

Brief

Circle: Isra wal Mi'raj

“Blessed is the One who took His Servant during part of the night on a journey from Masjid Al-Haram to Masjid Al-Aqsa, whose precincts we did bless” [TMQ 17: 1]

- The anniversary of the Isra and Mi'raj will be in the coming days, where Muslims around the world will think about the amazing incident that took place in the life of our beloved Prophet Muhammad (saw). The narrations about the night journey where the Prophet (saw) was transported from Makkah to Masjid al-aqsa, where he led the prayer of the Prophet's, when he ascended to the heavens, etc are deeply embedded in the hearts of the Muslims.
- However we must never allow this incident to remain as a mere fantastical story separated from our lives. We must as with the rest of Islam connect it to our lives. Today it is Clinton who attempts to lead the Muslims in prayer at Masjid al Aqsa, it is the Kuffar that attempt to give their self-inspired 'revelation' to the Muslims as Clinton did at Sharm al Sheikh. Who will retain the honour of this blessed land? Who will retain the honour of our Messenger Muhammad (saw)?
- When the Isra occurred at the time of the Prophet, the Kuffar attempted to spread rumours that it didn't occur, that it was impossible that it was a figment of the imagination. But remember the reply of Abu Bakr Siddiq who said: "I believe more than this, I believe that Muhammad receives revelation from the heavens in a shorter time than this". Today the Kuffar also try to dupe the Muslims by saying about those who carry the da'wa that "the call for Khilafah is a dream", "It is an impossibility", "It is a figment of the imagination", "Israel is too powerful", "The Palestinians will never succeed without making peace". Today we have to be like Abu Bakr Siddiq, we have to stick to Islam and not compromise it no matter what the obstacles against us. Today we have to work as the Prophet and Sahaba worked to bring domination for the Deen through working to re-establish the Khilafah.

Omar Ibn alAhss said to the son of Hercules when Omar was coming to open this land:

The son of Hercules, his name was Palestine, said to Omar Ibn alAhss:

- • Oh the prince of Arabs, we are cousins so why should we fight? This land that we are fighting for was shared by our fathers and our grandfathers, so we had taken what we had taken and you had taken what you had taken.

What was the reply of Omar Ibn alAhss? He replied:

- • I have nothing to do with this relationship that you claim, But I came today in regards to this unfair "distribution of estate" that you had talked about. I am coming today to correct it.

The liars and the traitors (your rulers) in the 20th century claim that there is a relationship of cousins between us and the Jews. They are telling you that Rabin, Perez, Natanyahu are your cousins. I say to them: wait, the new Omar Ibn alAhss is coming soon to correct the

situation even after all these treaties and treason with the Jews. He will liberate all of Palestine from the Sea to the River as well as other Islamic lands. We hope that Allah will make alQuds the new capital of the Islamic Khilafah State.

Reference article

Last years al-quds speech on topic of Isra

Friday 27-Rajab-1420, 5 November 1999

Lasted 13 minutes



In the name of Allah, Most Gracious, Most Merciful.

"Now hath come unto you a Messenger from amongst yourselves: it grieves him that ye should perish: ardently anxious is he over you: to the Believers is he most kind and merciful. But if they turn away, say: "Allah sufficeth me; there is no god but He: on Him is my trust, - He the Lord of the Throne (of Glory) Supreme!" al-Tawba (9:128-129).

O Muslims,

The talk of people in these days is about the anniversary of the midnight journey of Prophet Muhammad ﷺ and his ascension to heavens. I will talk to you today about this blessed night and I will talk to you about alQuds, but it will be different from what you used to hear from the "official" "traditional" Muslim scholars wen they talk about this occasion.

Allah says "*Glory to (Allah) Who did take His servant for a Journey by night from the Sacred Mosque to the Farthest Mosque (al-Aqsa Mosque), whose precincts We did bless, in order that We might show him some of Our Signs: for He is the One Who Heareth and Seeth (all things).*" Al-Israa (17:1) The Muslim world is celebrating nowadays the anniversary of Prophet Muhammad's journey by night to al-Aqsa Mosque and his ascension to the seven heavens.

Eventhough the muslims say that al-Aqsa Mosque is associated with the Muslim's creed they still celebrate this occasion while al-Aqsa Mosque is moaning under the Jewish occupation. They celebrate this occasion by eating sweets and chanting songs.

The Muslims admit that Allah in his holy Quran had mentioned the importance of al-Aqsa Mosque "*whose precincts We did bless*".

The Muslims admit that Allah had connected al-Aqsa Mosque to the belief of the Muslim, that he had showed its importance next to the Scared Mosque in Mecca.

The Muslims admit that Prophet Muhammad ﷺ had praised al-Aqsa Mosque, that he had praised this land and many of its cities.

But the Muslims neglect to mention, when they celebrate this occasion, the memories of Jihad and liberation which are related to this Mosque.

The Muslims neglect to mention how sinful are the Muslims who are "making peace" with the Jews, the occupiers of this Mosque, or the Muslims who are taking these Jews as friends and supporters.

The Muslims neglect to mention to their rulers how the Jews are occupying not only alQuds but the whole blessed land from the sea (The Mediterranean Sea) to the river (The Jordan River), that this land as a whole is a blessed Islamic occupied Land.

The liberation of this land by Jihad is a responsibility of all the Muslims, and not only the people of Palestine.

This land is an Islamic land since Prophet Muhammad ﷺ had made his journey by night to its Mosque, and since the Khalifah Omar had opened it, and since it was liberated by the Muslim Kurdish leader Salahud'deen alAyyoubi.

This land is an Islamic Land no difference between alQuds or Haifa, no difference between Lod or Asqalan which Prophet Muhammad ﷺ called it the *pride of Paradise* and in another hadeeth Prophet Muhammad ﷺ said about her "May Allah send his Mercy on the people of the graveyard" in Asqalan. The Prophet Muhammad ﷺ said what he had said even before this land was opened by Muslims. So this land will stay an Islamic land till the day of doom. This reality will not be changed if some traitorous rulers had given up this land and had signed treaties for that purpose.

Not only alQuds was the source of great Islamic scholars like Ibn Qudama alMaqdisi, Nablus was also the origin of great Muslim Scholars like Abdul Ghani alNabulsi, and Asqalan with her son the great scholar Ibn Hajar alAsqalany, and there many others from other cities in this blessed land.

There are many great virtues for this land that I will not mention because they are many, and because I don't want to look like a man who defends patriotism. We are an ideological Muslims that demand to give Islam the rule in this land and in all other Islamic lands.

I remind you all, and I remind these rulers of yours, with what Omar Ibn alAhss said to the son of Hercules when Omar was coming to open this land:

The son of Hercules, his name was Palestine, said to Omar Ibn alAhss:

- • Oh the prince of Arabs, we are cousins so why should we fight? This land that we are fighting for was shared by our fathers and our grandfathers, so we had taken what we had taken and you had taken what you had taken.

What was the reply of Omar Ibn alAhss? He replied:

- • I have nothing to do with this relationship that you claim, But I came today in regards to this unfair "distribution of estate" that you had talked about. I am coming today to correct it.

The liars and the traitors (your rulers) in the 20th century claim that there is a relationship of cousins between us and the Jews. They are telling you that Rabin, Perez, Natanyahu are your cousins. I say to them: wait, the new Omar Ibn alAhss is coming soon to correct the

situation even after all these treaties and treason with the Jews. He will liberate all of Palestine from the Sea to the River as well as other Islamic lands. We hope that Allah will make alQuds the new capital of the Islamic Khilafah State.

Oh brothers,

There is this new heresy that was committed in this Masjid when the Friday Speaker today called the Muslims to pray the special prayer (The absentee prayer) right after the Friday Prayer for the sake of the souls of the martyrs in Chechnya and the Martyrs of the fallen Egyptian airplane. We had said it in the past and we had proven to the people that this prayer is a political prayer. There is no opinion for the Islamic scholars throughout history that allows Praying on the Martyr. The martyr does not need our prayers because he is already in Paradise.

Is it enough for us just to pray on the people of Chechnya like what we did before when we prayed on the people of Bosnia, and before them we had prayed on the people of Afghanistan?

May Allah guide us to the straight path.

May Allah help us to work for this deen the correct way and for the sake of Allah alone.

May Allah help us to establish the Islamic Khilafah State so as this deen becomes victorious on earth.

Ameen.