ANALYSIS OF THE EXISTING OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT

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I seek the assistance of Allâh 1 , the Beneficent Creator the Merciful Bounty Giver. 2

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$: The name Allâh is not a combination of two words as some ignorant people think: "al-Ilah or Allâh, lit. 'The God' see Islamic Sciences by S. Waqae Ahmed Husaini 2002 Goodword Books page 1.

²: The common translation does not convey the correct meaning.

_"Then Woe To Those Who Write, The Book With Their Own Hands, And Then Say: This Is From God," To Traffic With It For A Miserable Price!"... Al-Qur'ân Chapter 2: verse 79

"Most Certainly Knowledge Is The Cure For Ignorance"! {Hadith}

ORIGIN OF THE BIBLE, (OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS) THROUGH HISTORICAL EVIDENCE FROM THE VATICAN CHURCH AND OTHER VERIFIED SOURCES.

INTRODUCTION

Muslims believe³ that the Glorious Arabic⁴ Qur'ân is the Original verbatim words of Allah⁵ revealed to the Prophet Muhammed (pbuh) through the Mala'ikah⁶ Jibraeel (pbuh) (Gabriel) more than 1,425 years ago. In the Glorious Qur'ân Allah has promised:

"Surely We (Allâh) have revealed the Reminder (al-Qur'ân) and surely We (Allâh) are its Guardian."

 $^{^3}$ Belief for a Muslim is not the blind belief that Christians have. Muslims' belief is through investigation and understanding as the Qur'ân demands this.

⁴ "This is Arabic language, pure and clear" (Al-Qur'ân 16: 103) "Indeed, there has come to you from Allâh, a Light and a clear Book." (Al-Qur'ân 5:15) "These are the verses of revelation, of a Qur'ân makes things clear." (Al-Qur'ân 15:1) "Therein (in the Qur'ân) is made clear every affair full of wisdom." (Al-Qur'ân 44:4) And the Qur'ânic teachings being in Arabic are called: "These are the verses of the Book that makes (things) clear." (Al-Qur'ân 26:2) "We have made the Qur'ân easy in thy tongue (Arabic) that they may be mindful." (Al-Qur'ân 44:58) "And certainly We have made the Qur'ân easy to remember, but is there any one who will mind?" (Al-Qur'ân 54:40) It is IMPORTANT to mention that every word of the Arabic language has a vast number of meanings. Even the Arabic letter 'waw' – a one letter word- which is commonly translated as 'and' has many meanings. A few of the meanings are: 'together with', 'by' 'and' ... Refer to Lane's Lexicon for more. Another point to note is that every language has some Arabic words in them, and that is why Arabic is the Mother of all Languages.

⁵ Allah is the proper name of the Creator of everything that exists, seen and unseen

⁶ Malâ'ikah -the medium with which Allâh communicates and interacts with human beings

₇: Al-Qur'ân 15:9. *This verse should always be kept in mind, as it makes it clear that Allah is the Guardian of the Glorious Arabic Qur'ân.* Take the example- that if all the written copies of the Glorious Arabic Qur'ân were to be destroyed from the face of this earth, yet the Qur'ân will be preserved! How? By the memorization in the minds of people as is the case since it was revealed to the Prophet. There have been thousands

Particularly strong critics of Islam like Sir. William Muir and others have stated unequivocally that the Qur'ân is preserved authentically as it was revealed to Prophet Muhammed more than 1,425 years ago! Also, the many challenges contained in the Glorious Qur'ân to disprove its claim of being a divinely revealed Book have never been met by friend or foe alike! The challenges are there even today, and anyone who wishes to disprove the Glorious Qur'ân can yet do so in this day and age.

Mr. Sulaiman Ebrahim's investigation into the Bible's History

The above verses of the Glorious Qur'ân made it obligatory on Mr. Sulaiman Ebrahim, who has studied the Qur'ân and the Bible over the last *five decades* to undertake a detailed study of the compilation of the Bible (OT & NT). His discoveries are *summarized* in this booklet to determine the truth of the claims of the Christians that the Bible is the Word of God in the light of the Qur'ânic statement that the Bible is a forged book written by the hands of men!

In hundreds of discussions that Mr. S. Ebrahim⁸ has had over the last four decades with Christian Theologians, Academics, Missionaries⁹

that have memorized the Qur'ân during the life time of the Prophet, and since then (1,425 years) till today it is memorized in Arabic by millions around the world of every nationality. An excellent example is of **Imam Abdulla ibn Kadi Abdus Salaam** popularly known as TAN GURU a prince from TIDORE- TRINATE ISLANDS, Indonesia- who was brought to South Africa by the Dutch as a prisoner on the 6th April 1780. The Dutch banned every religion except Christianity. He was a Hafez of the Qur'ân, and from memory he taught and wrote the entire Qur'ân. The Qur'ân written by him is preserved by the Raqib family in Bo-Kaap Cape Town.

 8 The duty of conveying the message of Islam is a duty upon all Muslims as Allah warned in the Glorious $Qur'\hat{a}n$: "Say-If it be that your fathers, your sons, your brothers, your mates, or your kindred; the wealth that you have gained (and amassed); the commerce in which you fear a decline; or your dwellings in which you take delight are dearer to you than Allah or His messenger, or the striving in His cause; then wait until Allah brings about His decision; and Allah guides not the rebellious". (Q. Chap 9 v. 24)

⁹ A recent encounter was with three Christian Missionaries {1. -Mr. Alan Profitt, (Lecturer at a Bible College in Cape Town) -2. Mr. David Foster, (Durban) & -3. Mr. David Norton (Cape Town)} on the 22nd August 2007. In this debate Mr. Ebrahim destroyed their arguments on the authenticity of the Bible as well as of the Trinity

and the laity, the most striking point that he has noticed is that: A person can be very well qualified academically in most fields of research, but if Christianity captures and enslaves one's mind, then one loses direction of the path to truth.

There have been strong claims by the ordinary followers of Christianity for centuries that the Bible is the word of God, *although the impartial learned Scholars of Christianity have never made such claims.* This wrong belief of the Bible by the masses can be attributed to (a) them never having read the entire Bible themselves (*which is the most probable reason*) and (b) that because they did not read it, the Pastors and Priests indoctrinate them with their own thoughts, interpretations and opinions.

Anyone who is interested in the truth¹⁰ is encouraged to read this booklet and to follow up on all given references. Authentic verifiable references are given so that the claims that the Bible is the word of God or not can be clearly understood by the readers. This brief exposition is to uncover how the Bible was compiled by the Church.

This booklet is certainly not for Christians who say: "My mind is made up, don't confuse me with the facts." This book is for those who appreciate truth being revealed and then to follow the path of truth.

No original sources exists of any version of the Bibles

As we go along with our analysis, it will become clear as to why we make this statement. What the reader should know is that in an exhaustive research of the Biblical history, made us to discover that *no original sources exists of any version of the Bibles* - starting from the oldest information of Biblical history right up to the year 916 C.E. (Christian Era) when the Massoretic text of the Hebrew¹¹ Bible

comprehensively. The DVD is available from Mr. Ebrahim at a nominal cost of Ten Rands.

¹⁰ Mr. Ebrahim has met dozens of other Pastors of different denominations who will without hesitation forge lies against Islam and Muslims. This is another phenomenon of the enslavement of the Christian minds to believing 'redemption in the crucificixion'. They commit heinous and unforgivable deeds and believe Jesus to carry their sin. **Lies and deceit are part of their stock in trade.**

¹¹ The word 'Hebrew' is a Greek word. Refer to the Oxford dictionary to verify

appeared. This fact that no original sources exists of any version of the Bibles is undeniable!

One of the important sources from which the origin of Christianity becomes obvious, is the book of the renowned scholar, *Dr Miranda Green who traces many of the Christian beliefs from 'The Sun-Gods of Ancient Europe'* which is also the name of her most important book¹².

Religion in peoples lives

Most people follow their parents without any investigation of what they are taught to believe as the truth. Majority of them think it must be the truth because their parents followed it. We call it an 'accident of birth'. Some of them later in their lives begin to question their beliefs, and seek the truth by studying other religious scriptures. And not unexpectedly many of them accept Islam after studying the Qur'ân.

The Truth Must Be Revealed

We must emphasize that our intention is not to offend or cause hurt to anyone when we reveal the truth. Nevertheless, TRUTH must be made known. Therefore we request that when we state that the Biblical teachings are in fact paganism, please do not take offence, but rather examine the facts presented. As a Muslim who has studied both religious scriptures impartially and discovered the facts of the Bible, it is obligatory on me to expose the truth even if it hurts to do so. We shall present solid facts and not conjecture to back up our arguments.

From the contents of Chapter 2 verse 79 of the Glorious Qur'ân¹³ referred to above, *all religious books* are included. For example, the Bhagavad-Gita, Rigved, the Message of Buddha, etc; the Old Testament and the New Testament are all included, as men wrote them long after the appearance of the prophets (p.b.u.them) who brought the original message of God.

The following explanatory translated verse demonstrates that at the time of the prophets Ya \underline{h} yâ, 'Îsâ and the Holy Prophet Mu \underline{h} ammed

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¹² If one wants to know the truth about Christianity then her book is a must to study! ¹³ "The Truth has come and falsehood vanished. Surely falsehood is ever bound to vanish. And We reveal of the Qur'an that which is a healing and a mercy to the believers, and it adds only to the perdition of the wrongdoers." Al-Qur'an. 17: 81/82

(p.b.u.them) [the]¹⁴ at-Taurât was no longer in existence - but that it originally possessed the truth. And from history we learn that the Jews ¹⁵ were *required to guard the Book of Allâh*:

"Surely We (Allâh) revealed (the) at-Taurât, having guidance and light. By it did the prophets {e.g. Yahyâ and 'Îsâ¹6, whom Allâh informed what He revealed to the Children of Israel. As at that time the last Israelites was prophet 'Îsâ, (the) at-Taurât was already destroyed.¹7 Hence, the Essenes tried to reproduce [the] at-Taurât} who submitted themselves (to Allâh and) judge those who became Jews, and Rabbis and the doctors of law, because they (were originally of the offspring of the Children of Israel and) were required to guard the Book of Allâh, and they were witnesses thereof. So fear not the people and fear Me, and take not a small price for My messages. And whoever judges not by what Allâh has revealed those are the disbelievers". Al-Qur'ân Chapter 5:Vs- 43-44.

The understanding that we have projected is further explained in the following explanatory translated verse of chapter 11, verse 110: "We certainly gave the Book to Musa ... but it became a victim of interpolation and contamination (in its text)."...¹8 (Al-Qur'ân 11:110 Translation by Dr. Kamal Omar)

THE HOLY BIBLE

¹⁴: Please note that the Arabic word 'at' in front of the word *Taurât* means: *The.* We shall include the word (**the**) to make it easy to understand for those who do not know Arabic.

¹⁵: The Secrets of the Dead Sea Scrolls by John Allegro (Printed secretly in Lebanon). [Please note that this book is not available in South Africa. It was shown to Mr. S. Ibrâhîm during the nineties when he was a member of the South African Parliament and was at the time analyzing 'The Dead Sea Scrolls' documents.]

¹⁶: The reason that we refer to Yahyâ and 'Îsâ (p.b.u.them) is because by then the new Jewish nation was established. Verse 46 makes it clear that (the) *at-Taurât* was lost. Hence, (the) *al-Injîl* was given to nabî 'Îsâ (p.b.u.h.).

¹⁷: "None of the original manuscripts written by the inspired authors themselves (autographs) is known to exist..." (J. P. O'Connell, et al. The Holy Family Bible Holy Family Edition of the Catholic Bible, from a Practical Dictionary of Biblical and General Catholic Information, Virtue and Company Limited: London, 1959, p. 193 - hereafter the following abbreviation will be used: C.B). *Page: 30*.

¹⁸: Read his book 'Deep into the Qur'ân', p.318.

Let us now clarify the truth about the book called the "Holy" Bible. In this analysis we will primarily discuss the Protestant Christians Bible, and at times also mention the others. Our main concern is the Protestants Bible. This does not detract from the fact that the foundation of all the Bibles of every denomination has the same inherent faults.

From the start we must declare that it is difficult to refer to the Protestant Bible as "Holy" because it is not the same book as that of its founders. One has to understand 'that the Protestants are actually *apostates according to the Roman Catholic Church'*. The Protestors turned their back on the original Church and changed the Bible. They created a book with *less books* and verses than that of the founders *i.e.* the Roman Catholic Church. Their Old Testament contains only 39 books compared to the Catholics 46 Books. Their version of the Bible only began in the sixteenth century AD. That is 1,600 years after the *Catholics.* They have also created new ideologies different to that of the original Church. Hence, we find it very difficult to call their book "Holy" as their Bible is a plagiarized AND forged book from the Catholics, and is a version which was created in 1553. It is not an original book!

To have a truthful understanding of the new Protestant Christians, one has to draw from the Roman Catholic Church's information as theirs is the foundation from which the Protestants stole¹⁹, meaning they did not get consent to do so!

How did the name 'Christian' originate?

To answer this question one has know the background of Herod the pagan murderer. Read his background history in the Encyclopædia Britannica 14th Edition 1929, from pages 510 to 511:

"...He reigned 4 B.C.-C.E. 39. In the gospels he is mentioned as Herod, and he it was who was called a "fox" by Christ (Luke xiii. 32). He is erroneously spoken of as a king in Mark vi. 14. It was to him that Jesus was sent by Pilate to be tried" [our emphasis]

¹⁹: The reason for using the word 'stole' is because they changed the ideology which was developed by the Roman Catholic Church into something different to that of the Roman Catholic Church. Yet, they claim that theirs is the original Bible, which is a lie!

Be that as it may. *The 'fox' was the formulator of the name Christ.* It appears as follows in the King James Version of the Bible, created by a person who followed those who changed the Christian law of Divorce. It states: "he demanded where *Christ should be born*" [Our emphases].²⁰ In other words, the 'fox' was the first to call his enemy *Christ*. What did the pagan 'fox' mean when he called Jesus: '*Christ*'? The meaning of the *Greek* term *Christ* according to the New Testament is as follows. It is reported under the heading "Jesus Anointed by a Sinful Woman²¹"

"You did not put oil on my head, but she has poured perfume on my feet."22

The above is the meaning of 'Christ' according to the New Testament, which is based on the Greek religious methodology or rather pagan methodology. 'Christ' as defined by Christians in the Bible is not the equivalent of Al-Masîn as used in the Arabic Glorious Qur'ân. Hence, the pagan 'fox' meant that Christ means:

'A sinful woman must pour perfume on his feet'.

It is claimed by ignorant people that the Arabic title used for nabî 'Îsâ (p.b.u.h)²³ which is *Al-Masî<u>h</u>* as used in the **Arabic Glorious Qur'ân** means *Christ*. This is incorrect as the Qur'ânic word *Al-Masî<u>h</u>* means:

'The one who journeys or goes about much for the sake of devotion, or as a devotee'²⁴

Therefore, there is <u>nothing holy</u> about the name *Christ*! It must be for this reason that the early Jews rejected the so-called Christ completely! We must conclude that the name Christian must be related to what the pagan 'fox' intended. Hence, we find in the English dictionaries which state:

 21 Women forbidden to open their mouths in the church- 1 Corinthians $14:\!34-\!34$

²⁰: Matthew 2:4.

²²: Luke 7:46 'New International Version'.

²³: **Please note that nabî 'Îsâ (p.b.u.h) is not Jesus.** The Christian Jesus's message is in Greek as the Church claims. However we shall use the name Jesus for simplicity.

²⁴: See Edward Lane's Lexicon. (an Englishman)

'Christian... based on the teachings of Christ...'25- Hence, the name 'Christ' given by the pagan 'fox' is the root for the word Christian or Christians and Christianity.

It is claimed by Christians that there is an original Bible in its original languages. They claim that the Old Testament is in Hebrew and the New Testament is in Greek. *This claim must be analysed*.

Tom, Dick, Harry and Joe can claim whatever they like, but it is our duty to research the history of the Bible in order to establish the truth. Therefore, we need to go back into the history of the European pagans who went naked to Palestine. One of the trademarks of the European pagans is the irrefutable fact that they rape women²⁶ of other nations indiscriminately wherever they went. This bad character of the European pagans left their offspring as a completely 'new nation' if one could call them a nation. In South Africa we have the *Coloureds*-the Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary calls them 'a person of mixed race'. (*Yes! We know that you want to say they were Christians, and not European pagans, but patience please, we will make the picture clear later on!*)

Yet they failed to classify the offspring of the women of the Children of Israel whom the European pagans left behind pregnant after raping them. They did not know that one day the Dead Sea Scrolls would reveal their sins!

Important Background

Our investigation is to uncover the truth of the Bible! However, without knowing the contribution of the European pagans, the Bible would not be understandable. Therefore, it is *essential* we give some information regarding their activities which forms the basis of the Christian mind today.

Coming back to the Dead Sea Scrolls, we find that it refers to the 'Sons of Darkness'. *Who are they?* The other point that needs clarity is why the Children of Israel left their place of birth and went to hide

the Bosnian Muslim women

²⁶ We have witnessed this phenomenon even in the 1990's when the **Pagan Serbs** raped

²⁵: Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary. 1998.

themselves in the caves? Then we find those who are called the Jews. Who are they? Another point of concern is why do we find two sets of documents, that is, the Biblical documents that are different to those that we have, and the non-biblical documents? These questions are very problematic for the Christians and Jews as the truth hurts when it is exposed. Let us try to answer these questions without doing too much harm; we know that this is not very easy to do, since the truth cannot be avoided.

Birth and identity of the Jews and Jewish Nation

The answer is as follows: The 'Sons of Darkness' mentioned in the Dead Sea Scrolls are the offspring of the Greeks who raped the women of the Children of Israel.

The question relating to the reason as to why the Children of Israel left their place of birth and went to hide themselves in the caves is that they did not regard the 'Sons of Darkness' as the People of the Book and that they could no longer tolerate the pagan Greeks. They had to depart from Palestine eventually to save their lives.

After the Greeks caused the rejection of those people who came into existence as a result of the Greeks raping, who were known as the 'Sons of Darkness'; then came *the Romans - another pagan nation of the Europeans*; they then raped the women of the 'Sons of Darkness' and their offspring became known as the Jews.

(One ought to be tempted to ask why they did they not rape the pagan Palestinian women. The answer is that they did rape some of the pagan Palestinian women, but they hated the Children of Israel, as they were religious people. Therefore, they were actually trying to destroy the Children of Israel. Hence, the Children of Israel eventually left Palestine and went to the east where they found the Promised Land).²⁷

The two documents of the Dead Sea Scrolls clearly prove that the Children of Israel were trying to restore the Scriptures, but they could not do so under their conditions.

One of the most significant points of note is the fact that many of the statements in the non-biblical documents are of the same view as that

²⁷: Read the book 'Jesus lived in India' by Holger Kersten 1986.

of the laws in the **Arabic Glorious Qur'ân**. From the Biblical documents' information that was printed thus far, one can easily understand the manipulations that are being done to it. The present day Bibles are not the same as that of the Dead Sea Scrolls' Biblical documents. This fact will later become clear when we will discuss some of the Bible's history. The most important fact of the above explanation is that these factors are the main reason as to why most of the Dead Sea Scrolls²⁸ were not released to the world! Just ponder over the fact that they were quick to report that the '*Ancient manuscript of Judas Gospel unveiled'*, in spite of the fact that it is not the original words of Judas or Jesus but that it technically (?) makes the New Testament's contents not true.

We now need to clear some of the reasons as to why we find Christians all over the world, and the reason for their thinking and actions as we know them. In order to reveal these important factors, one must have some knowledge of the activities of **Constantine**, the creator of the **Bible**. After one has compared all the European pagan rulers during their rule of Palestine, then one has to admit that Constantine had more vision than all of the others put together! Before we give the reasons for his 'greatness', we have to give some of his historical background.

Let us introduce Constantine:

"Constantine 1, known as "The Great" (288? 337), Roman emperor, who was born on February 27, probably C.E. 288, at Naisus (The modern Nish) in upper Moesia (Serbia). He was the *illegitimate son* of Constantinus 1 and Flavia Helena (described by St. Ambrose as an innkeeper)."²⁹

The following information of the Bible's founder is as follows:

²⁸ It is now more than Fifty years since they were discovered! Question: why have they not released all of them yet? The answer must be: to concoct more fabrications no doubt!

²⁹: Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 6, Fourteenth Edition, p. 297.

"In the spring of 312 Constantine crossed the Alps, before Maxenius had completed his preparations. The force he commanded was of uncertain strength; according to his panegyrist (who may have underrated it) it consisted of about 25,000; according to Zonaras of nearly 100, 000 men. He stormed Susa, defeated Maxenius' generals at Turin and Verona, and marched straight for Rome. This bold move, which contrasted strongly with Constantine's usual caution, was, it would seem, the result of an event which, as told in Eusebius's Life of Constantine, takes the form of a conspicuous miracle - the Vision of the Flaming Cross - which appeared in the sky at noonday with the legend 'EV ROVTW VIKA ("By this conquer"), and led to Constantine's conversion to Christianity. Eusebius professes to have heard the story from the lips of Constantine; but he wrote after the emperor's death, and it was evidently unknown to him in the shape given above when he wrote the Ecclesiastical History. The author of the De mortibus persecutorum was a well-informed contemporary, and he tells us that the sign was seen by Constantine in a dream; and even Eusebius supplements the vision by day with a dream in the following night. In any case, Constantine adopted the monogram (borne on the labarum [q.v.]) as his device."30

One can see that this act is the beginning of the way of life set by Constantine, which formed the basis of Christian thinking and action. It also formed the basis of Christian belief. The statement concerning what Constantine saw is the birth of Christian Paganism:

"...The Vision of the Flaming Cross - which appeared in the sky at noonday with the legend 'EV ROVTW VIKA ("By this conquer"), and led to Constantine's conversion to Christianity."

This is the foundation on which Constantine built his newfound religion.

History proves that his courage and desire to conquer and to rule people gave birth to the new idea which became a Christian desire, a phenomenon of the White people who were very staunch Christians originally. Today we can still witness their desire to conquer – remember Bush's crusade activities, killing over ONE MILLION

³⁰: Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 6, Fourteenth Edition, p. 298.

innocent people in Iraq alone since the lie about the WMD since 2001, and in Afghanistan where over 500,000 thousand innocent people have been massacred.

For those who know the South African history ought to understand the Christian brutality. The Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Report is sufficient to understand Christian activities throughout the world wherever they went. Raping, stealing, killing, demoralizing of people and perpetually possessing other people's property are normal Christian activities!

Constantine was very successful as depicted in the Encyclopedia Britannica:

"Constantine now reigned as sole emperor in East and West, presiding at the council of Nicaea in 325."³¹

This documentation as illustrates in the two quotations above, exposes the reason as to why Constantine became a Christian. Constantine must have given a similar description, which we find in the Bible to Jesus. That is, regarding the first message Jesus received. To understand what is meant, we quote Matthew 3:17: "... This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."

Then in Mark 1:11: "... Thou art my beloved Son; in thee I am well pleased."

In John, 1:32 there is no mention of what the *dove*³² said. The conversion of Constantine is similar "to the first experience of Jesus" in the Bible with God. It is said that he, (Constantine): "was preparing to lead his army in person, when he was taken ill and after a vain trial of the baths at Helenopolis, died at Ancyrona, a suburb of Nacomedia on May 22, having received Christian baptism shortly before at the hands of Eusebius. He was buried in the church of the Apostles at Constantinople." One of the reasons must have been the fighting spirit that made him a Christian. Although it has been reported that:

³²: *Note:* a speaking dove! What gibberish! If it was a parrot it may have worked. Therefore, kindly inform the Textual Critics of our advice!

^{31:} Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 6, Fourteenth Edition, p. 298.

"It has been said by Stanley that Constantine was entitled to be called "Great" in virtue rather of what he did than of what he was; and it is true that neither his intellectual nor his moral qualities were such as to earn the title. His claim to greatness rests mainly on the fact that he divined the future which lay before Christianity, and determined to enlist it in the service of his Empire."33

If it should be argued that the aforementioned is not true, then we must first analyse to see what the cause was of this fundamental controversy that lead to the COUNCIL OF NICAEA in 325 AD, which led to the greatness of Constantine.

It was at this meeting that Constantine called all the pagans of different ideologies together, with the intention to make them as one religious group under the banner of Christianity, <u>but it was Arius³⁴</u> who opposed Constantine.

We read in the Encyclopedia Britannica, Vol. 2, op. cit, and pp. 358 to 359, the following, under "ARIUS".

This is how it is reported:

"The cause of the controversy with which the name of Arius is associated lay not in any personalities but in a fundamental difference of doctrine which had far reaching religious and philosophical implications. "Is the Divine," says Harnack, "which appeared on earth and made its presence actively felt, identical with the supremely Divine that rules enter into a close and permanent union with human nature, so that it has actually transfigured it and raised it to the plane of the Eternal?" "

In spite of the above, the following statement states:

"Our knowledge of Arius is scanty, and nothing certain is known of his birth or of his early training." ³⁵

They still maintain that:

³³: Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 6, op. cit., pp. 298-299.

³⁴ Arius believed in ONE GOD, and because this was in conflict with the paganistic ideas of Constantine, he was killed. All his followers were also hunted down and eliminated over the next sixty years, upto 385 C. E. Only then could Constantine make up a Bible with the Pagan beliefs.

^{35:} Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 6, Vol. 2, op. cit., p. 358.

"His doctrinal position is explained in his letters to his patron Eusebius, bishop of the imperial city of Nicomedia, and to Alexander of Alexandria, and in the fragments of the poem in which he set forth his dogmas. From these writings it can even nowadays be clearly seen that the principle object which he had in view was firmly to establish the unity and simplicity of the eternal God. However far the Son may surpass other created beings, he remains himself a created being, to whom the Father before all time gave an existence formed "out of nothing." "36

It remains an insurmountable problem for the Church to find out what was the true Gospel Jesus had brought himself.

What made Constantine so great? The following could give some idea:

"It reached even the ears of Constantine. Now sole emperor, he saw in the one Catholic Church the best means of counteracting the movement in his vast empire towards disintegration; and he at once realised how dangerous dogmatic strife might prove to its unity"

[our emphases].37

"Constantine had no religious understanding concerning the question at issue" but had more political knowledge and knew how to resolve it in the best interest of his pagan Empire. Therefore, no course was left but to summon a general or ecumenical council, which was convened in Nicaea in 325. "After various turns in the controversy, it was finally decided, **against Arius**, that the Son was of the same substance ... with the Father, and all thought of his being created or even subordinated had to be excluded. Constantine accepted the decision of the council and resolved to uphold it." It says further:

".... Under the auspices of Throdosius The Great, recognised the Nicene doctrine as the only orthodox one"38

This story of how divinity was conferred upon Jesus proves that there was no Bible or New Testament before 325 to 381 AD. Therefore, all Christians must accept that Constantine became great for this reason. Before this, it was impossible for them to write their

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³⁶: Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 6, Vol. 2, op. cit., p. 359.

³⁷: Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 6, Vol. 2, op. cit., p. 359.

^{38:} Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 2, op. cit., p. 359.

books. It must be remembered that the divinity of Jesus was only settled in the year 381 AD.

Jerome made contact with those baptised by the Arians, and Jerome joined the fray. He was guided by the practice of Rome and the West. Having discovered what the Western practice was, he set tongue and pen to work with his usual bitterness. It was after 382 AD that Jerome was given the work 'to revise the "Old Latin" translation of the Bible; and to this task he henceforth devoted his great abilities.'39 It should be remembered that we have the history of the oldest copy of the Old Testament only dated in the year 916 AD. What happened before, no one knows as that period belongs to the Dark ages.⁴⁰

Those who claim to believe that the Bible is the word of God must consider the following arguments:

Let us assume that prophet Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) could have spoken Hebrew or even Aramaic,⁴¹ then, we must also agree that Pharaoh would never have spoken with him in Hebrew or Aramaic, which must have been the <u>slave languages</u>, as the Children of Israel were the slaves of Pharaoh at that time. *Therefore, it stands to reason that prophet Mûsâ* (p.b.u.h) and Pharaoh must have communicated in the Egyptian Arabic language or any other Egyptian language. Which means that God's revealed words were communicated to Pharaoh in one of the Egyptian languages so that he would have had no excuse to understand the message, is it not true?

When we analyse the book called 'The International Critical Commentary – A Critical and exegetical commentary on The Book of Isaiah by George Buchanan Gray, D.D., D.Litt. (First Impression January 1912 – Latest Impression January 1980)⁴² then, one will understand the significant nonsense translations can produce,

⁴⁰: Dark ages refer to the period when the English and Europeans were uncivilized, and are referred to as *barbarians* by John William Draper in his History Book.

³⁹: Encyclopaedia Britannica, (1929) Vol. 13, op. cit., p. 2.

⁴¹: If it was possible that Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) spoke the Aramaic language, then we must ask if it was the same dialect in which the Biblical documents of the Dead Sea Scrolls were found.

 $^{^{\}rm 42}$: Printed in Scotland By Morrison and Gibb Limited Edinburgh and London for T. & T. Clark Ltd., Edinburgh.

especially about the so-called prophecy about Jesus'⁴³ as claimed to be in the Book of Isaiah according to the Christians!

Therefore, translations can never take the place of the original. One must remember copies in those days were not like verified copies of today; they had to be written by hand.⁴⁴ If the Al-Injeel, the revelation given to Eesa (not the Bible, as Eesa never brought a book called 'Bible") had been memorised in the same way as that of the **Arabic Glorious Qur'ân**, then the arguments would have fallen away!

Read the following comments by learned Christian Scholars:

HENRY CHADWICK writes in his book titled 'THE EARLY CHURCH':
Constantine who was the chief architect of the doctrine of the
Trinity was not a Christian. Constantine, like his father,
worshipped the unconquered sun; ...his conversion should not be
interpreted as an inward experience of grace...it was a military
matter..."

HISTORIAN W. DURANT: "Christianity did not destroy paganism; it adopted it".

SIEGFRIED MORENZ notes in his book-'Egyptian Religion': "The trinity was a major preoccupation of Egyptian theologians ...in this way the spiritual force of Egyptian religion shows a direct link with Christian theology".

JOHN DAVENPORT writes in his book titled 'Apology to Muhammed and the Qur'ân' regarding the trinity: - This is why blind faith was demanded, and this is why 12,000,000 (twelve million) (Unitarian) Christians were put to death by the Church as heretics in the notorious Church 'Inquisitions'!

⁴³: Jesus of the Bible cannot be the same person as Nabî 'Îsâ (p.b.u.h). The reason for conclusion is that **Jesus in the Bible is being portrayed as a pagan god**. Therefore, this distinction must always be kept in mind. Another important point to keep in mind is the fact that all reported his story in the Greek language which supports the conclusion that Jesus was a Greek person who did not get married, he is also reported to have said to the men around him, who followed him, that he will make them: "fishers of men" (Matt. 4:19). What is the meaning of this statement is what we see is happening in the world today.

^{44:} Therefore, countless mistakes must have been made, many times deliberately

Another erudite Christian scholar, Kenneth Cragg, the Anglican Bishop of Jerusalem, says on page 277 of his book, "The Call of the Minaret":

"Not so the New Testament . . . There is condensation and editing; there is choice, reproduction and witness. The Gospels have come through the mind of the Church behind the authors".

The above are very profound statements indeed!

The problem of the language that prophet Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) spoke is the secret why the Old Testament can never stand the test of authenticity. Could the reason for the following claim be to eliminate the investigation of what language nabî Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) spoke with Pharaoh so they 'created' the following claim:

"The Egyptian language offers an unusual philological history of about 5,000 years; its earliest records begin with Dyn. I, and the language, in one form or another, lived on continuously until Coptic, its lineal descendant, became practically extinct as a spoken language in the 16th century C.E."45

Never mind the Old Covenant's problem, (as Christianity is not really based on it⁴⁶) we have the same problem with the New Testament. According to the Catholic Bible (1959), the language of Jesus is said to be Aramaic, which was the spoken language in Galilee at that time.⁴⁷ Already, one can see that much confusion exists about the mother tongue (language) of Jesus, since "...no contemporary literary remains of this dialect, [Aramaic] remains we cannot determine precisely the dialect He spoke" [our emphases].48 The evidence produced by the oldest Church in the world, nullifies those words of Aramaic in the New Testament as lies!

⁴⁵: 'The Westminster Dictionary of The Bible', by John D. Davis. Revised and Rewritten by Henry Snyder Gehman, 1944, p. 149.

⁴⁶: The reason Christians cannot use the Old Testament as the Jews do is because Christianity is based on the pagan ideas of Constantine.

⁴⁷:: (J. P. O'Connell, et al. The Holy Family Bible Holy Family Edition of the Catholic Bible, from a Practical Dictionary of Biblical and General Catholic Information, Virtue and Company Limited: London, 1959, p. 30. Please note hereafter the following abbreviation will be used: C.B.).

⁴⁸: C.B., p. 30.

This means that the language of Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) and Jesus could not have been the same - that is the "Galilean" Aramaic. At this point, we would emphasize the fact that Jesus' dialect of Aramaic is unknown, one can already realise the daunting task the Textual Critics face in completing the NT, which at this point in time remains a "vast and unfinished" task. In fact, this is what they have said:

"Thus the task of New Testament textual criticism is vast and unfinished."49

If one is truthful and candid, then it ought to be clear that these two points about prophet Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) and prophet Eesa (Jesus) is sufficient evidence not to believe any Christian or Jew that there are copies of the original books for both groups. The playing with words cannot help them to find an original Old Testament or a New Testament!

So when one finds a European or British person in a country not belonging to them, then one ought to understand why they are there!

Let us analyse "Holy Bible: 1 John 1-3"

"That which was from the beginning, which we have heard Which we have seen with our eyes, Which we have looked at and our hands have touched, This we proclaim concerning the Word of Life, The life appeared, We have seen it and testify to it, And we proclaim to you the eternal life, Which was with the Father and has appeared to us. We proclaim to you what we have seen and heard, So that you also may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with His Son, Jesus Christ.""

This statement is not the truth because the writer John was not a witness of Jesus's statements. The first point which needs to be said is the fact that none of the writers of any of the books in the New Testament were privileged to hear or see Jesus. The statement begins by contradicting the Old Testament! Therefore, the above words are in simple words: "Nonsense! Nay, it is pure paganism"!

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⁴⁹: New Bible Dictionary. 1978, p. 1269.

A Few Verses From The Bible

New Testament St. John 8:32: "Know the truth and the truth shall set you free"

New Testament St. Matt. 28:19-20: "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, *even* unto the end of the world. Amen.""

The first statement is one of the reasons Christians think that if they only have to know the "truth" in **Greek**, then they will be free. In South Africa all those who are White Christians or who have deserted it, knows that they are in possession of the property of the indigenous peoples, but - because they are indoctrinated that if they know the "truth", then they are free to keep other peoples properties.

The second lot of verses that were supposed to have been written by Matthew, but were actually written by Mark⁵¹, is another idea based on paganism. The first point that reveals paganism is the words: 'the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost'.

Monotheism is not based on the principle of three gods, although they say that they are not three but one. The second part which states: 'Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world.' These words are not the words of a messenger of God or anyone connected to God, but they are the words of one who follows paganism. In any case, Mark never heard or saw Jesus, he is writing from imagination or these words were formulated by those who formulated the New Testament according to their pagan ideology.

The Jewish rejection of Trinity or call it 3 in 1

Christians (Church) say:

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 $^{^{50}}$: "Truth" for Christians means to believe in the New Testament.

 $^{^{51}}$ Virtue's Catholic Encyclopedia, Vol 1, pp141-142-Printed under the direction of the Pope Paul VI

"Belief in Trinity": In the same way, the Shema excludes the trinity of the Christian creed as a violation of the Unity of God. Trinitarianism has at times been indistinguishable from tritheism; i.e. the belief in three separate gods. To this were added later cults of the Virgin and the saints, all of them quite incompatible with pure monotheism. Judaism recognizes no intermediary between God and man, and declares that prayer is to be directed to God alone, and to no other being in the heavens above or on earth beneath."52

It is, however, significant to note that a prominent Jewish editor, **Dr. J.H.Hertz**, (Late chief Rabbi of the British Empire) in his works 'The Pentateuch and Haftorahs', 1961, refers to it as the 'Bible'- which includes the Torah (Pentateuch) and Haftorahs [Haftorahs = the prophets].

Dr. Hertz says: "It is known in history that the original name of the book, which was revealed to the early Jews long before 250 BC, is lost and there is also no divine evidence from which the Jews and Christians can produce their own source, which says what their book was called. Fortunately for them the name of Moses' book was revealed to the last Prophet of Islâm and is referred to in the Glorious Qur'aân as at-Taurât, which sounds very similar to the word "Torah". Were it not for this reference the Jews would have had no divine evidence that their holy book of Moses was called at-Taurâh.

"This view must be accepted and only if any divine evidence to the contrary is presented can anyone be convinced not to regard it as such. The Jews follow the Christians, concerning the name of the Bible. However, it appears that the Jews do not agree with the Greek word Pentateuch, as they believe that 'it is far more than a code of law: it is the Torah.' This shows that the Jews are not in agreement with the Christians' translation of it, although it is from Christian origin". Edited by Dr. J. H. Hertz, p. 1050 –

This submission by Jews can only mean that they never understood how one God could become three or that God would descend down to

⁵²: Hertz., p. 921., **Dr. J.H.Hertz, (Late chief Rabbi of the British Empire) in his works** 'The Pentateuch and Haftorahs', 1961, refers to it as the 'Bible'- which includes the Torah (Pentateuch) and Haftorahs [Haftorahs = the prophets].

⁵³: Hertz, p.1.-1961

earth in the form of a man. Jews and Christians differ seriously on this point⁵⁴. The Christian belief in Trinity was and still is totally unacceptable to the Jews. The Jews know that they are not the descendants of Isaac, but the bastard⁵⁵ offspring the pagan Greeks and Romans, hence, the 'lost sheep of Israel'. The Christian claim that Jesus was an Israelite is doubtful as the name identifies him as a Greek. However, the Jews found the doctrine of Trinity unacceptable and not true, as no previous Israelite prophet ever introduced this irrational doctrine. No Jew believed that the book of Isaiah or any other book in their "Old Testament" or "Torah" could contain such a pagan doctrine. One has to keep in mind that the oldest copy of the Old Testament only dates from 916 AD.

There exists no proof that an earlier copy was found. The works of Jerome are also lost. We have given the background of events, so that it could easily be understood why the Council of Nicaea AD 325 is regarded as the highest event in the history of Christianity. It would be more palatable to Christians if we rather quote from the Encyclopedia Britannica, 1929, Vol. 16, and op. cit. p. 410:

"The Council of Nicaea- (AD. 325)- is an event of the highest significance in the history of Christianity. Its convocation by Constantine and its cause illustrate the radical revolution which the position of this religion, within the confines of the Roman Empire, had undergone in consequence of the Edict of Milan."

The main problem that arose was how they resolved these conditions created by man. The result of the Council of Nicaea caused the following doctrine:

1. **Trinity** - God, Holy Ghost, and Christ Jesus are three distinct persons or parts of the Godhead. These three are equal to one another in divinity and eternity. Yet, these three form one God instead of three. This they call unity in the Trinity. Let us examine this:

⁵⁵ 'Bastard" according to the Oxford Dictionary means: 'a person born of unmarried parents'

⁵⁴: "And the Jews say, The Christians follow nothing (good), and the Christians say, The Jews follow nothing (good) while they recite the (same) Book". Glorious Qur'ân chapter 2 verse 113

- (a) Are these three distinct from each other in their existence and personality or not? If they are distinct, **they form three separate persons and not one**. To call them **one** is absolutely untrue and misleading.
- (b) Do the three together forms a self existing God or does each of the three forms a separate God? In the first instance, to refer to each other as God is wrong, as neither God is God, nor is the Holy Ghost God, nor is Christ Jesus God. Neither of the three could be God independent of the other; otherwise the unity of God cannot exist.
- (c) When Christ Jesus is referred to as the Son of God; there exists priority of person and time between the Father and the Son. Now, think of the time when God was not the father of Christ Jesus. Was He then God or not? If He was so before that time, then the belief that three together is one God is wrong, as before this, He was God. If He was not God before that time, then also Christ cannot be God. When the Father himself was not God, how was it then possible for Christ Jesus to become God? **The above facts are undeniable!**

The above are the questions that caused the Council of Nicaea in year 325 AD to sit and declare Constantine as Great. In the light of these statements, a new religion was born in the year 381 AD. *All pagans found a new home in this new formed religion*. They also had the power to make all subservient under them. However, power needs to be protected. Therefore, religious theories had to be planned. The above clearly reveal the two *versions* about Jesus' story..

Let us explain the first claim by starting with the dictionary meaning of the word **ORIGINAL**:

"Origin, *n*. the rising or first existence of anything: that from which anything first proceeds: the fixed starting-point or point from which measurement is made (*math.*): source: derivation. – *adj.* Original, pertaining to the origin or beginning: existing from or at the beginning: being such from the beginning: innate: standing in relation of source: not derived, copied, imitated, or translated from anything else:

originative: novel: originating or having the power to originate in oneself ... " 56

For the purpose of the subject, <u>let us assume</u> that there is an original Hebrew Old Testament in the language which prophet Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) spoke, and an original New Testament in the language prophet 'Îsâ (p.b.u.h) spoke. It is a historical fact that the prophet Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) grew up in the house of Pharaoh where he got the best Egyptian education, which was in the Egyptian language. However, his mother did breast-feed him, therefore, it could be that he might have learnt the Children of Israel's language from her (that is if she knew it [?⁵⁷]). We also know from history that the Children of Israel had to switch language many times. Therefore, they did not always speak "Hebrew". ⁵⁸ The New Bible Dictionary states:

"A further implication is that Moses would have an Egyptian education, one of the best available in his day." 59

Be that as it may, Pharaoh would never have spoken with him in the language of the slaves! Even if we want to agree that prophet Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) spoke Hebrew, then we must also agree that some of the communication with Pharaoh must have been in the Egyptian language. Therefore, there is no ORIGINAL Old Testament in the world!!! One must keep in mind that prophet Mûsâ's brother Harûn (p.b.u.them) must also have spoken the Egyptian language.

The Children of Israel were the slaves of the Pharaohs for more than four hundred years. Consequently, it could therefore have been possible that they could no longer have spoken their own mother tongue, which could have been the reason that they had to speak some language of the Egyptians. It should be known that Hebrew is a Greek word⁶⁰ and not a word belonging to a language of the Children of Israel, therefore it should be understood that because everyone is referring to it as Hebrew, we will retain the word as Hebrew; this in no way means that we say Hebrew is the correct word or language. This

⁵⁶: Chambers Twentieth Century Dictionary.

 $^{^{\}rm 57}$: There is no evidence that she spoke Hebrew.

⁵⁸: The word Hebrew originated from Greek, this means that Hebrew must have come into being after the Greeks entered Palestine.

⁵⁹: (The Protestant) New Bible Dictionary 1988, p. 305.

^{60:} See Peake's Commentary on the Bible 1919, p. 34.

leaves us with the question, as to whether prophet Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) could have been the author of a part of the Hebrew Old Testament. These points are sufficient to reject that there is an **ORIGINAL** Old Testament!

According to the original Christians, the language Jesus spoke was ARAMAIC. According to the Catholic Bible (1959), the language of Jesus is said to be Aramaic, which was the spoken language in Galilee at that time.⁶¹ "...No contemporary literary remains of this dialect, [Aramaic] remains, we cannot determine precisely the dialect He spoke" [our emphases].⁶² This means that there cannot be **ORIGINAL** words in any book, which Jesus spoke!

Consequently, the claim, which reads as follows: "They are the interpretations of the scholars from the original text, whether it's Hebrew or Greek. Technically speaking, these and any other translated literature are interpretations of the original from which they are translated"

Bluntly stated: The above is a blatant lie!!! There are no ORIGINALS of any of the two books *i.e.* Old or New Testaments!!! We must never forget the fact that any Bible can never be a true Christian document, never mind an original book!

We will now address our second claim:

The definition of the word **revision** according to The New Collins Concise Dictionary, 1985 edition, means:

"To change, or amend, or prepare a new story."

It should therefore always be borne in mind that when Christians or Jews refer to a 'revision' of the Bible, it could mean that they refer to the revision of the first reconstructed version of the Bible⁶³. Namely, the Septuagint of which its original copy according to history is lost or

⁶¹: (J. P. O'Connell, et al. The Holy Family Bible Holy Family Edition of the Catholic Bible, from a Practical Dictionary of Biblical and General Catholic Information, Virtue and Company Limited: London, 1959, p. 30.

^{62:} C.B., p. 30.

⁶³ Exactly as stated in the Glorious Qur'ân 1,400 years ago- that they are writing their own Book and calling it the Word of God. (Read Chapter 2 verse 79 of the Glorious Our'ân above)

was destroyed, therefore no one can refer to it. It is necessary to mention here, that after a new version was re-constructed, and it remained subjected to constant **revision** throughout history and could continue to be, as time goes on, in order to comply with the ideologies of the day.

'Version' means: 'an account of a matter from a certain point of view, as contrasted with others: his version of the accident is different from the policeman's.'64

When Christians and Jews refer to translations concerning the Bible, it is clear from history that they do not refer to translations from the **original divine manuscripts** but translations of *revised versions*, constructed and reconstructed by them. When reference is made to the languages of the Bible, it could refer to "Hebrew"⁶⁵, Aramaic, Greek and Latin. Yet, historically, from a Jewish and Christian viewpoint, "Hebrew" and Aramaic appear to be the only languages spoken by the Israelite prophets, (descendants of Isaac - p.b.u.them) though not according to their history.

The Greek or Latin languages were never spoken by any of the Israelite prophets (p.b.u.them). It was also not a divine instruction for the Greek or Latin languages to be used for the recording of the Israelite prophets' (p.b.u.them) divine messages.

Moreover, from the evil Europeans' historical evidence it is clear that the languages of the Israelite prophets (the descendants of Isaac - p.b.u.them) could have been Egyptian, "Hebrew" 66 and Aramaic: - the "Hebrew" and Aramaic languages were also of an unknown dialect in different periods of time. The first Scriptures of Moses (p.b.u.h) should have been recorded in both languages, that is, the Egyptian and Aramaic. God would not reveal Divine information to His messengers (p.b.u.them) in a language foreign⁶⁷ to them. However, the original works should have been translated into different languages so that

 65 : Hebrew was only completed as a written language in the 10^{th} century.

 $^{^{64}}$: The New Collins Concise Dictionary, 1985 edition

^{66:} Firstly, Hebrew is a Greek word, and not from any of the Children of Israelites languages. It should be noted that Hebrew was only completed as a language in the tenth century.

⁶⁷ "And We sent no messenger but with the language of his people, so that he might explain to them clearly." (Al-Qur'ân 14:4)

various nations could understand them. An examination of Biblical history would reveal that this is not the case, but surprisingly the Septuagint (Greek version) appears to be the first recording according to Christian information. However, only the name of it (Septuagint) is known but no original book of it was ever found. For the Jews and the Christians, the Septuagint was known to be the oldest of the Scriptures, although it is lost. However, the Massoretic text of 916 CE was the oldest before the Dead Sea scrolls were discovered in 1947.

Please note it is reported that the Egyptian language could have originated from the first pagan dynasty:

"The Egyptian language offers an unusual philological history of about 5,000 years; its earliest records begin with Dyn. I, and the language, in one form or another, lived on continuously until Coptic, its lineal descendant, became practically extinct as a spoken language in the 16th century C.E." 68

We repeat there can never be any translation of the Old or New Testaments from the originals because: "Since no autograph⁶⁹ of any book of the Bible has survived, ⁷⁰ firstly, if there are no original surviving autographs of any book, how can a translation be verified? Secondly, no one knows the Bible by memory. Thirdly, the language problem, which makes it impossible for anyone to claim that there are copies in existence. Fourthly, to state: "They are the interpretations of the scholars from the original text, whether it's Hebrew or Greek."

The fact that the oldest Biblical documents are supposed to be the Biblical documents of the Dead Sea Scrolls, which are written in Aramaic and not in Hebrew or Greek languages, proves the fallacy of the claim.

The first paragraph is another revealing fact of Christian paganism. The important point to take notice of is the following: "... witnessing to them the greatest message ever, that is: "Jesus saves and fills seeking hearts with the Holy Spirit." This is absolute nonsense!

⁶⁸: 'The Westminster Dictionary of the Bible, by John D. Davis. Revised and Rewritten by Henry Snyder Gehman, 1944, p. 149.

^{69:} Meaning: handwritten scriptures.

⁷⁰: (The Protestant) New Bible Dictionary, 1978, p. 151.

Can a pagan message created by Constantine the pagan be 'the greatest message ever'? One must be informed that Constantine used <u>a</u> gang of pagans with his beliefs in order to put Christianity together. Ponder over the next part of the irrational statement:

"...that is: "Jesus saves and fills seeking hearts with the Holy Spirit."

How can a human being like Jesus who ate food and answered the call of nature, be in a position to help others, when it is not possible for him to help himself? Now think rationally, what is the Holy Spirit? Human beings can only understand things that can make sense to them. No one can rationally explain what is a Holy Spirit or Holy Ghost. **These are pagan terms that were introduced by the pagans long before Constantine**; he used it so that all the pagans together can have a new home. Therefore, no rational discussions can really take place between rational Muslims and irrational pagan Christians.

The fact that Jesus did not personally collect the Gospel into book form is a clear sign that the Gospel was for a certain time period only and what is now recorded is men's fabrication as Jesus did not verify what is truth or false.

Jesus brought a message, which was in the Galilean Aramaic dialect, but it is lost or the pagan rulers destroyed it. The Gospel, as it is known today, finds its basis in paganism. Many pagans wrote Gospels, the other day we saw a new one coming to the fore, and it is going to make a huge impact and a new contribution to the incomplete story of the Gospels. What is now recorded is men's fabrication as Jesus did not verify what is truth or false. This is really an historical fact, which no one can refute.

There are no originals manuscripts of any of the books of Bible. We have given sufficient evidence, which establishes this irrefutable truth! A Divine message of God is not like a novel that can be changed as human beings like. From the above it appears that Christians do not regard the words of God in the Bible as something which human beings cannot produce! The above argument suggests that there is nothing in the Bible which has information of God, which informs human beings about God's creation of which they have no knowledge. Therefore, they can boastfully (sic) claim that it is necessary to revise the Bible. Whether it is from the reconstructed Bibles or the Hebrew

Bible of which the language was only finalised in the tenth century C.E. and from Greek which contains stories of Jesus that were written long after his death.

We have to inform the reader that it is impossible for us Muslims to regard the Bible as a divine book; so also we cannot forge a lie by saying that there is an original Bible in the world! How can the Greek words be the original words of Jesus? Even, if we want to argue that there was no other New Testament except the Greek one, then this would mean that the New Testament in Greek is the original. But it cannot be regarded as the original words of Jesus as Jesus was not a Greek! Therefore we cannot accept that the Greek story is divine words. Furthermore, then we must also agree that Jesus served no purpose, as his original words and message were not recorded. In other words, what was the purpose of Jesus when no one has his original words and message?

Furthermore, we know that the Roman Catholics' Bible have not the same *number of verses* as that of the Protestant Bible, and we also know that the *number of books* are not same. It is an undisputed historical fact that the Bible's custodians are the Roman Catholic Church who created it. If they (*the Catholic church*) say that the Protestant's Bible is an unholy book as they made changes to it, then what right has anyone else got to say that it is not so?

One must understand that the Protestors only became apostates during the sixteenth century. *This means that their brand new religion is only about 453 years*⁷¹ *old that is about 1553 years after Jesus.* How can anyone claim that the Protestants did not <u>EDIT</u> OR <u>REVISE</u> the Bible?

The following extracts prove our allegations of the Pagan Nations to use the method of 'Christianizing^{72'} to enslave the indigenous peoples of other countries

8th September 2007 from International Clearing House- "We could not leave them to themselves -- they were unfit for self-government -

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⁷¹ They are a brand new religion, even younger than Islam. (in 2007)

 $^{^{72}}$ Christianizing means: Mass slaughtering of the innocent indigenous populations, enslaving and robbing them of their natural resources etc as in Iraq and Afghanistan in the 21st century

and they would soon have anarchy and misrule over there worse than Spain's was. There was nothing left for us to do but to take them all, and to educate the Filipinos, and uplift and civilize and

<u>Christianize</u> them." – William McKinley - (1843-1901) 25th US
President - Source: 1899, on the Filipinos, following the U.S. invasion
of the Philippines in 1898. During the invasion and occupation, U.S.
forces killed an estimated 200,000 Filipino civilians. [Address to the
Methodist Episcopal Church; cited in Olcott, The Life of William
McKinley (1916), v. 2, p. 110; estimate of civilian casualties from U.S.
Library of Congress, "The World of 1898: The Spanish-American
War,"]

Today there are 190 nations in the world and we have 130 military bases on this planet in other nations: If we do not have a WAR department, why do we need so many bases? We call the military-the Department of Defense-yet how can this be considered a Defensive Department - when so many of our bases are still located in 130 other countries"?

"We're Dealing with a Christian Taliban" -By Jim Kirwan-Interview with Mikey Weinstein

Last month, (September 2007) the Pentagon pulled the plug on a plan to dispatch so-called "freedom packages" to U.S. troops in Iraq that included Bibles, proselytizing materials in English and Arabic, and an apocalyptic computer game in which "soldiers for Christ" battle satanic "Global Community Peacekeepers".

HISTORY OF THE VULGATE

In the year 384 C.E. Damasus died, "and was succeeded by Siricius, who did not show much friendship towards Jerome. He found it expedient to leave Rome, and set out for the East in 385."⁷³ The journey took Jerome to Antioch:

"There he was joined by two wealthy Roman ladies, Paula, a widow, and Eustochium, her daughter, one of Jerome's Hebrew students. They

⁷³: Encyclopaedia Britannica, Vol. 13, op. cit., p. 2.

came accompanied by a band of Roman maidens who vowed to live a celibate life in a nunnery in Palestine. Accompanied by these ladies

Jerome made the tour of Palestine..."

Paula built four monasteries, of which three were for nuns and the fourth for monks.

"Jerome resided over the fourth monastery. Here he did most of his literary work, and throwing aside his unfinished plan for a translation from Origen's Hexaplar text, translated the Old Testament directly from the Hebrew, with the aid of Jewish scholars. He mentions a rabbi from Lydda, a rabbi from Tiberias, and above all Rabbi Ben Anina, who came to him by *night secretly for fear of the Jews*. Jerome makes the synagogue responsible for the accuracy of his version: "Let him who would challenge aught in this translation," he states, "ask the Jews."

The result of all this labour was the Latin translation of the Scriptures, which afterwards became the Vulgate or authorised version; but the Vulgate as we have it now suffered a good deal from changes made under the influence of the older translations; the text became very corrupt during the middle ages, and in particular all the **apocrypha books** (meaning doubtful books), except Tobit and Judith, which Jerome translated from the Chaldee, were added from the older versions."⁷⁴ (Our Emphases)

The Encyclopaedia Britannica clearly and boldly states:

"The text became very corrupt" [our emphasis].

The first secret of Jerome and the Jewish Rabbis, which was claimed to have been caused "by fear", needs to be explained. How are we going to do this? If there were other Old Testaments, where are they today? Where is the copy from which they made the Vulgate? On the other hand, was the reason for the Rabbis to come secretly at night because they knew that Jerome and they were creating something new?

The First Catholic Bible (Translated on instructions of Pope Damasus)

⁷⁴: ibid. Vol. 2, op. cit., pp. 2-3.

Approximately in 381 C.E the Roman State succeeded in suppressing the Unitarian (under the leadership of Arius) beliefs that at the time was the closest to the true teachings of Nabî 'Îsâ (p.b.u.h) [whom the Christians claim was Christ Jesus, the Greek]. Two years later, approximately 383 AD, not having destroyed the Unitarian beliefs completely, the state introduced a Bible, which would conform to its ideology. Pope Damasus who was the "Pontifex Maximus" for the state entrusted this task to St. Jerome. The following statement bears the information from which this inference is drawn:

"The Vulgate is the translation of the Bible into Latin by St. Jerome (340-420). About 383, at the request of Pope Damasus, he began revising the Old Latin version of the Gospels according to the Greek. He probably revised the other books of the New Testament at the same time. Beginning about 387 in Bethlehem, he revised the Latin version of the **protocanonical books**... of the Old Testament according to the Greek in the Hexapla of Origen. About 390 Jerome began a new Latin translation of the whole Old Testament (except five deuterocanonical books) from the original Hebrew. The Vulgate is made up largely of Jerome's work in these three revisions and versions. Thus in the Vulgate, the New Testament is his first revision according to the Greek. The Psalms are from his revision of the Old Testament according to the Greek in the Hexapla of Origen. The protocanonical books of the Old Testament are from Jerome's translation of the Hebrew. The five deuterocanonical books omitted by Jerome (Wisdom, Sirach, Baruch, 1 Machabees, 2 Machabees) are from the Old Latin version" [our emphases].75

St. Jerome began his task by revising the Old Latin version of the 4 Gospels "according to the Greek." As reported above, St. Jerome probably revised the Old Latin version to conform to the Greek version. If the Old Latin or Greek versions were divine books, there would not have been a necessity for St. Jerome to revise them, as it would have been a relatively simple task merely to translate them from one language to another. It is clear that St. Jerome did not engage himself merely in the translation but was engaged in the *revision*

75: C.B., p. 29. Note: 3 different languages and not one of them were spoken by Jesus. Yet they claim that it is 'original' and it is 'the Word of God'. How untruthful can one

thereof. The only conclusion that one can draw from the above event is that he must have been instructed to *revise* the 4 Gospels. The reason could have been that the story of Jesus in the 4 Gospels did not concur with what they wanted it to project. For this reason it had to be amended in order to conform to Constantine's state constitution of paganism!

After this *revision* was completed, the remaining 23 books (which form the canon or regulations of Christian ideology) - according to the state - had been drawn. This might have been the sequence of events that could have taken place if the statements were analysed. One may understand why the amendments are referred to as *revisions* and not translations.

The New Testament that was *invented* now posed serious problems to the Old Testament, which now also had to be *revised* to be compatible with that of the New Testament.

The problem was that the sequence of events did not follow in the ordained chronological order. What ought to have happened was that the Old Testament had to be *translated first*, and *then* the New Testament to ensure its holiness. This was not done as the above statement clearly indicates. They were *revised in reversed order!*

The proper meaning of the word revise according to The New Collins Concise Dictionary 1985, is "to change or amend", "or to prepare a new story". According to the above statement, St. Jerome did the most unforgivable sin when he began to change or amend, or prepare a new story of the 4 Gospels. Thereafter he changed or amended, or prepared a new story of the remaining 23 books. After 4 years, in 387 C.E he began to change or amend, or prepare a new story of the Old Latin version of the protocanonical books ("meaning the inspiration of the books which was never questioned") of the Old Testament according to the Greek language in the Hexapla of Origen.

After these *revisions* were completed, the stories were adjusted to conform to the constitution of the state's ideology. Approximately in the year 390 C.E, Jerome began the new translation of the whole Old Testament ('except five the deuterocanonical books'), ('whose divinely inspired character was disputed at one time') 'from the original Hebrew'.

The statement, which refers to 'the original Hebrew', could only have referred to the Hebrew in the Hexapla of Origen, as it did not contain vowels. It was derived from various copies of copies and it included the Septuagint which together with the entire works of the Hexapla of Origen. Jerome's work is therefore non-divine.

THE VULGATE

Protestant viewpoint:

As has been mentioned earlier, Jerome was assigned to revise the Bible:

"He was commissioned by the then Pope to produce a Latin rendering of the whole of the Bible, and he began by revising for the NT and the Psalter the existing translations into Latin, the so-called **Old Latin** texts, to bring them into line with the LXX [Septuagint]" [our emphases]. ⁷⁶

Hence, the Vulgate of Jerome became his original work, which means that no other Vulgate existed before his time. It could also mean that the original Vulgate could have existed between 340 and 420 C.E and therefore had to be translated from a non-vowel text if there was one, as the vowel system only emerged in the 7th century C.E or during "C.E 500 to 1000". However, the point in question is that the Vulgate of Jerome had to be "in line with the LXX". If this is so, then the Vulgate of Jerome is also an unreliable source as the Septuagint is said to have been the work of 'ignorant' 77 scribes. We, therefore, deduce that "the existing translations" had to be translations from various Septuagints. Since the latter were written in two distinct periods, viz. 284/5-246/7 BC and 250-100 BC, how do we know whether the Vulgate was "in line" with any of the Septuagints, as so much confusion prevails regarding its (Septuagint) date of origin and its contents?

Instead of following the western mind by branding a person a blatant liar, we think it is better to call one an *Ignoramus*, or *Jung'li* in Urdu, especially when a person is ignorant of the facts and make bold statements, which are not true.

⁷⁶: Peake's Commentary on the Bible, 1962 edition, 1962, 58c, p. 75.

 $^{^{77}}$: Peake's Commentary on the Bible, 1962 edition, 49c, page $63\,$

TEXTUAL CRITICISM

A study of Textual Criticism is necessary to understand the significance and impact with the most recent information at hand, namely the Dead Sea Scrolls, had on Biblical history and understanding. The Catholics explained it as follows:

"The **science** that seeks to determine as **nearly** as possible the original biblical text as it was written by the authors themselves. This science applies to other literature besides the Bible, for example, to the Latin classics such as the works of Horace or Cicero, or to the plays of Shakespeare. In each case, all the available evidence is gathered to determine the history of the transmission of the text, and then compared to establish what seems to be the original text. There are two kinds of evidence which the textual critic uses in order to determine the text: external (documents) and internal (conjecture). As regards external evidence for both the Old and New Testaments, there are thousands of Hebrew and Greek manuscripts which have been preserved through the centuries. Besides, there are many copies of the old translations of the Bible, such as the **Greek Septuagint**, the **Latin Vulgate**, and **the Syriac Peshitto**. All these versions are important because they tell us about the state of the biblical text at a time not long after the original text was written. Hence the textual critic must master all these Languages in order to use these sources, and then by comparison of text and translations he strives to reach the original reading. Some parts of the Bible have been corrupted (i.e., the original reading has been lost) during the course of its history. If the corruption occurred very early, it may be impossible for the textual critic to arrive at the original by use of documents. Then he must resort to conjecture: taking into account the context, and various possibilities of error in the script, he strives to restore the text as he conceives it was originally written. For example: "Return, O Lord, you who ride upon the clouds," in Numbers 10:36 is a conjectural emendation of a **corrupt Hebrew text**. While the substantial integrity of biblical text has been preserved by the providence of God; there is still a place for textual criticism, as the Church recognizes. In the Divino afflante Spiritu... Pope Pius XII said that the art of textual criticism is "quite rightly employed in the case of the sacred books...to ensure that the sacred text be restored, as perfectly as possible, and be purified from the corruptions due to the carelessness of the copyists..."

[our emphases].78

In essence, what it really means is that Textual Criticism forms the basis of Biblical establishment and compilation.

From the aforementioned, we deduce that the authors or Textual Critics mastered the languages of copies or at least translated copies of an *unknown Bible*. What pertinence can be embodied in the works of the Textual Critics if no knowledge about the original text exists? Is it possible to accredit constructive significance to a text, which is said to be near to the original without the latter being available? Since when can a piece of work based on a copy of some book, which is claimed to be a copy of the lost original in translated form, project valid support in favour of the meaning of the original? It is bizarre to refer to the term "corrupted" as "the original reading has been lost," again implying that corruption became due to "carelessness of the copyists." The corruption could only be due to the reproduction of verses which were non-existent.

Moreover, science can be proven as it is exact! Can guesswork be termed as science? Can writing down one's own ideas and thoughts claiming it to be the word of God be termed as science? In the case of 'Textual Criticism' that is what it really means: putting one's own ideas, thoughts, surmising, conjecturing and then passing it off as the word of God. Can this conjecturing and forging be termed as scientific? No! This is treason of the highest order in the spiritual realm⁷⁹! Those who are guilty of this will pay for this in the hereafter!

For example, in the N.I.V., a corrupted portion of the text in Numbers 10:36 can be identified: "Return, O Lord, to the countless thousands of Israel." The authors of the N.I.V. provide no support that this verse was created through Textual Criticism. On the contrary, this sentence was plagiarised from the translated copy, i.e. the text from which the verse was written down. The Catholics conceded that this conjectural

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⁷⁸: C.B., pp. 242-243.

⁷⁹ Example: If a person forged a letter claiming it to be from the President of his country, what will be the consequences of his action when he is found out to be forging such a letter? Will anyone believe the letter to be true? Will that person be trusted again? With all the evidence in this booklet, can any person who loves Jesus and God still be willing to believe that the Bible is the Word of God??

emendation (correct and revise) of this corrupt Hebrew text is unacceptable. However, it is not as the Pope stated that textual criticism can restore a text which was corrupted due to the carelessness of the copyist; because the copyist knew what the contents of the original text was comprised of, and still changed it to something other than the written one. Therefore, it is wrong to assume that it was copied wrongly. The Catholic Bible presents the verse as follows:

"...Return, O Lord, to the multitude of the host of Israel."

Hence, we deduce that the original text is missing and that the copyists were (criminally) careless in recording the verse.

"There are the thousands of manuscripts that contain variants."

In other words, there are enormous / vast amounts of 'variants' parts in the Bible due to the fact of Textual Criticism. The statement, which says: "These variants are caused by partly destroyed MSS and NOT BECAUSE OF DIFFERENT RECORDED VERSIONS" supports our claim. When the 'destroyed MSS' are re-written by the Textual Critic then the Bible must contain a different version to that of the original statement.

"The thousands of manuscripts that contain variants" means in actual fact that the Bible contains mainly the Textual Critic's words than that of God! Yet they pass it off as the Word of God.

THE AUTHORS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT

In the following argument we shall point out a discrepancy that evolved from the teachings of the four authors, viz. Matthew, Mark, Luke and John relating to Jesus. The Catholics contend that none of the 'original' manuscripts of the NT exists. Hence, only copies of an unknown N.T should exist. It is from these copies that the four authors informed us about the information about Jesus, and it is from these Gospels that they obtained their Biblical information. Let us now refer to the following verses pertaining to the same subject as it appears in the four different Gospels:

MATTHEW: N.I.V. Matthew 27:37

Above his head they placed the written charge against him: "This is Jesus the King of the Jews"

MARK: N.I.V. Mark 15:26

The written notice of the charge against him read: "The King of the Jews"

LUKE: N.I.V. Luke 23:38

There was a written notice above him, which read: "This is the King of the Jews"

JOHN: N.I.V. John 19:19.

Pilate had a notice prepared and fastened to the cross, it read, "Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews".

It is clear that all four authors describe the charge against Jesus as a 'written' notice. What this means, is that the charge against Jesus (p.b.u.h) was put in writing. Therefore, such a 'written' charge can only contain the charge in a *grammatical sentence*, *containing certain* distinct words. Understandably, the 'written' notice was in "Aramaic, Latin and Greek."80 However, in the King James Version 1984, John 19:19, it claims:

"This title then read many of the Jews: for the place where Jesus was crucified was nigh to the city: and it was written in Hebrew, and Greek, and Latin".

This means that three of the authors copied or translated the 'written' notice incorrectly, and as a result it means that the three (or four?) languages must have been translated incorrectly! The question is: who copied or translated the 'written' notice incorrectly? Just consider this: A one line written notice was translated incorrectly by 3 or 4 of the Bible writers, hence it is unreliable; then could any of the hundreds of words spoken by Jesus ORALLY be remembered and written correctly?? It stands to reason that it is impossible on the basis of this proof from the Bible itself on only one sentence!

In essence, disagreement amongst these authors on the same subject elicited serious doubts about their ability to copy or translate divine

^{80:} N.I.V. John 19:20.

texts. Our concern is that if the authors could copy or translate the N.T manuscripts incorrectly in relation to a particular subject, is it not possible that many similar contradictions are present in the current N.T? It is important moreover, especially in the light of what is contained in statement made in the N.B.C., p. 3, which relates to what Christ Jesus spoke and whether when such words spoken can be regarded as having divine authority when it was obtained *second hand*.

Furthermore, we understand that the role of Textual Criticism is to bring about consensus in the written N.T text. It appears as if the N.I.V.'s Textual Critics have failed to remedy the text regarding the "written notice" above the head of Jesus. In other words, they did not weigh the words of different authors against each other and hence, never reached consensus about what the "written notice" should have been. In this sense, the authors of the N.I.V. failed to produce a text devoid of contradiction in such a basic recording! Just one written sentence!

How many more contradictions, deliberate and not so deliberate mistakes there are in the Bible is unimaginable! In the Awake Magazine dated September, 1957 it is boldly written that there are probably 50, 000 (fifty thousand) errors in the Bible!! Need we say more about the reliability of the Bible?

As the Glorious Qur'ân unequivocally states: "Then Woe To Those Who Write, The Book With Their Own Hands, And Then Say: This Is From God," To Traffic With It For A Miserable Price!

Al-Qur'ân Chapter 2: verse 79

Any historian of repute will know that wherever one finds White Christians and Jews in the world, and whether some of them today are Atheist or not, they are sitting in possession of stolen property. Take the United States of America, every White person of British or European decent that are in that country, is as a result of brutal barbaric killings of the indigenous people. In South Africa⁸¹ in the

^{81.} South Africa became a democratic country in 1994. Thereafter a Truth & Reconciliation Commission was set up to investigate the atrocities committed by the Christian White Apartheid Govt. Some of the most bizarre and unbelievable acts of barbarism was committed by these White Born again Christian Security Policeman

twenty-first century, the Codesa Agreement is an example of Christian robbery. They have produced the so-called most advanced Constitution in the world, which gives the White Christians and Jews everything they have stolen from the indigenous people of our Land, as if it is their legitimate properties. Think carefully why we say: '... unfortunately he cannot free himself from,' meaning the 'natural way of robbing, being untruthful, having brutal tendencies, lying, and other bad habits, which has developed as an innate nature of Christians and Jews'.

Study the history of the world with truthful analysis (past and present) and see what they are doing to other peoples in the world! And so it is with the Bible (NT & OT) that they have destroyed the messages of the Prophets.

The question whether the whole Bible is the word of God or not needs a constructive answer. The fact that nabî Mûsâ (p.b.u.h) had to speak the Egyptian language with Pharaoh is sufficient reason to understand that the greater part of the Bible cannot be divine words. The lesser part of the Bible which supposed to contain the words of nabî 'Îsâ (p.b.u.h) are not his words as its "original" are in the Greek language which makes it a plain **pagan story book**.

A Few Quotations and Comments

There are **Multiple Apostate Bible Versions** created by those who rejected the original Christian books. In fact, the late Father Curry, who was a Roman Catholic Priest from Cape Town, said: *'Every book of the Protestants is evil and it has nothing to do with Christianity'*!

Timothy wrote in the Greek language, which was not spoken by any Israelite prophet.

"Holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost."

What is a 'Holy Ghost'? How can one substantiate it with evidence

upon the black indigenous peoples. A few examples: {1}These white Christian security policemen knocked nails into sticks and then pushed it up the anus of the 'terrorist', then pulled it down so hard that it tore the inside of the person and he died of a most painful and lingering death. {2} Throwing down people from 10 storey buildings (Ahmed Timol) {3} Poisoning them (Frank Chikane) etc. These are all recorded in the Truth and Reconciliation records. The list goes on and on.

when the term comes from paganism? Examine the following words carefully in order to find if there is any truth in the statement:

"The stories, history and events mentioned therein are true recordings because God is inspiring the scribes to write accurately from their memories, historical events, etc."

What are the foundations on which one must believe the stories, when it contains unexplainable fiction? Compare the recordings of these scribes and one finds complete contradictions in the most basic happenings! Yet the Church makes these preposterous and absurd claims of scribes being 'inspired'.

Reflect a little on the claim: "a Bible believing Christian". Does this mean that he or she believes in the Bible of the Mormon, or The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints' holy words? Or, does it mean that such a person believes in the Roman Catholic Holy Bible which has more books than the **rejecters/apostates** (*Protestants*) of the First Christian Church? Alternatively, does it mean that such a person believes in the Jehovah⁸² Witness version of the Bible based on their understanding thereof? Do not forget Peake's Commentary of the Bible, which has the following comment, under the following heading:

Confusion concerning the "divine" message in the Bible:

Reference is made to some problematic quotations, which may contain aspects not adequately discussed in the Christian and Jewish literature. The first conflict that is referred to can be found in the following quotation:

"For the Pentateuch we have Targum Jerusalem I (or Palestinian Targum), which has also been called Pseudo - Jonathan (the abbreviation T.J. having been wrongly tacked on to a well-known Targumic personality). It contains a text to which later reference will be made, and a considerable amount of paraphrase, popular stories and marginal notes, though how much is later accretion is rightly

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⁸² One must understand that the so called Jehovah Witnesses Christians are a very new religion. They only date back to the 1870's. The Catholic Church has branded them as APOSTATES, which means that they have abandoned the belief of the Catholic Church. Also the other sects, like the Baptists, Latter Day saints, Pinkster Kerk, The Mormon Church, Jesus is King Church, Sowers of the Wood, Saint this or that, etc all fall into the same category of Apostates.

suspected when we find that it includes in Gen. 21:21 the names of a wife and daughter of Mohammed" [our emphases].83

It is apparent that the Textual Critics in their reconstruction of certain passages of the Bible, which could have been missing due to the mutilation or destruction of the Scrolls, may have used the Targums to formulate the present Bible. These Targums could comprise of non-divine information, which have been used hitherto in the revision of the present day Bibles. It can be that the issue dealing with 'the names of a wife and daughter of Mohammed' can be justified in terms of historical evidence. This statement does not purport to create an argument that this is the portion that should have been included in the various versions of the Bible. It merely points out that inappropriate information (please analyse 'The problem of Esther' in various commentaries) could have been included in the Bible and pertinent information could have been omitted as a result.

The first Bible that appeared in the world <u>between two covers</u> was in 1740-41. The Bible by Tarndale which is claimed to be around the 1500's is also not to be found.

Some pastors & priests pose the question: How can we account for similarities in certain verses between the Bible and the Qur'ân though there is a difference of languages?

The answer is really quite simple. As explained above, the barbarians of Europe were civilized by the Muslims. In the seventh century, Muslims entered Spain and brought such standards of civilisation⁸⁴ to the barbarians that the barbarians for the first time in their lives experienced such sophistication that it was like a miracle to them. In fact they looked upon the Muslims as 'gods'.

When they read the Glorious Qur'ân they realised that here was a Book that was miraculous. It spoke about all branches of sciences (astronomy, embryology, botany, physics, zoology, medicine, hydrology, etc. etc) and the Muslims were advancing in all these sciences.

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^{83:} Peake. 1962, 66e, p. 84.

⁸⁴ Refer to: John William Draper's book: 'The History of the Intellectual Development of Europe' {M.D., LL.D., Professor of Chemistry and Physiology in the University of New York}

However, unfortunately for these barbarians they failed to realise that the Glorious Qur'ân has two types of verses, <u>allegorical and fundamental</u>, and again unfortunately for them <u>they interpreted all the verses literally</u> by attributing divinity to Jesus on the basis of certain allegorical statements, without heeding the fundamental principles established by the earlier prophets.

The two types of verses in the Glorious Qur'ân is unequivocally stated in Surah Al-Imraan, Chapter 3 verse 7.

"He it is Who has revealed the Book to you, some of its verses are Muhkamât (absolutely clear and lucid, decisive); they are *Ummul-Kitâb* (the core of the original foundation of all revelation; the Essence of Allâh's Will and Law. The basis of the Book and also its protector, hence the 'mother of the Book'); and others are Mutashâbihât (allegorical). Then those in whose hearts is perversity follow the part of it, which is allegorical, seeking to mislead and seeking to give it (their own) interpretation. (What it means is that one is not searching for its hidden meanings). And mâya'lamu (none can exhaust its): ta'wîlahu 'illallâh (ta'wîlahu = the discovering, detecting, revealing, developing or disclosing or the explaining, expounding or interpreting of which a thing is or may be reduced or that which it may come to be, [within the framework of the Qur'anic teachings]), save Allâh. And those firmly rooted in knowledge, they say-'We believe in it, it is all from our Rabb.85 And none will grasp the message except people of understanding."86

The Glorious Qur'ân states that it consist of two types of verses. The **first type** of verses is the Muhkamât (decisive) verses which mean having the power of deciding: showing decision: final: positive and these are the foundation of the Book.

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 $^{^{85}}$: According to Ar-Râghib al-Isfahânî, it means 'to nurture a thing in such a manner as to make it attain one condition after another until its goal of completion' Mufradât alfâz al-Qur'ân by ar-Râghib al-Isfahânî. Please note that the word has different meanings when it does not refer to the Creator.

 $^{^{86}}$: Al-Qur'ân 3:7.

The second category of verses is that which are called Muta<u>sh</u>âbihât (allegorical). Allegorical means:

- (1) 'A figurative representation conveying a meaning other than and in addition to the literal. ... The etymological meaning of the word is wider than which it bears in actual use. An allegory is distinguished from a metaphor by being longer sustained and more fully carried out in its details, and from analogy by the fact that one appeals to the imagination and the other to reason. ..."87
- (2) "Yes, through the allegorical verses delusion is overcome by reason, imagination is compelled to submit to thought, the hidden is made present, the disparate are brought together, the various are blended, the sundered connected, and the defenseless armed. The hidden is made is made present, the abstract made tangible, and the meaning made palpable...88."

In other words the statements made in allegorical words are susceptible to different meanings, the interpretation of which must be in consonance with the other parts and the spirit of the Book.

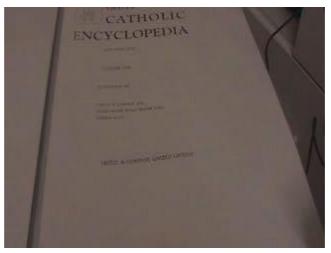
In fact this is true of every writing. When a certain law is laid down in a book in unmistakable words, any statement carrying a doubtful significance or one which is apparently opposed to the law so laid down must be interpreted *subject to* the principle enunciated. Thus reading various passages in the light of each other, they discover the true significance of ambiguous passages. Hence such people are spoken of as *knowing* the true interpretation of allegorical verses. The second type of people are: "Then those in whose hearts is perversity follow the part of it which is allegorical" are those that do not care to seek the real interpretation, which can only be found by referring to the principles laid down elsewhere in the Glorious Qur'ân.

As further irrefutable proof we produce below copies of pages from the Catholic Encyclopaedia, Catholic Bible, and Protestant Encyclopaedia, which state that the Bible is not genuine and so can

 $_{\rm 87}$: The Encyclopædia Britannica. 14th edition 1929, Vol. 1, p. 645.

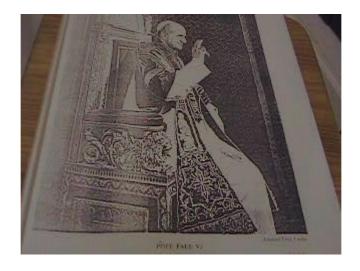
⁸⁸ Explanation by a great scholar of Islam, Bediuzzman Said Nursi from Turkië (Turkey) in his book: "Signs of Miraculousness" - page 122

never be accepted as the Word of God. Please contact Mr. S. Ebrahim to inspect the above-mentioned books and verify the authenticity of them if you cannot find them in the libraries⁸⁹. His email address is:

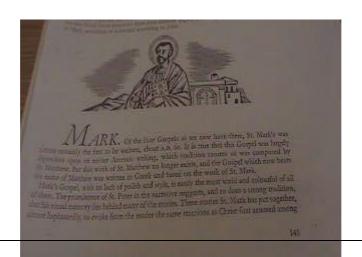


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⁸⁹ It is a fact that there are many so called 'Born again Christians' who steal, mutilate and destroy the abovementioned types of books in the libraries all over the world to hide the truth. These types of Christians are criminals of the worse sort, as their intentions are evil and they want to deliberately mislead people from the truth. This is another proof that they know the Bible is a fabrication and they want to hide this fact.

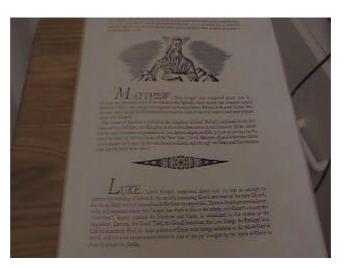


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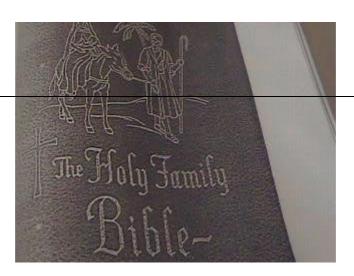


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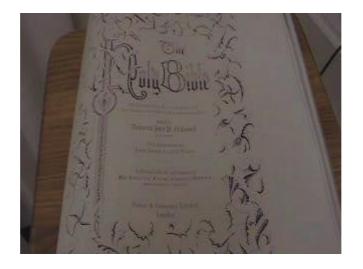
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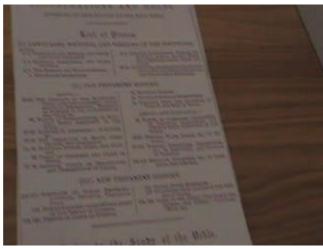


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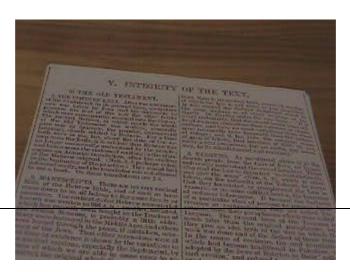
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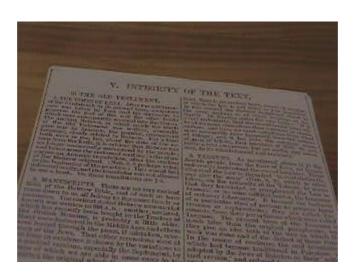


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Now we present internal evidence from the Bibles of today that they are fabricated, concocted and revised versions of the previous fabricated books!

PREFACE

THE Revised Standard Version of the Bible is an authorized revision of the American Standard Version, published in 1901, which was a revision of the King James Version, published in 1611.

The first English version of the Scriptures made by direct translation from the original Hebrew and Greek, and the first to be printed, was the work of William Tyndale. He met bitter opposition. He was accused of willfully perverting the meaning of the Scriptures, and his New Testaments were ordered to be burned as "untrue translations." He was finally betrayed into the hands of his enemies, and in October 1536, was publicly executed and burned at the stake. and burned at the stake.

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Yet the King James Version has grave defects. By the middle of the nineteenth century, the development of Biblical studies and the discovery of many manuscripts more ancient than those upon which the King James Version was based, made it manifest that these defects are so many and so serious as to call for revision of the English translation. The task was undertaken, by authority of the Church of England, in 1870. The English Revised Version of the Bible was published in 1881–1885; and the American Standard Version, its variant embodying the preferences of the American Standard Version, its variant embodying the preferences of the American scholars associated in the work, was published in 1901.

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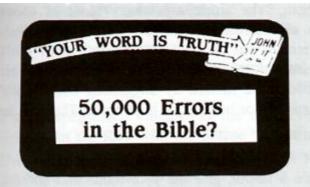
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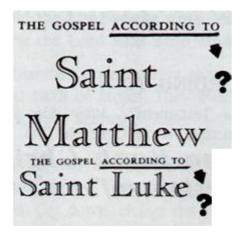
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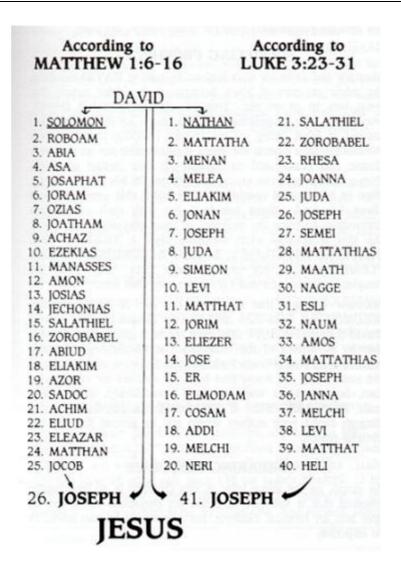


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Quote: Reading Bible stories to children can also open up all sorts of opportunities to discuss the morality of sex. An unexpurgated Bible might get an X-rating from some censors,

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Even the so-called genealogy of Jesus is different by the Gospel writers. They have contradicted amongst themselves on dozens of verses, as is shown in this book, so the question is: can they be trusted in their writings about the word of God??



No two names are alike except for the name of Joseph! Even the genealogy is unreliable! How much more the text claiming to be the word of God?

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QUOTED BELOW ARE SOME VERSES FROM THE BIBLE WHICH THE MAJORITY OF CHRISTIANS ARE UNAWARE OF:

Please note: As Muslims we do not accept that the Bible has any divine content. We believe in the Al-Injeel which was preached <u>orally</u> by Eesa (pbuh) (Jesus). This revelation is no longer in existence as has been proved in this booklet from the official Vatican Church sources, as well as from Historical Sources. Both these sources confirm the statement of the Glorious Qur'ân made more than 1,425 years ago, that the Bible has been written by men and is not the Word of God.

However, the quotations given below are from the Bibles of today as evidence for Christians to read and ponder over, and to realize that the Bible can never be regarded as a Book of God!!

Bible Can Never be Accepted as Divine by Any Intelligent Person

It is apt to mention here a comment by Mr. C.D. Broad which is quite pertinent, especially in the light of the contents of the Bible:

He writes: "I have an extreme dislike for vague, confused, and oracular writing, and I have very little patience with authors who express themselves in this style. I believe that what can be said at all can be said simply and clearly in any civilised language......and that verbal obscurity is almost a sign of mental confusion..."

Quote from the book: "Life of a Bengal Tiger" by "Major Yeats Brown" pertaining to the Christian belief of the 'original sin'. "No heathen tribe has conceived so grotesque an idea involving as it does the assumption that man was born with a hereditary stain for which he was not responsible; and it was to be atoned for, and that the Creator of all things had to sacrifice His only 'son' to neutralize this mysterious curse."

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This challenge is even yet today, try and disprove the Glorious Qur'ân wrong by finding even just one contradiction. Now just look at the hundreds of contradictions that are in the Bible, (a very small number are quoted in this booklet) and ask yourself: Can this Bible be the word of God with all these dozens of contradictions, absurdities, chopping of wives hands for helping to save the lives of their husbands; God killing 50,000 people for looking in a box etc etc?? Can I ever believe the Bible to be the word of God?? Surely not!!!

 $^{^{90}}$ Qur'ân: Chapter 4 verse 82: "Will they not then meditate on the Qur'ân? And if it were from any other than Allah, they would have found in it many a discrepancy/contradiction"

The sins of the father
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Luke 3:23

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2 Chronicles 4:5

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2 Kings 24:8: Jehoiachin was 18 years old when he became king Luke 23:36:

Simon of Cyrene carried the cross

Psalm 121:4: Behold, He that keepth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep

John 3:13

No one ascended to heaven...

important beliefs??

Or Two cock crows?

Mark 14:30-Verily I say unto thee, That this day, even in this night, before the cockcrow twice, thou shalt deny me thrice.

Exact opposite in Galatians 6:2 Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ.

1 Samuels 13:1

In the KJV It says that Saul reigned for 1 YEAR and then immediately in the VERY SAME VERSE it says Saul reigned 2 YEARS. How can anyone rule for 1 YEAR and AT THE SAME TIME RULE FOR 2 YEARS?

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1 Kings 7:26

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2 *Chronicles* 36:9: Jehoiachin was 8 years old when he became king *John* 19:17

Jesus (pbuh) carried his own cross

Psalms chap 44:23

Awake Oh Lord! Why do you sleep

2 Kings 2:11: And Elijah ascended to heaven...(before Jesus (pbuh) 's

time)

There are just too many contradictions to list all. Please refer to the following chapters and verses for more contradictions:

2 Chronicles 6:36 & 1 John 3:9

2 Samuel 24:1 &. 1 Chronicles 21:1 1 Samuels 28:6 &. 1 Chronicles 10:13-14

Acts 9:7 Galatians 6:2 & Galatians 6:5& Acts

22:9

Proverbs 18:22 & 1 Corintians7 (see 1,2,27,39,40)

Matt 5:16 & Matt 6:3-4

One or two men at the Sepulture? & Luke 24:4

Mark 16:5

Proverbs 26:4 & Proverbs 26:5 (immediate

contradiction)

 John 1:18 & 1 Timothy 6:16&
 Exodus 33:11 & Exodus 24:10 &

 Exodus 33:20 (no-one can see God)
 Genesis 32:30 (Jacob and Moses (pbuh)

saw God)

In John 3:12 Jesus (pbuh) is speaking In the same verse he says-"...Even to his disciples in their presence on the Son of man which is in Heaven".

earth Was he on earth or heaven?

Mentioned below are a few versions of different Bibles that are all claiming to be the 'word of God'-

Roman Catholic Douay Version New World Translation
King James Version-1604 New King James Version-1979
Teen Study Bible-Revised Edition New World Translation

(NIV)

Darby Translation American Standard Version
Revised Standard Version New International Version (NIV)

New American Standard Bible (NASB) The Book of Mormon

As stated earlier, majority of the Christians have never read the complete Bible and they do not know what is actually written in the Bible. Here are a few more examples-

Bible Condones Violence91

Deuteronomy 20:16- ... you will spare nothing that breathes... (*even animals*) **Numbers 31:17-.** ...Kill all males, females except virgins, male babies....

Question: How can virgins be examined without violating them?

1 *Samuels* 15:1-7: ... Saul destroyed all the people with the edge of the sword...

Joshua 8:25-_...so Joshua burnt Ai (a town) and made it forever a heap of ruins, as it is to this day...

Psalms 137:9- Happy is he who dashes little babies against the wall. Can anyone believe this lunacy of dashing babies against walls and being happy???

DEUT 25:11- "When men strive together one with another, and the wife of the one draweth near for to deliver her husband out of the hand of him that smiteth him, and putteth forth her hand, and taketh him by the secrets: DEUT 25:12 Then thou shalt cut off her hand, thine eye shall not pity her"92.

Can God really order this? That if a wife helps save her husband's life then her hand must be chopped off by her own husband and no pity must be shown to her? The wives of born agains / fundamentalists better take note!

Read about the whoredoms of two sisters: Ezekiel16:28; & 23:1-49; and Hosea 4:12 & 6:10 & 9:1 in the New World Translation (no sane person with a little bit shame will read these verses to his wife, daughters, sisters and mother, or any decent female).

⁹² In the NATAL MERCURY, of K.Z.NATAL of February 12 1988, an Irish woman, Anne Spicer, had asked the censors in Ireland to BAN THE BIBLE for "glorifying violence and sex". This lady has read the Bible from cover to cover so she knows what is written inside. **Muslims salute her!**

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⁹¹ **Hitler** was interviewed and asked if he was a Christian during World War II. He claimed that he was a practicing Christian and stated that he was inspired to kill, bomb and destroy from the Bible as he said that there are hundreds of such barbaric acts recorded in the Bible so he found nothing incorrect in what he did. (A few of these reprehensible acts from the Bible are quoted in this booklet)

In the book of Jeremiah 8:8 it says: "How can we say we are wise and the law of the Lord is with us? Behold, the false pen of the scribe has made it into a lie".

In our time many Christians like Anne Spicer are refusing to acknowledge the Bible as the Word of God, as this claim goes against all logic and reason.

Can any intelligent person believe all this garbage to be the Word of God?

The following are a small selection of absurdities with references:

- 1. Lev 12:2. Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, if a woman have conceived seed, and born a <u>man child</u>: then she shall be <u>unclean seven days</u>; according to the days of the separation for her infirmity shall she be unclean.
- 2. Lev 12:5. But if she bear a maid child, then she shall be unclean two weeks, as in her separation: and she shall continue in the blood of her purifying threescore and six days.
- 3. (The time factor to be clean after child birth is double for a female baby than that of a male child- is this not plain foolishness!)
- 4. Lev. 14:52. And he shall cleanse the house with the blood of the bird, and with the running water, and with the living bird, and with the cedar wood, and with the hyssop, and with the scarlet:
- 5. Numbers 22:27-28- A talking ass
- 6. Lev 11:20- four footed fowls
- 7. Revelation 13:12. A seven headed leopard
- 8. 2 Kings 18:27 & Isaiah 36:12. To eat shit and drink piss
- 9. *Malachi* 2:3. Dung on your faces
- 10. Ezekiel 4:12-15. To eat cake with shit
- 11. Exodus 21:7. Man can sell his daughter
- 12. Genesis 3:16. Husband to rule over his wife

Rape, Adultery and Incest in the Bible

- 1. Genesis 19:30- Lot committed incest with his daughters
- 2. Genesis 35:22- Reuben commits adultery with Jacob's concubine
- 3. Genesis 38: 1-30 Judah committed incest with his daughter-in-law⁹³
- 4. Judges 16:1- Samson commits adultery with a prostitute
- 5. 2 Samuel 13: 5-14 Rape and incest between brother & sister
- 6. 2 Samuels 16:22- rape and incest between son and mother Absalom sleeps with his father's concubines-wives -see Keturah in the same index)
- 7. Ruth 3:4-15. Ruth Cohabits with Boaz in a barn
- 8. 1 Kings 11:1-3. David Sleeps with a young virgin
- 9. The word Bastard occurs Three times in the Bible (Deuteronomy 23:2; Zechariah 9:6; Hebrews 12:8)
- 10. Ezekiel Chapter 23: This chapter was published as "Candid Outburst" in South Africa and was banned under the Publications Control Act. There were two Dominees (Afrikaner Priests) on the Board of the Publications Control Council and they agreed with the banning. It was only later when they were learned that it was part of their Bible that they got a shock of their lives. This is proof that even the 'Dominees' have not read the whole Bible. How much more so the ordinary Christian?

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Note: The Qur'an exonerates all the Prophets from any wrong doing whatsoever.

Foolhardy Irrational Descriptions of God in the Bible!

- 1. 1 Samuel 6:19- God murders 50,070 people for looking in a box;
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- 5. 2 Samuel 6:20. David was naked before his hand maidens
- 6. Isaiah 5:26- & Zechariah 10:8- ...a hissing God;
- 7. Isaiah 42:13 & Jeremiah 25:30- ...a roaring God;
- 8. Isaiah chapter 7:20- 'God is described as a barber'
- 9. Isaiah chapter 20:2-3- 'God ordered Isaiah to go around naked and barefoot'
- 10. Genesis chapter 2: 1-3- 'God rested from all the work He had done'.
- 11. *Genesis chapter 6:6 'the Lord repented because of humans' sins and actions'.*
- 12. Genesis 9:21. Noah was drunk and lay naked
- 13. Genesis chapter 32:24- 'Jacob wrestled with God'
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Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ.
1 Samuels 13:1

In the KJV It says that Saul reigned for 1 YEAR and then immediately in the VERY SAME VERSE it says Saul reigned 2 YEARS. How can anyone rule for 1 YEAR and AT THE SAME TIME 2 Kings 8:26: Ahaziah was 22 years old when he began to reign Matt 8:28: Jesus (pbuh) was met by 2 men possessed by devils John 5:37: Ye have neither heard His (God's) voice at any time, nor seen His shape

Matt 27:3-5 & 1 Cor 15:5

States there were 12 disciples

Luke 3:23

Says Jesus (pbuh) was 30 years old when he departed

2 Chronicles 9:25: Solomon has

4,000 stalls of horses 2 *Chronicles* 4:5

Solomon had 3,000 baths

2 Kings 24:8: Jehoiachin was 18
years old when he became king
Luke 23:36: Simon of Cyrene

carried the cross

Psalm 121:4: Behold, He that
keepth Israel shall neither

slumber nor sleep

John 3:13

No one ascended to heaven...

RULE FOR 2 YEARS?

2 Chronicles 22:2: Ahaziah was 42 years old when he began to reign Luke 8:27: Jesus (pbuh) was met by 1 person possessed by devils John 14:9: He that has seen me hath seen the Father...

Matt 28:16

States there were 11 disciples

John 8:57

Says that Jesus (pbuh) was 50 years

old when he departed

1 Kings 4:26

Solomon had 40,000 stalls of horses

1 Kings 7:26

Solomon had 2,000 baths

2 Chronicles 36:9: Jehoiachin was 8 years old when he became king *John* 19:17

Jesus (pbuh) carried his own cross

Psalms chap 44:23

Awake Oh Lord! Why do you sleep

2 Kings 2:11: And Elijah ascended to heaven

There are just too many contradictions. Please refer to the following chapters and verses for more contradictions:

2 Chronicles 6:36 2 Samuel 24:1 1 Samuels 28:6 Acts 9:7 Proverbs 18:22 Matt 5:16

One or two men at the Sepulture?

Mark 16:5 Proverbs 26:4

John 1:18 & 1 Timothy 6:16& Exodus 33:20 (no-one can see God)

& Matt 6:3-4 & Luke 24:4

& Proverbs 26:5 (immediate

contradiction)

Exodus 33:11 & Exodus 24:10 & Genesis 32:30 (Jacob and Moses saw

God)

<u>Violence:</u> <u>Deuteronomy</u> **20:16-** ... you will spare nothing that breathes...(*even animals*)

Numbers 31:17-. ...Kill all males, females except virgins, male babies....

Question: Can virgins be examined without violating them?

1 *Samuels* **15:1-7:** ... Saul destroyed all the people with the edge of the sword...

Joshua 8:25- ...so Joshua burnt Ai (a town) and made it forever a heap of ruins, as it is to this day...

Psalms 137:9- Happy is he who dashes little babies against the wall.

Can anyone believe this lunacy of dashing babies against walls and being happy???

A few comparisons between the Glorious Qur'ân and the Bible

Comparisons	Qur'ân	Bible
Is the Revelation in its original language?	YES! Perfectly	NO! Non Existent
Can the entire revelation be memorised by a 6 year old to an 80 year old to protect its continuity without corruption?	YES!	NO!
Are the scientific facts in the revelations in conformity with the latest scientific discoveries?	100% Accurate!	1% Accurate 99% Wrong
Any Absurdities?	Not One!	Hundreds
Any Challenges to prove it wrong?	3 Challenges	No Challenges
Can it be proved who its author was?	100%. The Almighty	0%. No Certainty of

		any author
Can its style be imitated?	Never!	Definitely
Any foolish descriptions of God?	No!	Hundreds
How many versions?	One! Original Arabic only! (Translations are available, but they are translations, not versions)	Hundreds of versions, in over 2,000 languages, EXCEPT THE ORIGINAL!

A few quotes (translated into English) from the only Divine Book-The Arabic Glorious Al Qur' ${\rm \hat{a}n^{94}}$

An example of a verse referring to an intangible subject - the "being" of Allâh:

"Vision comprehends Him not, and He comprehends (all) vision; and He is above all comprehension, the aware." [Al-Qur'ân 6:4]

"There is nothing like unto Him" [Al-Qur'an 42:11],

The verses quoted make it extremely clear that Allâh is beyond humankind's visionary ability to comprehend Him.

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 $^{^{94}}$ We kindly remind the reader that the Glorious Qur'ân was revealed in $\bf Arabic$. The English words are the translations of the translator and not the Glorious Qur'ân.

"Do you then hope that they would believe in you, and a party from among them indeed used to hear the word of Allah, then altered it after they had understood it, and they know⁹⁵ (this)".Al-Qur'ân

Chapter 2: verse 75

"Woe then to those who write the Book with their hands then say, this is from Allah; so that they may take for it a small price. Woe to them for what their hands write and woe to them for what they earn". Al-Qur'ân chapter 2 v79

"Those who conceal aught of the Book that Allah has revealed and take for it a small price, they eat nothing but fire into their bellies, and Allah will not speak to them on the day of Resurrection, nor will He purify them; and for them is a painful chastisement. Those are they who buy error for guidance and chastisement for forgiveness; how bold they are to challenge the Fire! That is because Allah has revealed the Book with truth. And surely those who disagree about the Book go far in opposition.

Al-Qur'ân Ch. 2: verses 174-176

be alive in 3 to 4 days as he will be assassinated by the Jewish Mossad

⁹⁵ That the Israelites did not preserve their sacred books in their purity is a constant charge laid by the Holy Qur'ân against the Jews. In fact, the alteration and corruption of the various books of the Bible is now proved beyond all doubt from the evidence in this book from the Christian and Jewish sources. Since thousands of years the Jews have been mischief makers-rejecting Eesa (Jesus) and Muhammed, and causing them terrible harm.

William Blum, author of "Killing Hope: U.S. Military and CIA Interventions Since World War II," and "Rogue State: A Guide to the World's Only Superpower"

"If I were the president, I could stop terrorist attacks against the United States in a few days. Permanently! I would first apologize to all the widows and orphans, the tortured and impoverished, and all the many millions of other victims of American imperialism. Then I would announce, in all sincerity, to every corner of the world, that America's global interventions have come to an end, and inform Israel that it is no longer the 51st state of the USA but now -- oddly enough -- a foreign country. Would then reduce the military budget by at least 90% and use the savings to pay reparations to the victims. There would be more than enough money. One year's military budget of US\$330 billion dollars is equal to more than US\$18,000 an hour for every hour since Jesus Christ was born. That's what I'd do on my first three days in the White House. On the fourth day, I'd be assassinated." (November 2007)

"And We Sent No Messenger But With The Language Of His People, So That He Might Explain To Them Clearly." Al-Qur'ân Chapter 14: verse 4

Closing comments

If any unbiased Christian has read and checked the references given in this book, he / she will have no hesitation in accepting the truth that the Bibles of any language from any denomination can never be accepted as the Word of God, and the Glorious Arabic Qur'ân is the only genuine Word of God Almighty on the face of this earth!

To the die hard born agains / fundamentalists and those with blinkers on who still refuse to accept the truth, the Qur'ân has the following challenge:

"If anyone disputes in this matter with thee, now after (full) knowledge has come to thee, say: "Come! Let us gather our sons and your sons, our women and your women, ourselves and yourselves: then let us pray, and invoke the curse of GOD on those who lie".

(Glorious Qur'aan: 3:61).

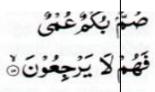
Muslims are prepared to settle the issue by accepting this challenge, but are there any Christians willing to accept this challenge?

If those Christians do not want to take up the challenge of the Qur'an and still claim to be true Christians, then surely they can take up the challenge of their own Bible, which is as follows:

Mark 16:18-And these signs shall follow them that believe; in my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;

Mark 16:18- They shall take up serpents; and if they <u>drink any</u> <u>deadly thing</u>, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.

DEAF, DUMB AND BLIND, THEY WILL NOT RETURN (TO THE PATH).



(SURA BAQARA) Holy Qur'an 2:18
Are there any Christians that can do the above three things to prove their faith in their Bible?

All the above evidence conclusively proves what the Glorious Qur'ân declared more than 1,400 years ago in chap 2 verse 79

