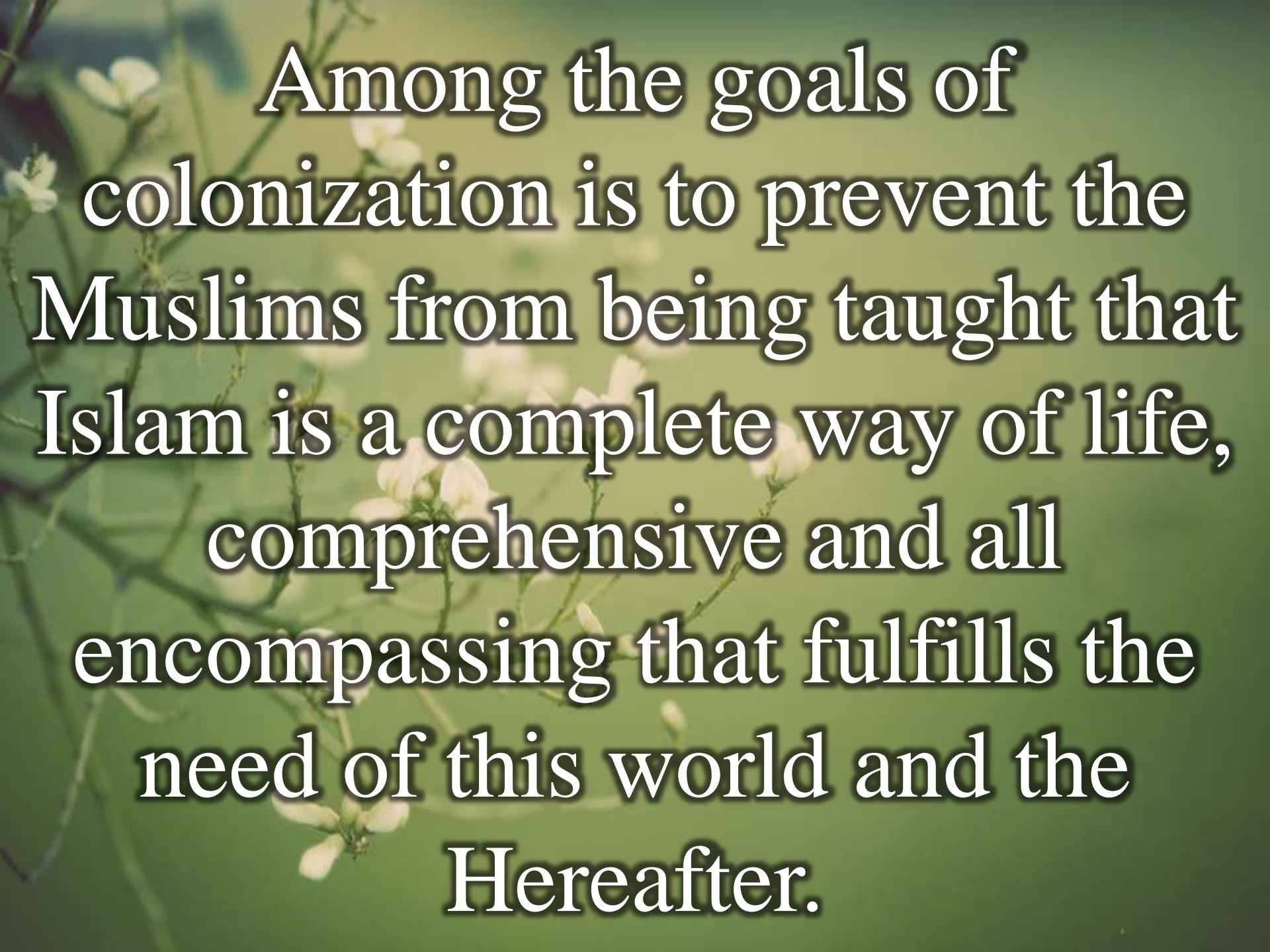
In result, their very self-identity, character, and integrity become weakened. Indeed, this was all well planned by the colonial power through the implementation of an educational policy that neglects the comprehensiveness of Islam.

The colonialists had malicious intent and intended destruction especially of the minds and thoughts of the colonized population so that they become astray from the Truth of Islam.

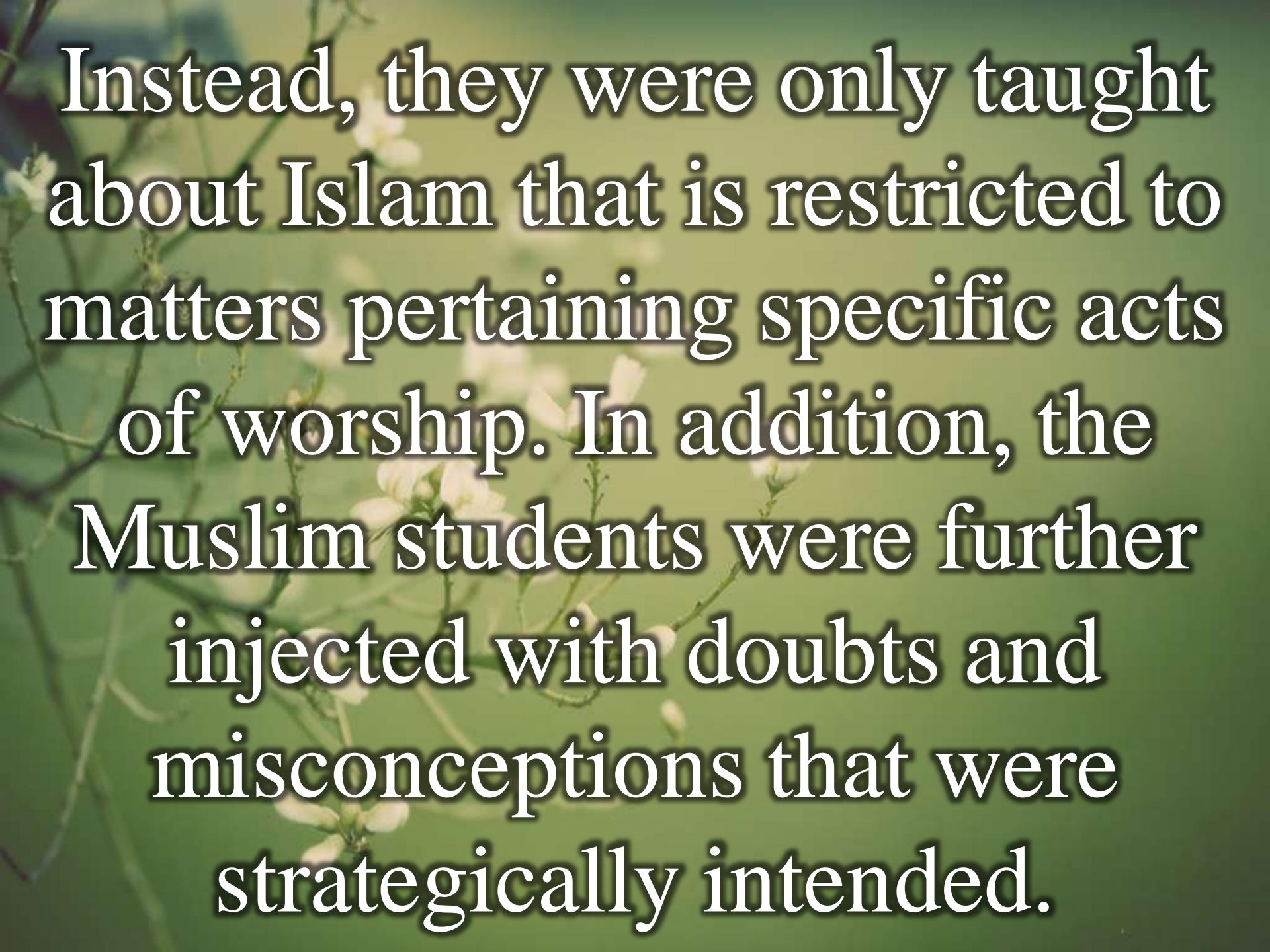
Allah *Subhaanahu Wata'aala* mentions in al-Qur'an:

“And never will the Jews or
the Christians approve of you
until you follow their
religion...”

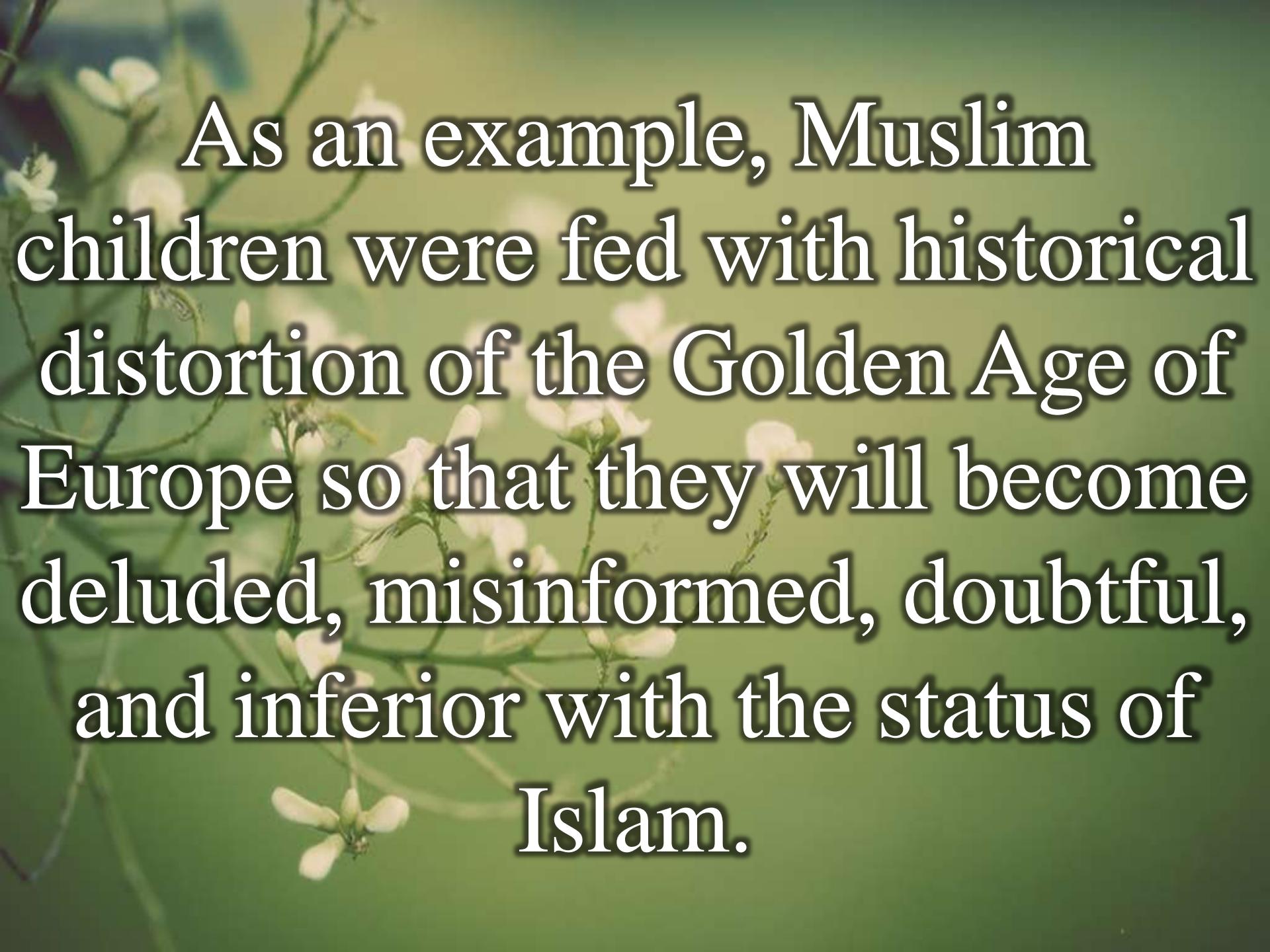
(al-Baqarah 2:120)



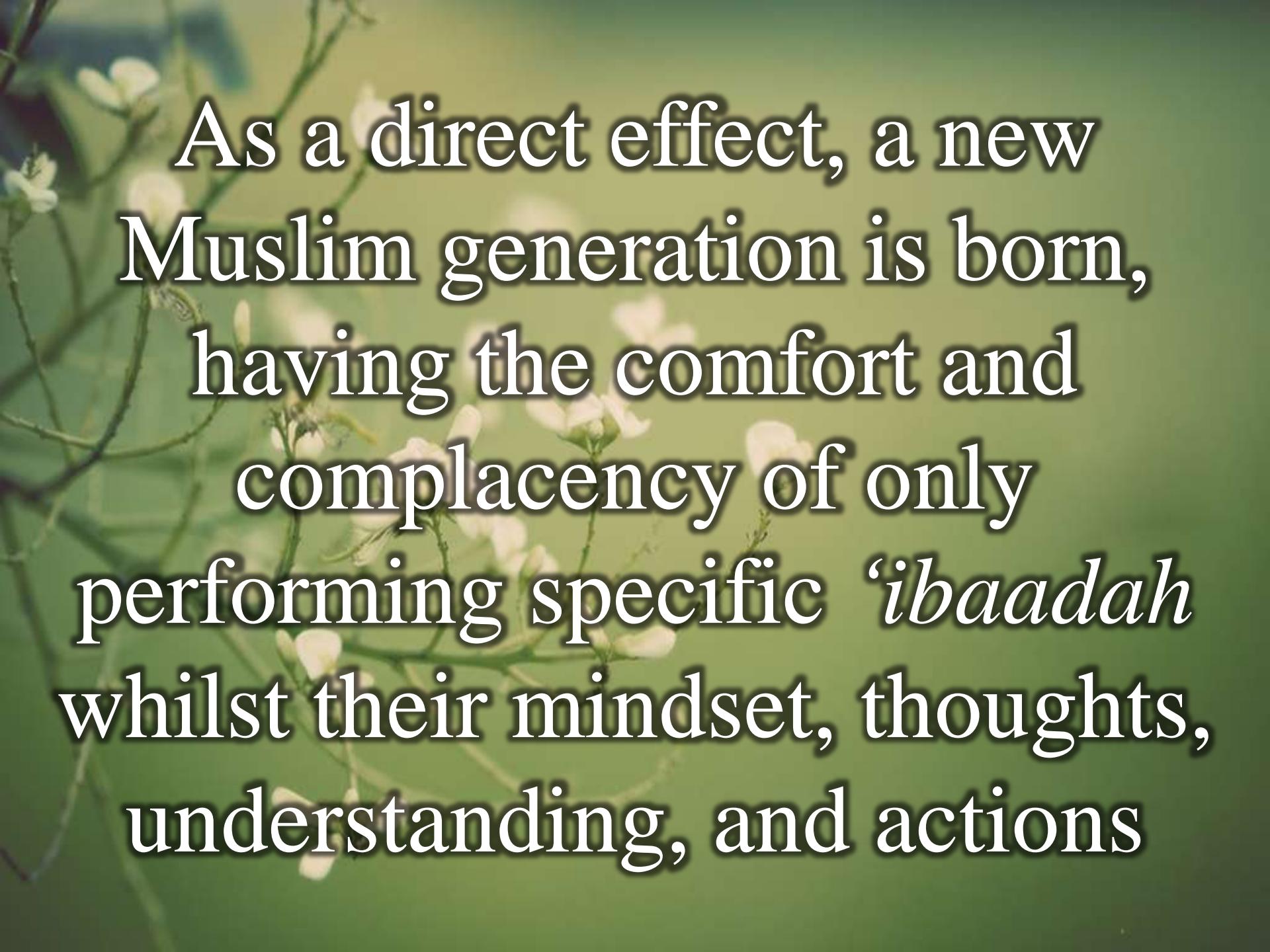
Among the goals of colonization is to prevent the Muslims from being taught that Islam is a complete way of life, comprehensive and all encompassing that fulfills the need of this world and the Hereafter.

A soft-focus photograph of a green field with delicate white flowers, possibly jasmine, scattered across the surface.

Instead, they were only taught about Islam that is restricted to matters pertaining specific acts of worship. In addition, the Muslim students were further injected with doubts and misconceptions that were strategically intended.



As an example, Muslim children were fed with historical distortion of the Golden Age of Europe so that they will become deluded, misinformed, doubtful, and inferior with the status of Islam.

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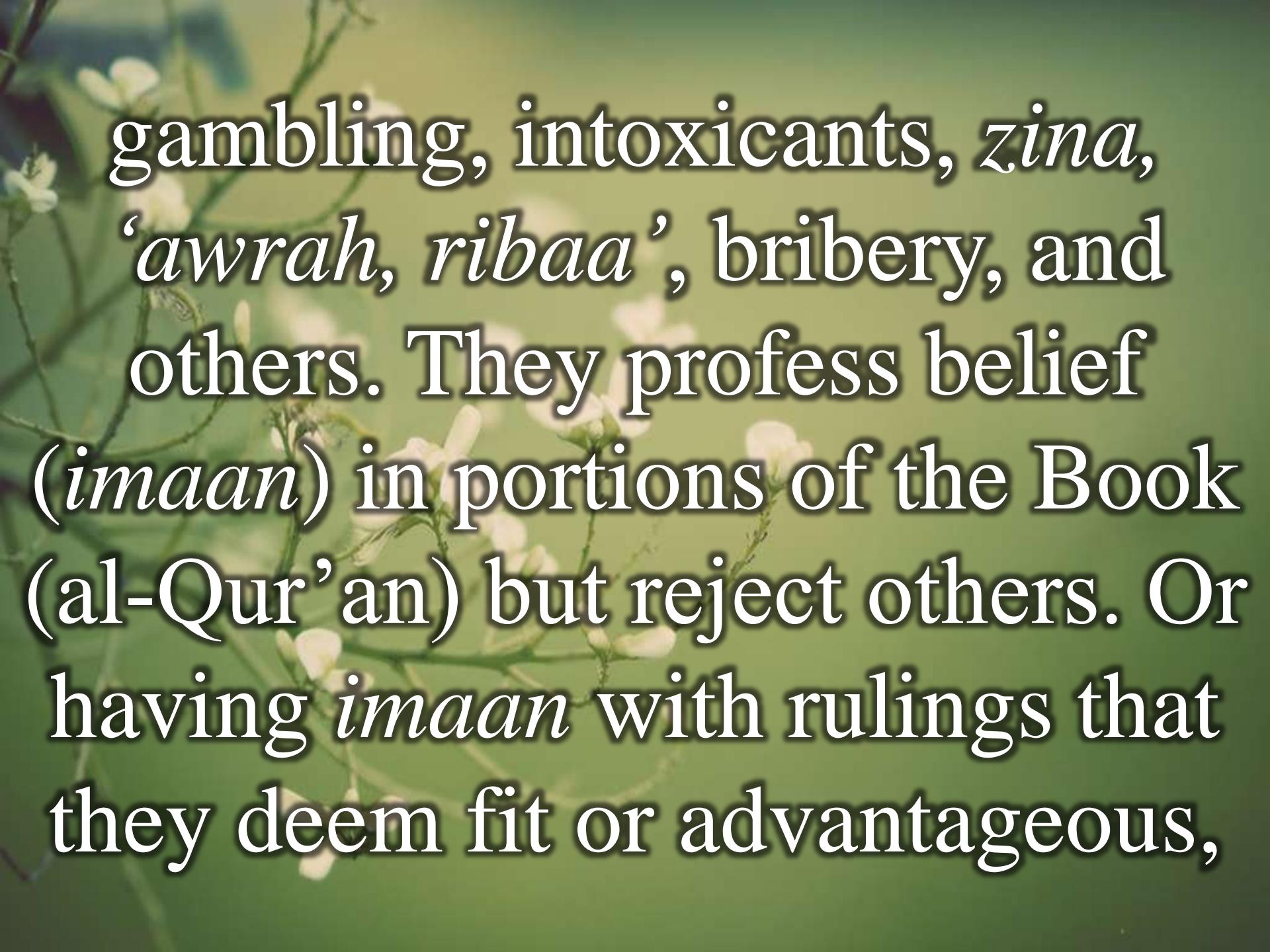
As a direct effect, a new Muslim generation is born, having the comfort and complacency of only performing specific ‘*ibaadah* whilst their mindset, thoughts, understanding, and actions

are in contradiction with Islamic teachings. Hence, we still find the colonialists' schools and tertiary institutions operating in many Muslim lands that were once colonized. Through this educational planning, the colonialists were able to



continue their very agenda in
keeping their grip in colonizing
the minds of the Muslims even
though their lands have long
gained independence.

In addition, we have among us Muslims that are lacking confidence, confused, or in doubt. Even saddening are those that are brazen in openly challenging the *Sharee'ah*, questioning issues pertaining *hudud*, inheritance law,



gambling, intoxicants, *zina*,
'awrah, ribaa', bribery, and
others. They profess belief
(*imaan*) in portions of the Book
(al-Qur'an) but reject others. Or
having *imaan* with rulings that
they deem fit or advantageous,

and leave out those rulings that they perceive as adversarial or controversial. Allah

Subhaanahu Wata‘aala
mentions in al-Qur’ān:

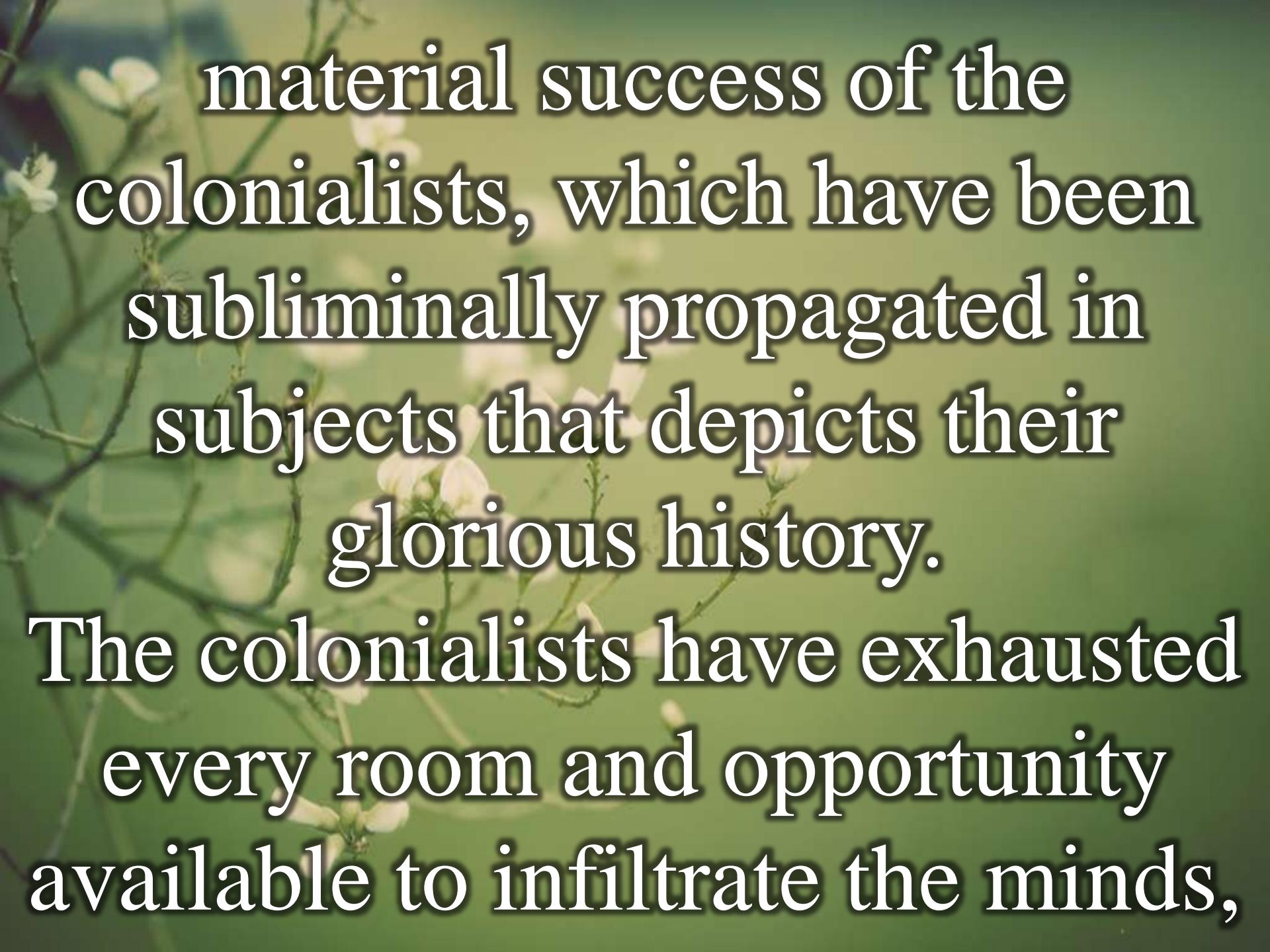
“... So do you believe in part of the Scripture and disbelieve in part? Then what is the recompense for those who do that among you except disgrace in worldly life;

and on the Day of Resurrection they will be sent back to the severest of punishment. And Allah is not unaware of what you do.”

(al-Baqarah 2:85)

There are some Muslims that failed to comprehend that Islam provides an economic system, legislative, administrative, political, social, educational, and communal system that are complete, extensive, and superior.

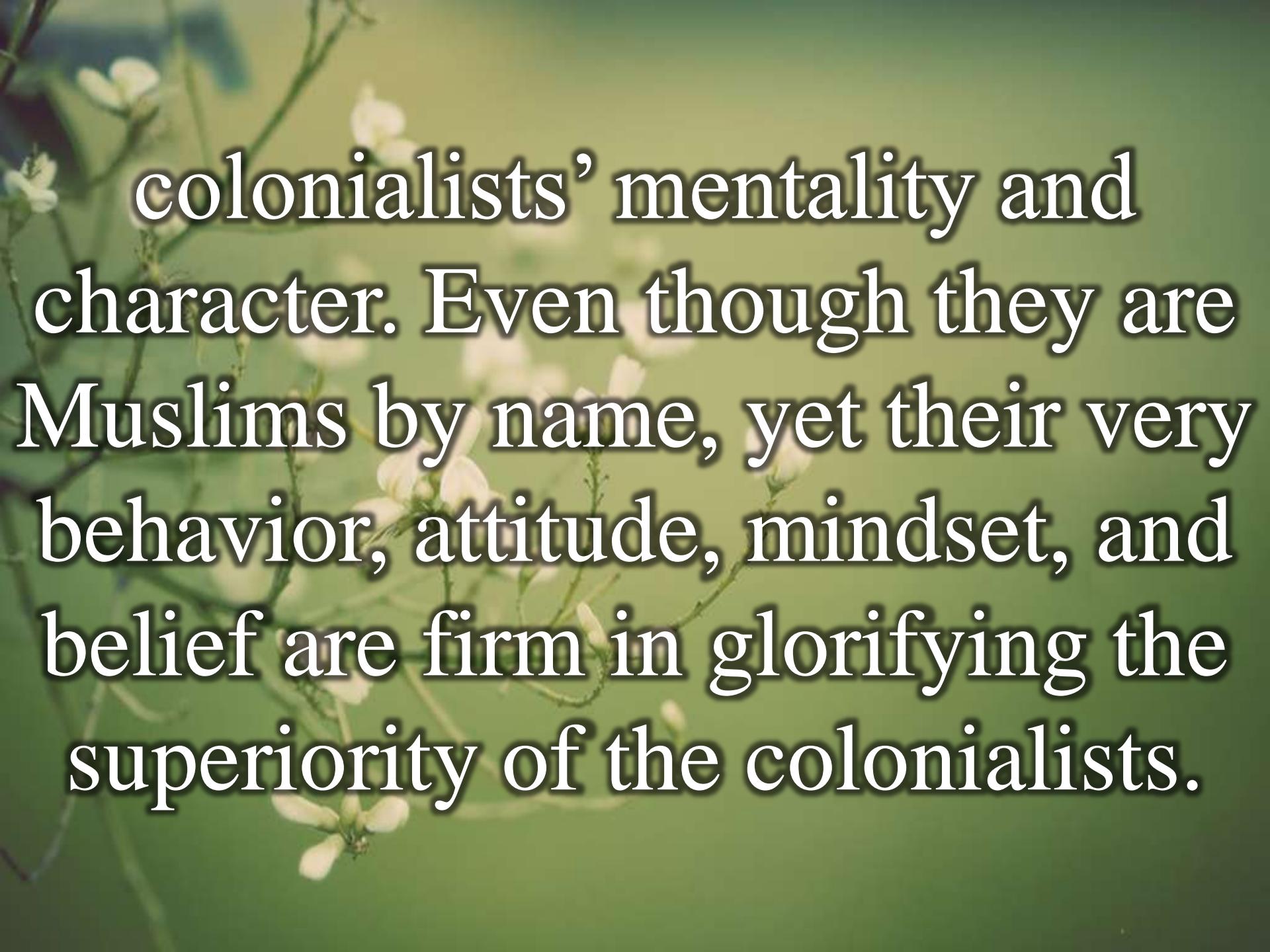
They have been hoodwinked since their primary education to their tertiary education. The colonialists were successful in separating some Muslim students from the authentic ‘aqeedah after being disillusioned and duped with the



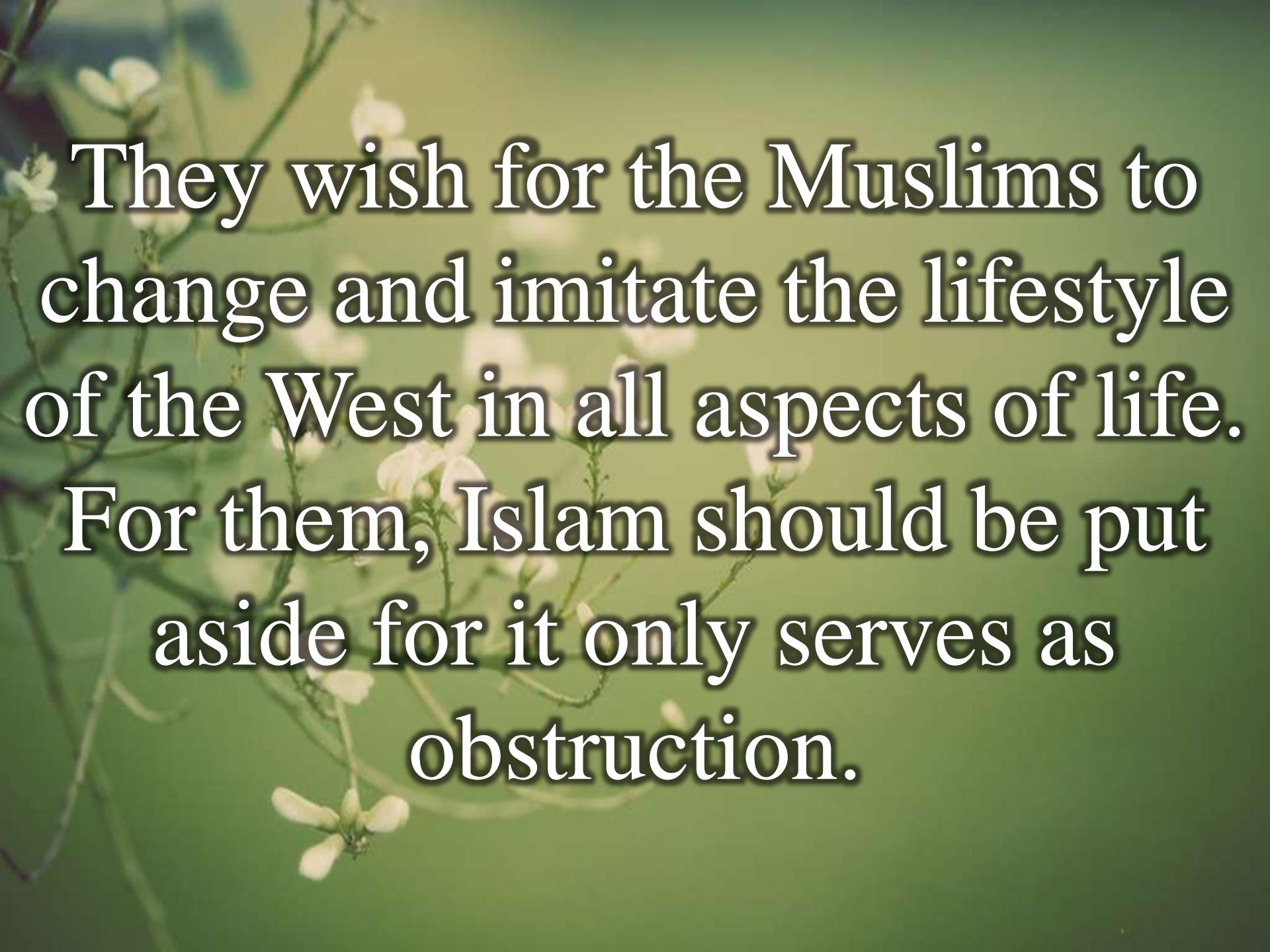
material success of the colonialists, which have been subliminally propagated in subjects that depicts their glorious history.

The colonialists have exhausted every room and opportunity available to infiltrate the minds,

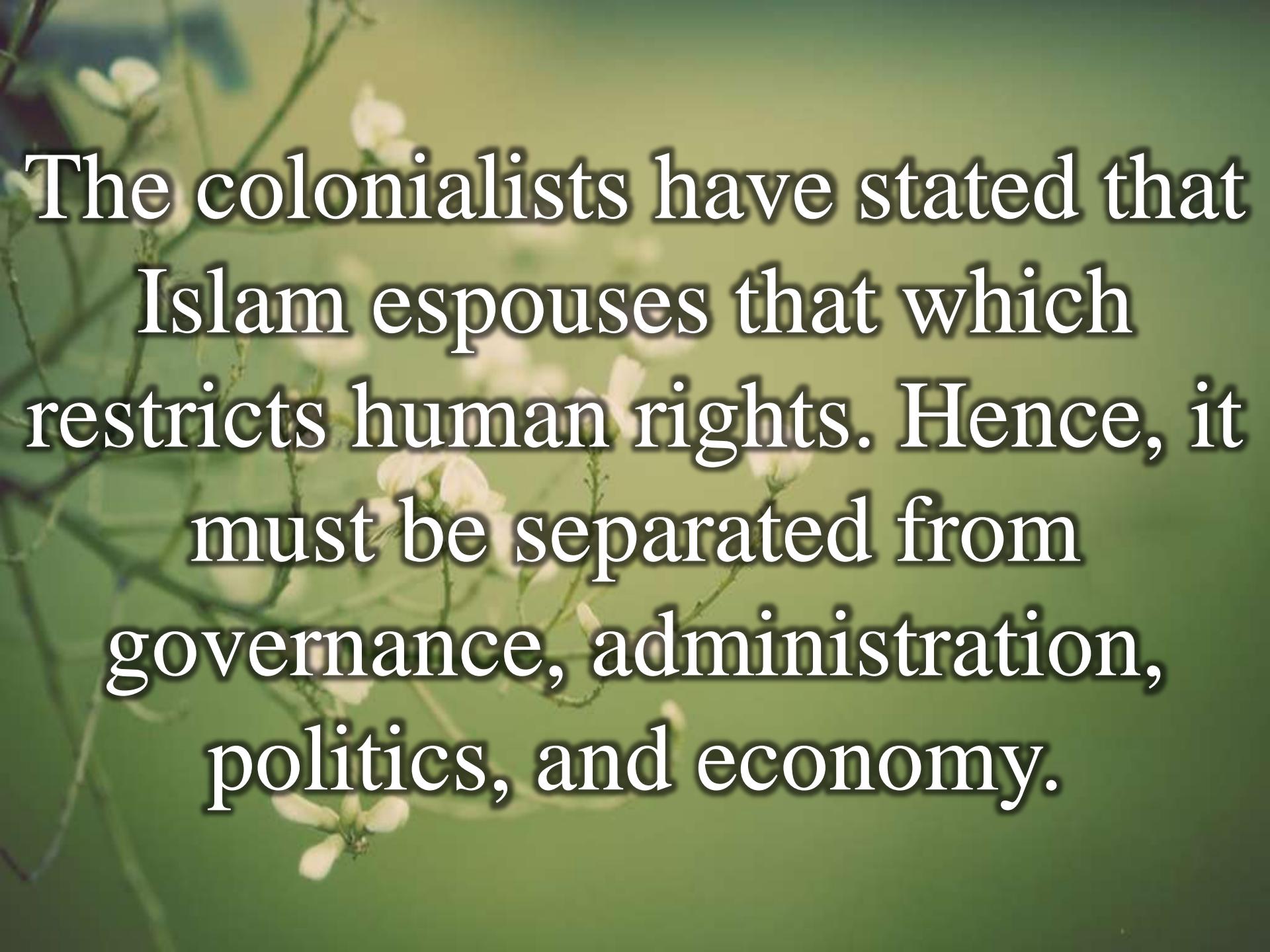
ideas, and perspectives of the Muslim *ummah*. Thus their diligence in destructing, corroding, and weakening the faith of the Muslims in various ways. It is evident that their strategy had bore fruits in producing Muslims having



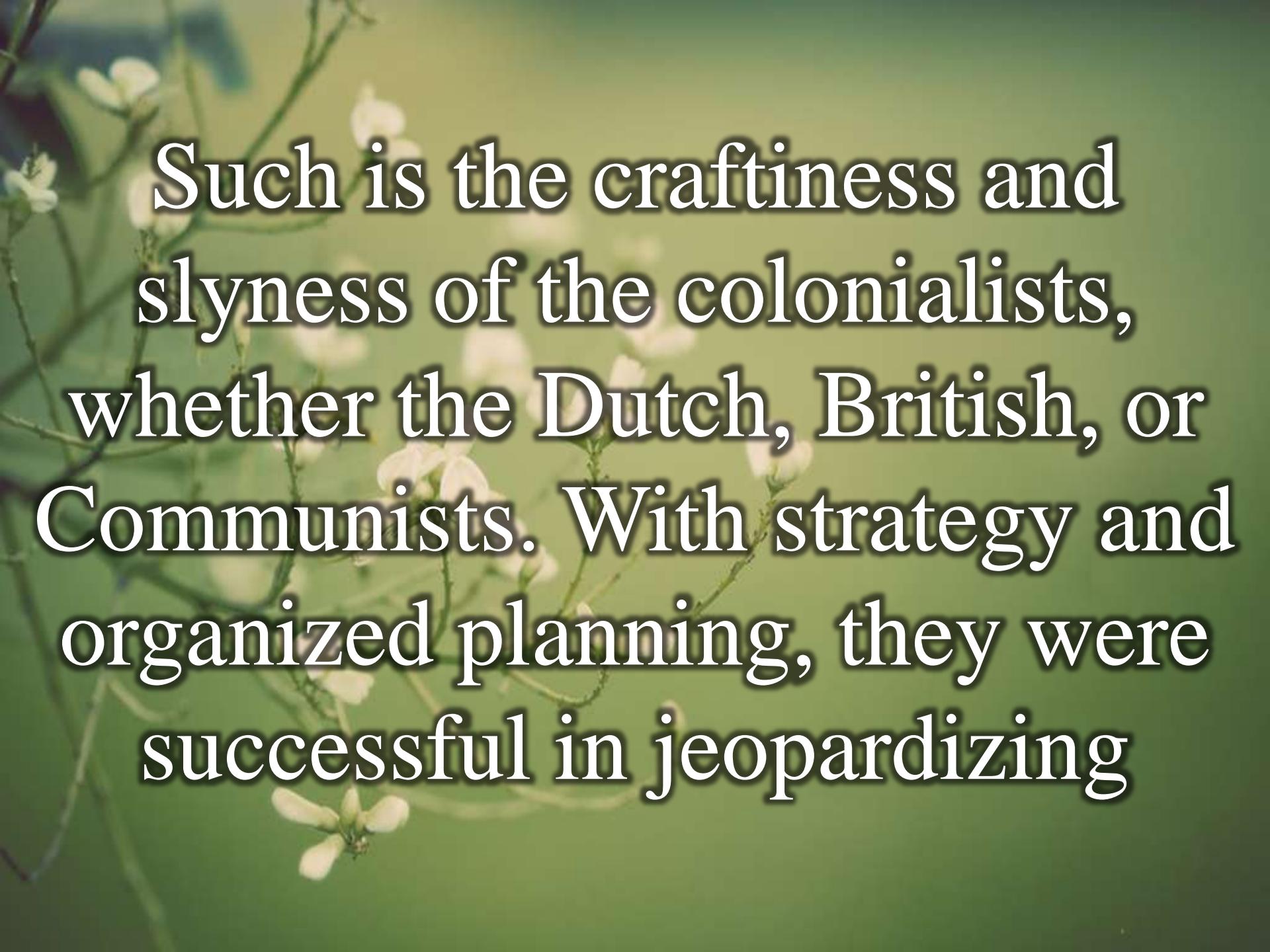
colonialists' mentality and character. Even though they are Muslims by name, yet their very behavior, attitude, mindset, and belief are firm in glorifying the superiority of the colonialists.



They wish for the Muslims to change and imitate the lifestyle of the West in all aspects of life. For them, Islam should be put aside for it only serves as obstruction.



The colonialists have stated that Islam espouses that which restricts human rights. Hence, it must be separated from governance, administration, politics, and economy.



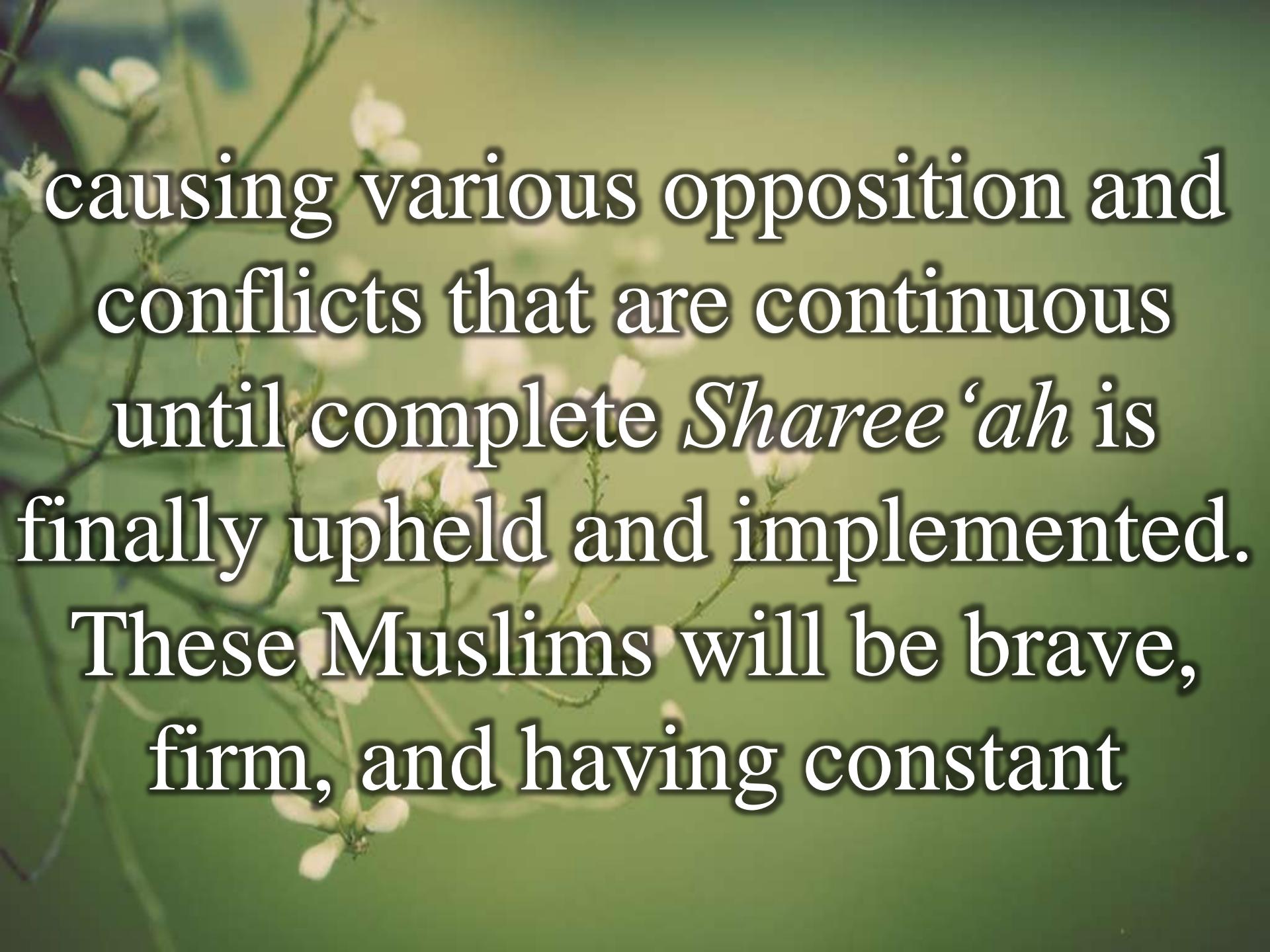
Such is the craftiness and slyness of the colonialists, whether the Dutch, British, or Communists. With strategy and organized planning, they were successful in jeopardizing

and corrupting the ‘*aqeedah* of significant population of the Muslims. The Muslim *ummah* had to endure lies and distortions about Islam for many centuries. Those remaining Muslims with colonized minds and soul are now carrying out

the propaganda claiming that the *Sharee'ah* is not suitable to be implemented in our times.

They proclaim that Islam must be suited and revamped according to the evolving and progression of time, not its opposite.

Indeed, these people have corrupted ‘*aqeedah*, misguided, and deviated. Despite all these, we are grateful for there are still many Muslims that stood up with positive reaction and firmness upon Islam. From then onwards lies the clash,



causing various opposition and conflicts that are continuous until complete *Sharee'ah* is finally upheld and implemented.

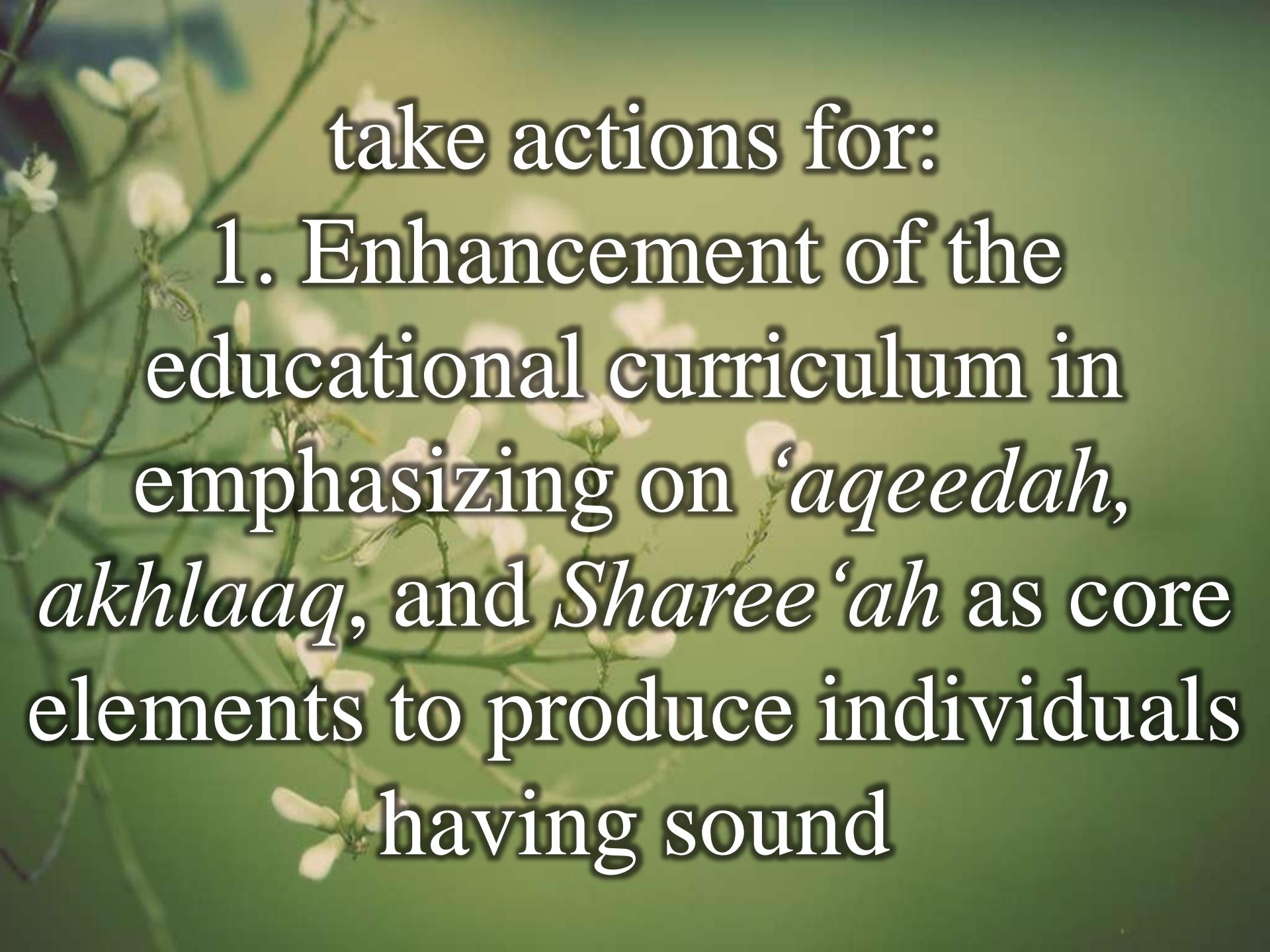
These Muslims will be brave, firm, and having constant

istiqaamah in conveying the *risaalah*, giving advice and admonition whether written or verbal, with *hikmah* and intelligence so that Islam will always be upheld and ennobled.

In conclusion:

Based on this reality, it behooves the Muslim *ummah* to rise and return in rectifying all the existing mistakes. We must rid off all misconceptions, ideas, thoughts, attitudes, and behaviors that have ruined the

image of our *deen* in the eyes of the world. Verily, we are truly blessed to be Muslims even though countless efforts were done to destroy Islam, except that Islam stayed firm and keeps growing. For this, the Muslim *ummah* having firm belief must



take actions for:

1. Enhancement of the educational curriculum in emphasizing on '*aqeedah*, *akhlaaq*, and *Sharee'ah* as core elements to produce individuals having sound

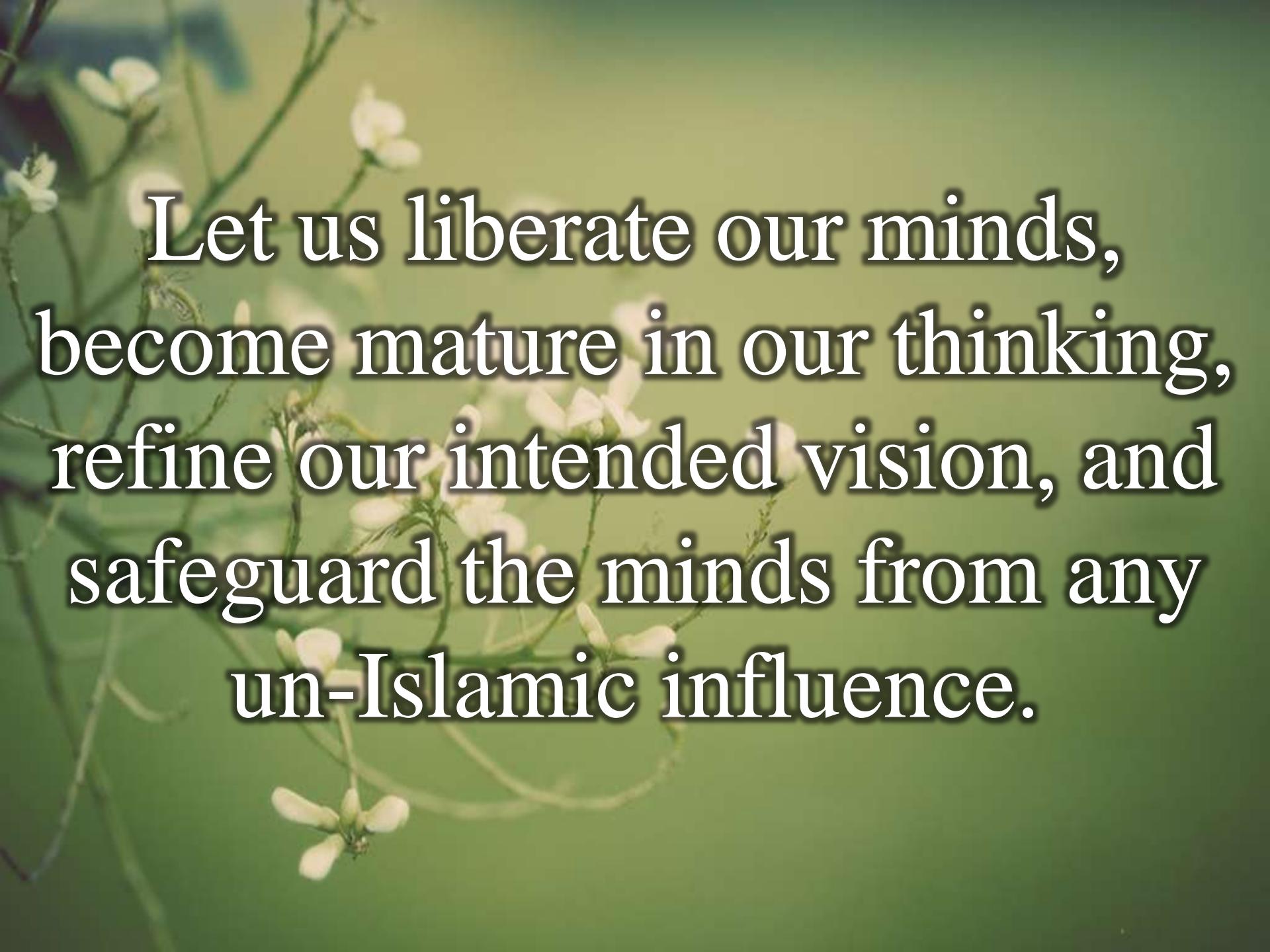
'aqeedah, imaan, akhlaaq,
personality, and competency.

2. Full comprehension and awareness of the activities and strategies organized by the enemies of Islam in disintegrating the *'aqeedah* of the Muslims.

3. Full initiative to increase awareness towards protecting oneself, families, and the Muslim community, so as to step forth proactively in overcoming constant deceits of the enemies of Islam.

Therefore, let us increase the activities of intellectual discourses and its like to further clarify the divine message preached by Islam. We shall strive in returning the glory of Islam to its prestigious status.

Let us form a united and energized effort towards the continuation of integrated work in realizing the united mission to glorify Islam in our beloved Muslim land. Let us stay united and *istiqaamah* in practicing Islam according to the *Sharee'ah*.



Let us liberate our minds,
become mature in our thinking,
refine our intended vision, and
safeguard the minds from any
un-Islamic influence.

“They want to extinguish the light of Allah with their mouths, but Allah refuses except to perfect His light, although the disbelievers dislike it.”

(at-Tawbah 9:32)

بَارَكَ اللَّهُ لِيْ وَلَكُمْ فِي الْقُرْآنِ الْعَظِيمِ وَنَفَعَنِي
وَإِيَّاكمْ بِمَا فِيهِ مِنَ الْأَيَاتِ وَالذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيمِ وَتَفَّقَّلَ
مِنِّي وَمِنْكُمْ تِلَاقُتُهُ إِنَّهُ هُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْعَلِيمُ. أَقُولُ
قُولِيْ هَذَا وَأَسْتَغْفِرُ اللَّهَ الْعَظِيمَ لِيْ وَلَكُمْ وَلِسَائِرِ
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الْأَحْيَاءِ مِنْهُمْ وَالْأَمْوَاتِ فَاسْتَغْفِرُوهُ
إِنَّهُ هُوَ الْغَفُورُ الرَّحِيمُ

**O Allah, You are the Almighty
Lord, we are grateful unto You
for having bestowed upon us
Mercy and Blessings, nourishing
us to strive to continue in
strengthening the Muslim nation
especially the state of Selangor,
as an advanced, progressive,
peaceful, and benevolent state.**

We beseech and beg You, Ya
Allah, to strengthen our
imaan, increase our good
deeds, strengthen our unity,
increase our provision,
enrich us with beneficial
knowledge, nourish our soul
with beautiful *akhlaaq*, guide
us to the Path that is
Pleasing to You,

protect us from Your severe tribulations such as the long drought, severe flooding, disease outbreak, violence and instability, poverty, and others, so that our land will become more peaceful and blessed.

**Oh Allah, we ask You to open up
the hearts of the Muslim *ummah*
especially in Selangor, to fulfill
their *zakaat* obligation as You
had decreed in al-Qur'an. Bless
the lives of those who have
fulfilled their *zakaat* obligation,
loving and caring for the poor
and needy.**

Purify their wealth and soul
so that they will live
according to that which
pleases You. Protect the poor
and needy from disbelief and
everlasting poverty.

Allaahumma ameen



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