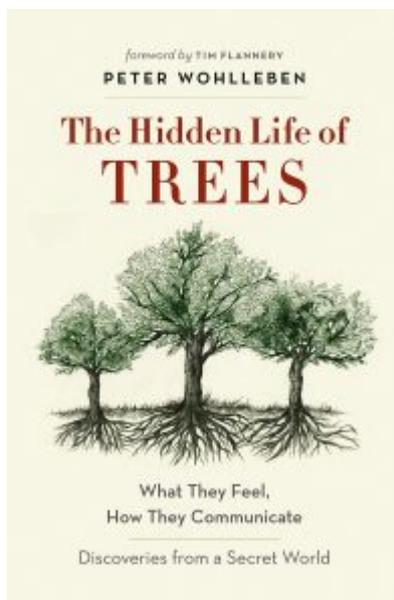


OUR HUBRIS, THE FRAGILE ECOSYSTEM AND THE MIGHTY POWER OF NATURE

There is no denying that we have a habit of regularly picking fights with nature. Our hubris combined with ignorance emboldens us to challenge the laws of nature. We obtusely cross the Rubicon inviting the unforgiving forces of nature to unleash their power to re-establish the equilibrium once again. In the last hundred years, we have become more parasitic and more careless about our ecosystem. The unabated pace of deforestation globally should be worrying. Alas, we seem to be unconcerned about the consequences as if we are ignorant and blind to the destruction of our planet and our future.



Then again, we are not as intelligent as we like to think we are. The proof is that most of the discoveries and inventions we so cherish have been the result of serendipity and not

necessarily the result of our higher intellect. Recently, in a moment of serendipity, I came across a fabulous book about trees. The author, Peter Wohlleben, has presented a fascinating description of [*The Hidden Life of Trees*](#) (William Collins, 2017). For someone, like me, who likes and enjoys nature but has no understanding of botany, this book is an ideal starting point.

Prior to reading this book I too thought of trees in terms of their usefulness, such as; to provide shade in the summer heat, and wood for furniture as well as burning fire. I never considered trees to actually have families and communicate with each other. I mean who has ever heard of trees sharing [food](#) with their neighbours. This is something, we humans do or used to do; now we have culturally evolved and apathy is replacing our generous human nature. Our values have changed, but in the forest *“nutrient exchange and helping neighbours in times of need is the rule, and this leads to the conclusion that forests are superorganisms with interconnections much like ant colonies.”*

Peter Wohlleben ponders; *“why are trees such social beings? Why do they share food with their own species and sometimes even go so far as to nourish their competitors? The reasons are the same as for human communities: there are advantages to working together. A tree is not a forest. On its own, a tree cannot establish a consistent local climate. It is at the mercy of wind and weather. But together, many trees create an ecosystem that moderates extremes of heat and cold, stores a great deal of water, and generates a great deal of humidity. And in this protected environment, trees can live to be very old. To get to this point, the community must remain intact no matter what.”* This illustrates perfectly why religions place so much emphasis on maintaining and nourishing family ties.

*A tree can be only as strong as the forest that surrounds it.
A chain is only as strong as its weakest link.
A community can be only as strong as its weakest members.*

Perhaps, this is why, in Islam, it is mandatory for every Muslim to pay 2½% charity (Zakat) on the total wealth, to help the weaker members. It seems these principles are universal; what is good for nature is good for people. [Helping](#) each other is a way of life. Peter Wohlleben professes that every tree is valuable to the community and worth keeping around for as long as possible. And that is why even sick individuals are supported and nourished until they recover. Even strong trees get sick a lot over the course of their lives. When this happens, they depend on their weaker neighbours for support. It is the law of nature that each tree, big or small, contributes towards the welfare of the forest.

The trees provide nutrients to other trees either through fungal networks around the root tips or the roots themselves may be interconnected. The roots extend a long way, and in some cases more than twice the spread of the crown, says Peter Wohlleben. The roots seem to play a vital role in numerous tasks and the scientists are discovering more and more new information each year. The book is about the life of trees and trees only; but, I could see similarities with human life.

Natural Smells

If and when the trees are under attack from certain species of insects or herbivores, they fend off the predators by releasing a scent and thus alert neighbouring trees of impending danger. However, animals have adapted to this smell and they quickly move about two or three trees further away and start feeding again.

Scent plays an important part in human life too. Scientists believe pheromones in sweat are a decisive factor when we choose our partners—in other words, those with whom we wish to procreate.

Pursuit of Equality

The rate of photosynthesis is the same for all the trees, however, it seems, the trees are equalizing differences between the strong and the weak. Whether they are thick or thin, all members of the same species are using light to produce the same amount of sugar per leaf. This equalization is taking place underground through the roots. The trees are known for sharing not only sugar but also water.

For people, sadly, some are more equal than the others. Corruption and greed of the ruling global elite prohibit real democracy, real justice and social welfare; otherwise, eliminating poverty globally is not as difficult.

Cruelty by Humans

Peter Wohlleben confesses that as a forester he had young trees girdled. This means a strip of bark 3 feet wide is removed all around the trunk to kill the tree. Basically, this is a method of thinning, where trees are not cut down, but desiccated trunks remain as standing deadwood in the forest. Thus, without bark, the tree cannot transport sugar from its leaves to its roots. As the roots starve, they shut down their pumping mechanisms, and because water no longer flows through the trunk up to the crown, the whole tree dries out.

This reminded of the way how settlers in America almost exterminated the Bison. The mass killing of buffalos was part of the genocidal policy. The intention was ethnic cleansing of

the native Indians.

We can see the same happening again in [Gaza](#). Ninety-seven percent of drinking water in Gaza is contaminated by sewage. This has become the leading cause of child mortality in Gaza. Has the blind, deaf and mute world become complicit in this cruelty against Gazans? Why is the world silent on hundreds of Gazans becoming disabled due to snipers shooting at unarmed protestors? If tactics being applied to humans are the same as in the forest, what does that say about humanity?

Protecting the Roots

I was amazed to learn that scientists are debating now whether plants can think. Are they intelligent? Peter Wohlleben confirms that *"trees can learn. This means they must store experiences somewhere, and therefore, there must be some kind of a storage mechanism inside the organism. Just where it is, no one knows, but the roots are the part of the tree best suited to the task."*

Having strong roots essentially means a strong future and a less troublesome life. In the west, however, there has been a relentless war on the family. One has to wonder, why are single-parent families on the rise? Some theorists argue that the western wars in the [Middle East](#) are a war on tribal societies. Are all these wars intended to weaken the roots?

Yes, weakening the roots is a bad idea.

I am really startled by our hubris. We know very little about the life in the soil. *"There are more life forms in a handful of forest soil than there are people on the planet. A mere*

teaspoonful contains many miles of fungal filaments. All these work the soil, transform it, and make it so valuable for the trees." Yes, I definitely agree with you, ignorance is one of the biggest sins. We are so ignorant.

I confess this book brought to my attention a lot of new information that I was unaware of about trees and forests. For someone with no knowledge whatsoever about trees, it is difficult to verify all the information the book offers. Regardless, Peter Wohlleben has written a compelling and enlightening book in a highly engaging story format. The book is very easy to read and understand. If you are looking for a beginners guide to the life of trees then this is a perfect book for you.

There is so much to learn by observing nature. The book made me appreciate that the reasons humanity finds itself in a mess are because we do not realise that we are working against ourselves when we are disobeying the laws of nature. I was left wondering whether there is more cooperation in nature or amongst people. It is clear that there is cooperation in nature. Nature is focused on creating equilibrium and harmony rather than competition and purging each other. Trees of all sizes help keep the surface of the forest moist and this helps feed the smaller plants whose roots do not reach deep underground. Undoubtedly, nourishing the roots is essential for good health, and good health is important for [Restoring the Mind](#).

LEO'S SEARCH FOR THE TRUTH

[“Although our goal in life is self-growth,
our pursuit of life is predominantly for truth;
the truth of everything.”](#)

(Restoring The Mind, 2017)

The truth is most of us live for the sake of living. We lack a true understanding of life and the powers that influence our lives. What I mean by powers are the unseen entities that interpose to push us towards a particular direction in life. These mysterious forces are beyond our comprehension and control. Some call them destiny or fate. At times, hints and signals (intuition or gut feelings) tell us to change paths. When we hesitate to submit, we experience anguish and distress until we surrender to the path we are being guided to. It is worth wondering, do we choose the path or the path chooses us?

[Sufi poet Rumi](#) believed that all paths lead to the Beloved. The wise and learned people of the past, such as Aristotle, Buddha, Rumi and Ghazali have all shared their insights and observations on this essential topic. More importantly, it is the teachings of Prophet Jesus and Prophet Muhammad that we need to follow to achieve wholeness in our lives. Yes, what we all desire is wholeness, we desire to be complete. It is the inner self that instigates demands for wholeness.

Being successful in worldly terms is no guarantee that our inner self is gratified. The famous Russian writer, Leo Tolstoy in his famous book *Confessions* (1882), has described how he became insipid and incapacitated as he struggled to move forward, feeling desperate to know the answers to life's

basic questions, such as; who am I? Where have I come from? Where am I going? Why am I on this planet? These basic but stimulating questions ultimately propelled him to search, ponder and eventually find a way out of the impasse.

For those who are not familiar with the name Leo Tolstoy (1828 – 1910), he is the author of *War and Peace* (1869) and *Anna Karenina* (1877). Despite the success, he *“came to believe that he had accomplished nothing in life and that his life was meaningless.”* Although he was successful in other areas of his life, spiritually he felt starved. He was hungry for truth – the spiritual truth. His spiritual hunger was demanding answers.

“I searched all areas of knowledge, and not only did I fail to find anything, but I was convinced that all those who had explored knowledge as I did had also come up with nothing. Not only had they found nothing, but they had clearly acknowledged the same thing that had brought me to despair: the only absolute knowledge attainable by man is that life is meaningless.”

To make his life meaningful, he sought answers. Being born into a rich family and a successful career as a writer granted him access to highly educated and knowledgeable people. He held discussions with top European philosophers but their empty words failed to provide him with a satisfactory answer. He visited the religious elite but after witnessing their private lives, he detested their hypocrisy. For Leo, the privilege only exposed the vanity of those in top positions. Most rich people seemed to live for their epicurean lifestyles.

The truth is, not much has changed over the last two hundred years. The rich and powerful are still full of vanity, and the present-day religious elite are no different from those who lived in his era. This is one of reasons for the decline in the church attendees in the west. Perhaps this also explains why the masses are not complaining about their spiritually hollow atheistic busy lives spent worshiping mammon. Encroachment by secularism over the last few hundred years has only exasperated the situation. Most of us have no appreciation now for the power of truth. We have stopped searching for the truth and have become spiritually dejected.

The solution lies in undertaking a self-discovery journey as Leo Tolstoy did, but this is no ordinary voyage. It is an expedition not for the weak hearted. It requires painful and uncompromising introspection. I must admit, Leo Tolstoy was resolute in his purposeful introspection. He struggled for years in search of the meaning of life. But truth has its own way of manifesting and demonstrating itself and its powers. As for Leo, this was a matter of life and death as if knowing that the fundamental truth (death) leads to the real truth.

He states that *"My question, the question that had brought me to the edge of suicide when I was fifty years old, was the simplest question lying in the soul of every human being, from a silly child to the wisest of the elders, the question without which life is impossible; such was the way I felt about the matter. The question is this: What will come of what I do today and tomorrow? What will come of my entire life?"* His path was calling him to change his whole perspective on life.

During his teenage years, Leo had learned that there is no God. When he reached fifty, he began to question and research

on the purpose of life, his own life. But Leo's fallacy was that he kept looking for answers outwards rather than inward. The answers came when he started to look outside of the circle of his friends, colleagues and most of all the elite and educated class that he belonged to. He found the answers not among the rich or the educated but among the poor working people.

The truth manifested when Leo realised that the *"uneducated working people, whom we look upon as animals, do the will of their master without ever reproaching him. But we, the wise, consume everything the master provides without doing what he asks of us."* The poor and the educated did not experience the same suffering he was undergoing. They had faith which protected them from such affliction.

The whole time, the cause of his suffering was the evil that was inside him. He was searching for solutions that did not include changing what is inside his heart. Only when he accepted this truth and brought piety into his life that he found relief. *"I understood the truth that I later found in the Gospel, the truth that people clung to darkness and shunned the light because their deeds were evil. For he who does evil hates the light and will not venture into the light, lest his deeds be revealed. I realized that in order to understand the meaning of life, it is necessary first of all that life not be evil and meaningless, and then one must have the power of reason to understand it."*

"I was occupied with the thoughts and observations I have described, my heart was tormented with an agonizing feeling. This feeling I can only describe as a search for God." Leo finally came to realise that we do not see things as they are; we see things as we are. Thereafter he began to change his

life, cleansed himself of all the vices including gambling, women and alcohol.

Having found his path, he could not accept religion without questioning everything that the religion represented, especially the rituals. *"When I took part in the most common and what are regarded as the most important of the sacraments: baptism and communion. Here I was in conflict with nothing incomprehensible but with matters that were quite easy to understand; it seemed to me that these acts were deceptive in nature, and I was caught in a dilemma-I had either to reject them or lie about them."*

Each Christian sects of the day they considered all other sects to be a heretic, and still do till this day. Clergymen of all denominations proclaimed that *"theirs was the true belief and all the others were erroneous, and that the only thing they could do for the others was to pray for them."*

Whereas I enjoyed reading Leo's criticism of the unnecessary and burdensome (manmade) religious rituals, I became confused when oddly, he justified the rituals; *"and then I understood it all. I am searching for faith, for the force of life, but they seek the best means for fulfilling what people consider to be certain human obligations. And in meeting these human duties they perform them in an all-too-human fashion."* In my view, the truth has to remain pure.

However, truth is a rare commodity in this time and age. I cannot help feeling concerned about the human complacency with regards to the common people and the stubborn egotism of the elite to manipulate the masses and indoctrinate the masses away from the path of truth. Once we are away from the truth,

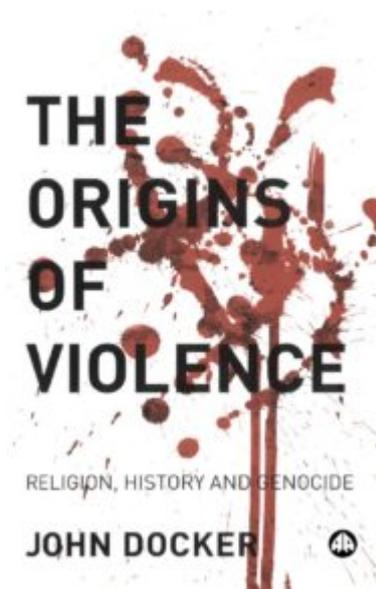
we invite spiritual hollowness into our lives and thence suffer the same agonising pains Leo underwent. We cannot compromise on truth, for it is the truth that sets us on the path to [restoring the mind](#).

THE GENOCIDAL SPECIES: BOOK REVIEW OF “THE ORIGINS OF VIOLENCE” BY JOHN DOCKER

[“We are nasty, cunning and indeed dangerous predators. We seek to conquer and dominate everything, even the mind.”](#)

(Restoring The Mind, 2008)

I am feeling reluctant to subscribe to the idea that the history of humanity is the history of violence. In my view, the glass is half full. As social beings, we are compassionate, altruistic and are resiliently benevolent, not only towards fellow beings but also towards other species. This, however, does not mean the human species is not the most deceptive, cunning and ruthless genocidal killers. We have the most powerful brain amongst all species and we are by far the most superior of all species in our humaneness and in our genocidal behaviours.



History shows that genocide and tyranny have always been an indispensable building block of all major empires. Despite their claims to the contrary, empires become genocidal as soon as they start on the path of colonisation. Genocide can be interpreted as a process of removal of the population and colonisation of the area by the oppressor's own nationals. Maybe, this is the purpose of wars, to uproot people? According to John Docker, the author of *The Origins of Violence, Religion, History and Genocide* (Pluto Press, 2008), 'genocide', derives from the Greek word *genos* (tribe, race) and Latin *cide* (as in tyrannised, homicide, fratricide).

Genocide, Docker says, has "two phases: one, destruction of the national pattern of the oppressed group; the other, the imposition of the national pattern of the oppressor." This is what happened in Australian and North American lands. The profound difference between the colonised and colonisers could not be more transparent than in the apartheid state of South Africa. Now we are witnessing similar genocide in action on television screens "the never-ending cruelty of Israel's oppression of the Palestinians." Ilan Pappé once wrote that "the Israelis, seek always to establish a 'metaphorical palimpsest': 'the erasure of the history of one people in

order to write that of another people's over it'."

What is genocide?

Genocide, Docker writes involves "a coordinated plan of different actions aiming at the destruction of the essential foundations of life of a group. Such actions involve considerations that are cultural, political, social, legal, intellectual, spiritual, economic, biological, physiological, religious, psychological and moral. Such actions involve considerations of health, food and nourishment, of family life and care of children, and of birth as well as death. Such actions involve consideration of the honour and dignity of peoples."

The oppressed are usually either killed or put in jails, for long periods without trial, especially those who resist the colonisation. In Australia, there was policy to take away the children from the aborigines and use them as slaves, disguise as civilising the natives; in other cases *"taking away continuing opportunities of procreation."* The fate of the Indians in the Americas was not much different.

Doing God's work

In my 2007 article, I argued that *"we have an innate tendency for building empires, magnificent, powerful and bigger empires. An empire is paramount to human life."* Furthermore, that *"an empire represents our inner desire for the ideal self. Whatever we want to achieve within us, we also wish to achieve in the outer world; an empire is nothing more than a mirror image of the endeavour for self-actualization in the outer world."* Docker highlighted a different perspective, a darker view, the problem he believes *"building an empire involves expropriating other people's territory and enriching yourself at their expense. Aggressive generals are held to be*

the embodiment of valour and excellence. Teachers of philosophy give the cloak of tradition and authority to folly and crime. (Philus in Cicero, *The Republic*, Book Three)."

Historically speaking colonisers have always seen themselves as history's true heirs, and hence focused on superseding. The USA is the largest empire in the history of mankind, built on land that originally belonged to the native Indians using the slaves from Africa. As for the white colonial settlers, like the empire builders before them, they saw themselves as "the chosen people" doing God's work. Docker points out that this myth of "chosen people" is a recurring theme in history. The white settlers had no remorse whatsoever about the culling of the heathens (natives), whether they be Aborigines in Australia or Indians in the Americas or even the Africans.

The author points out that the *"international law has been, and in some respects still is, conceived and continuously refined not to protect the colonized from conquest or colonization or empire or war but rather to regulate conquest and colonization and war amongst the powerful nations at any one time."*

Ancient Europeans, such as the Athenians and Romans also saw themselves as superior from those over whom they ruled as colonisers. Bible too tells stories of the chosen people. It seems every rising power has to inject this false belief in their subjects for some reason, that they are the chosen people and are blessed by God or the gods. However, as Docker explains *"the view of oneself as chosen is always precarious, because chosenness may be claimed by another group, looking to other gods. It may be felt that people are only chosen for a while, that they may fall into divine disfavour, and God or the gods may elect another people to be sanctioned as chosen."*

In world history, there is constant competition amongst groups to be chosen and be known as chosen."

In modern times, we have the [Zionist](#) Israelis claiming to be the chosen people. Docker is unconvinced and does not shy away from telling the harsh truth. In his view:

"The Zionists, who created the modern state of Israel in 1948 and who since that time have dominated Jewish organizations and community thinking across the globe, did not take away from the Holocaust a historical lesson that different peoples should live in amity, share a polity and learn from each other, be cosmopolitan and international. Nor did they become interested in nonviolence, as in Gandhi or, in Jewish tradition, Josephus. They did not look back to Moorish Spain, to the living together in the one land of Jews, Muslims and Christians, as an inspiring example of what a society could ideally be. To the contrary, the Zionists have kept on working towards achieving a European nationalist and settler-colonial ideal that they had conceived in the 1890s: they have kept on working towards genocide of the Palestinians, to subjugate, reduce, displace, expel and kill them whenever and wherever within Palestine-Israel they can, in order to replace them with their own colonial settlements and exclusive society. They refuse to the indigenous of Palestine, the Palestinians and Sephardim and Oriental Jews, equality, dignity, sharing, interaction, mutual respect. The Zionists, since the 1890s, have seen themselves as European culture-bringers, before whom the rights of the indigenous peoples of Palestine are of no account."

One would argue that the occupation has slowly eroded the humanity of the Zionist oppressors. This means that there is a price to pay for building empires. The price is the health of the soul. Socrates the famous Greek philosopher warned against

the corruption of the soul. For when the soul becomes corrupted, we lose the sense of right and wrong; justice becomes just an empty and meaningless word, especially when it comes to the oppressed then it is defenestrated altogether.

The author prudently affirms that the main danger to human life comes from other humans. *"The same peoples can be alternately barbarous and civilized in their attitudes and actions; so-called ordinary or normal people, commit genocide and massacres."* This means that violence is part of human life, *"rather than violence being abnormal, it is an intrinsic characteristic of human activity."*

In Docker's view, Gandhian thought provides hope for the world. I disagree with his conclusion; I feel it is in our nature to be violent, yet at the same time, we are inherently merciful and humane. We utilise politics to divide us and thereafter unleashing fury and savagery as if our humaneness is only skin deep. Once all is over and done with, we return to religion to unite us, heal us and protect us from our demons. Religion plays an important part in healing as we seek repentance after the madness has ceased. It is likely that one of the reasons for a high number of PTSD related suicides among western military veterans is secularism.

As Rumi says we are born of love. Our most dominating feature is love for life. The army is only violent during wartime. Our powerful brain pushes us to seek dominance over anything and everything. It is in our nature to compete and to challenge. Human life thrives on competition and challenges. However, there is one power that is more seductive to us than everything else; the power to be creative and to [restore the mind](#).

MUD HOUSES, BREXIT AND DE-DOLLARIZATION

It is often said that we are doomed to keep repeating history until its lessons are learned. The laws of nature or if I may say the lessons nature is forced to teach are never pain-free. Seldom have we witnessed anyone go unpunished in the international arena for failing to learn from the past. The question I am pondering is, does each repeat become more or less painful. In one of my previous article, I have argued: [“that the geopolitical position of Pakistan has been both a curse and a blessing.”](#) This probably is its fate, being a curse and a blessing.

Pakistan is a developing economy. In the 1950s and 1960s, most of the rural population lived in mud houses. Maintaining these mud houses was an arduous task. The occupants were required to check and repair any weakness or holes on roofs and walls each summer, just prior to the arrival of the monsoon. In Punjab, this was called (*pocha*), a kind of plastering made out of mud and hay. The task was often made less painful when neighbours helped each other in applying *pocha*. The positive thing about this annual *pocha* and these mud houses was that the rooms were colder in the summer and warmer in the winter.

It is intriguing that the Pakistani leadership has been busy with this so-called *pochas* for many decades. It all started with General Zia in 1977. For two years General Zia applied *pocha* and prepared Pakistan for the monsoon (regional upheaval). There are three examples of history repeating

itself and *pochas* applied in Pakistan:

1. General Zia takes reins of power in 1977 and after two years the USSR invades Afghanistan.
2. General Musharraf takes reins of power in 1999 and after two years the USA invades Afghanistan. General Musharraf too applied *pocha* and prepared [Pakistan](#) for the monsoon (regional upheaval).
3. PTI party won the elections in July of 2018 and took hold of reins of power, some allege with the blessings of the establishment. History indicates that there will be another upheaval in the region after two years, in 2020.

Due to whatever reasons, it was not viable for the army to retake the reins of power once again in 2018. Some argue that the so-called establishment in [Pakistan](#) encouraged the election victory of PTI, a party run by Imran Khan. In other words, the army still continues to play an influential role (albeit behind the scenes) in Pakistani politics and its foreign policy. Was PTI brought to power in 2018 for the purpose of another *pocha* to prepare Pakistan for the monsoon or upheaval that will be unleashed in 2020?

There are many socioeconomic forces that are converging to unleash havoc by triggering the collapse of the markets and banks. One of the biggest causes will probably be the Brexit. Although China and Russia have made much progress in their endeavour for de-dollarization, the dollar is not likely to be dethroned without a big push. Brexit will be just in time to create and provide such a push. An economic global chaos triggered by Brexit will eventually push the dollar off the cliff. Maybe this was the true purpose of Brexit, to dethrone the dollar as global reserve currency.

De-dollarization means the collapse of the USA as a sole hegemonic superpower of the world. Will history repeat itself? Will the USA go quietly, like when the USSR collapsed from within, in December of 1991? Unlikely! Should the world be worried about how the USA will react to the dethroning of the dollar? Yes, very much so. Chinese and Russian Presidents have recently warned their nations to prepare for a war. The year 2020 is surely predicted to be an eventful year. Future is very hard to predict and the truth is we do not know the future. Nonetheless, we should expect a monsoon or an upheaval in the near future, maybe in 2020 or soon after.

THE FIVE HUNDRED YEARS CIRCLE IS NEARING COMPLETION

Undoubtedly, the human mind is very powerful, but this power of the mind requires freedom to achieve its full potential. This freedom for the masses is perceived as a threat by the ruling elite. Thus, the ruling elite everywhere has been suppressing and subjugating the masses since antiquity. They control all spheres of human life and subvert human progress. However, the so-called progress promoted by the media is leading us into regression. The education system which is controlled by the elites is dumbing down the masses. People are becoming less healthy and more unintelligent.

This war on humanity is so pervasive; it is destroying every part of human life as well as the planet itself. Probably, the most important question of our time is; why?

1. Why is the agrochemical industry bent on destroying the fertile farming lands, especially the topsoil, with

chemical fertilisers and pesticides?

1. Why are all foods contaminated with pesticides?
2. Why is the deforestation so widespread?
3. Why are multinational corporations pursuing a policy of total ecocide and polluting the oceans?
4. Who wants to destroy the family systems and are launching a war on tribalism?
 1. Who is promoting gender confusion?
 2. Who is promoting individualism? Hedonism? Gambling? Alcoholism and drug use?
 3. Why is mental depression reaching epidemic levels globally?
5. Why does the pharmaceutical industry intend to have everyone dependent on their drugs for life?
 1. People everywhere are taking more and more medical drugs and not getting healthier. Who is benefiting from these drugs?
6. Why is every country in debt?
 1. Why is everyone being forced into debt through the usury system?
 2. Why has the fiat money system successfully robbed everyone of real money i.e. gold and silver?
7. Who wants to suppress the human mind and not allow true freedom?
 1. Why are we spoon fed so much poor quality knowledge and useless information?

Surely, the above misrepresents the true image of human nature. We as humans possess some animalistic traits, but animals are not known for maleficence towards own species which may result in total annihilation, and neither are we, humans. Something surely is amiss here; something unnatural is going on here.

In the past, I use to think that all this is because the global ruling elite manifests fear of the masses; they

perceive that it is easier to control an ignorant and dumb rabble. Then, after reading others blaming greed and more profits, for a short period of time, I too began to subscribe to the idea of profiteering. However, I am now convinced that all this is not for profits or for controlling the masses. The reason it is not about greed is that we have borders and trade restrictions. If there were freedom of movement then that would lead to a huge economic boom everywhere, hundreds of trillions of dollars annually worth of business increase. Besides, money is only a tool, in this case, used for control.

The fact is we have not reached where we are in a single day. It has taken us hundreds of years to reach this point. My thesis is that this story begins around the year 1500 AD and this 500 years' time period holds a dark secret. The proximity of the events listed below is not a mere coincidence.

- Johannes Gutenberg's printing press became operational in 1450
- The Ottomans conquer Constantinople in 1453
- Christopher Columbus reaches Americas 1492
- Vasco da Gama reaches India in 1497
- England gives birth to a new form of capitalism in 1500
- Persia decides to become predominantly Shi'a in 1501.
- The schism in the Christian world results in the creation of the Anglican church in 1534

By taking a closer look at the above listing, it is easy to see and understand a deeper connection between them. They also reflect the current global affairs. In other words, the U.K, USA and the Middle Eastern nations are connected by this dark secret.

Explanation of the Dots

The Ottomans and the printing press

The Ottoman Empire became a victim of hubris, soon after conquering Constantinople. The [Ottomans](#) planted the seeds of

their own destruction by issuing a Fatwa banning the printing press. By the time the Fatwa was lifted some 270 years later, the damage had been done and this allowed their European and Western competitors to catch-up.

The Ottomans forgot the golden rule, that power becomes the servant of whoever pursues knowledge. When the Ottomans turned their back on the modern invention (i.e. printing press), at the time, their trajectory was still pointing upward and their empire continued to expand for some time as their competitors were divided and weaker. Another possible explanation for the delay in their collapse was that despite the ban on the printing press, the book publishing and book writing never stopped in the Ottoman Empire. It took more than few centuries for Europeans to finally defeat the Ottomans in 1922. However, even before the total defeat of the Ottomans, part of the land that was under their rule was promised, on 2 November 1917, to the Zionists (now Israel). Israel's hegemony over the Middle East or over the Ottoman lands gives an indication to the true nature of a bigger plot.

England and America

In 1492, Christopher Columbus reaches the Americas and about the same time, England's capitalist elite begin a policy of driving the peasants off the land, which by the 1700s reaches industrial scale. The English peasants continued to protest and revolt against the capitalists for hundreds of years argues Martin Empson, in his book, *'Kill all the Gentlemen' Class struggle and change in the English countryside*, (Bookmarks, 2018). This probably led to the capitalist and socialist divide. Karl Marx the famous socialist did not agree with separating the workers from the ownership of whatever they produced. He believed that;

"Labor is as much an act of personal creation and a projection of one's identity as it is a means of survival. However, capitalism, the system of private ownership of the means of production, deprives human beings of this essential

source of self-worth and identity. The worker approaches work only as a means of survival and derives none of the other personal satisfactions of work because the products of his labor do not belong to him. These products are instead expropriated by capitalists and sold for profit.

*In capitalism, the worker, who is alienated or estranged from the products he creates, is also estranged from the process of production, which he regards only as a means of survival. Estranged from the production process, the worker is therefore also estranged from his or her own humanity, since the transformation of nature into useful objects is one of the fundamental facets of the human condition. The worker is thus alienated from his or her "species being"—from what it is to be human. Finally, the capitalist mode of production alienates human beings from other human beings. Deprived of the satisfaction that comes with owning the product of one's labor, the worker regards the capitalist as external and hostile. The alienation of the worker from his work and of the worker from capitalists forms the basis of the antagonistic social relationship that will eventually lead to the overthrow of capitalism."
(<http://www.sparknotes.com/philosophy/marx/themes/>)*

My argument is not against [capitalism](#) and I am not a socialist either. I prefer the mixture of the two; a system that fulfills the needs of both the workers as well as the capitalists. The middle path is provided by the Islamic system. One of the basic tenets of Islam is to give 2½% zakat of your total wealth to the poor and needy every year. For the Western elite, this is too much to give away. Hence, they are using Islamophobia to keep their public ignorant of any alternative to the current system. The key difference between the Western and Islamic system is that in the Islamic system the movement of capital is in both directions; whereas the Western capitalists prefer the capital moving towards their directions only.

It is not just about finance, A. Ralph Epperson, in his book, *The New World Order*, argued that there is a religion in America today; it is called the Humanist Religion.

“Humanism: a modern, nontheistic, rationalist movement that holds that man is capable of self-fulfillment, ethical conduct, without recourse to supernaturalism.

Some call this religion Secular Humanism, and the word Secular is defined as “of relating to worldly things as distinguished from things relating to church and religion.” The word is connected to the Latin word *saecularis*, meaning worldly.”

In other words, Humanism is synonymous with saying, man is God. The problem is, man has always worshiped God(s). While Atheists continue to promote the [Out of Africa Theory](#) which describes the man as *Homo Sapiens*, others argue that man has always been *Homo Religious*. Epperson, however, ascertains that there has been a relentless attack on the religions in the west as well as in the east. Communists and capitalists, he argues, both have waged war not only on religion but also on humanity. More than 40 million people were killed or sacrificed in the USSR and more than 60 million in China in the name of communism.

Manifesto of the Communist Party was written by Karl Marx and Fredrick Engels in 1847. Fredrick Engels was an industrialist from Manchester, England. But this is not England's only contribution to the world for which humanity had to pay a heavy price. England has wholeheartedly backed ideologies such as Freemasonry, Zionism and Darwinism. London and Washington's superpower status has allowed them unprecedented opportunity to destroy cultures and promote something unique to the world, and what they promoted is:

1. Debtism
2. Usury based Banking System

3. Gambling
4. Hedonism and Consumerism
5. Alcohol and Drug Addiction
6. Destroying Traditional Family Systems
7. Gender confusion
8. Vulgarity
9. GM Foods

The above is clearly intended to suppress and subjugate the human mind. The West has been conquered and their lack of fortitude tells the whole story. But the question that keeps popping up is, why? Why destroy the human mind? Who is behind it all? It cannot be the God-fearing people.

A. Ralph Epperson alleges that most if not all of the Western ruling elite are Satanists; they worship the Satan and are members of secret societies such as Freemasons, Skulls and Bones and Illuminati. If Epperson is accurate in his account, that means the Western ruling elite may have sold their souls to the devil. When I say the ruling elite, I mean those invisibles' who are pulling the strings, not the puppets we see in the media. Epperson's book might explain why the ruling elites are devoid of conscience?

The Anglican Church and Persia's Shias

The Anglican Church which was created in 1534, is supposed to represent a religion, but its critics argue that it has shown no backbone or resistance to the onslaught on religion by the modern atheist culture. It is not surprising when some critics argue that the Anglican Church is in line with the evangelicals, it never challenges capitalists or Zionist on human degradation and the demeaning of women (undressing) as well as gender confusions. It simply does not lead but follows the modern western atheist culture. Compared to the Catholic Church, the Anglican Church has done the least to protect the Christians against modern deviation from the teaching of Jesus.

Jesus would be horrified if he came and saw what is being done in his name. The Anglican Church is giving a seal of approval for things which Jesus disapproved. Who benefitted the most from the Anglican Church's unreligious behaviour?

Persia declared itself a Shia state in 1501, a few decades before the birth of the Anglican Church. Persia then for centuries exercised a policy of persecuting the Sunni from the land and tried to make Persia a predominantly Shias state. Ever since, it has remained a peripheral part in the mainstream Islamic discourse, operating in its own orbit. Why would they do that? Why would they separate from the mainstream? Who benefits if the Islamic ummah is partitioned?

If you look at the map of India and the Middle East, you realise, in the year 1500, Muslims ruled from the Mediterranean to Burma. In 1501, Persia's declaration of Shia state splits the lands between Sunni rulers on either side with Persia's Shia in the middle; a huge wall of partition, in the centre of Muslim lands.

One thing is very clear; Persia is predestined to play a major role in the end times.

Hindu and Zionist Alliance

In 1497 Vasco da Gama reaches India. My feeling is India too is predestined to play a major role in the end times. India is strengthening its alliance with the Zionist state of Israel. The two will soon launch a big war on their neighbouring Muslim nations. Zionist India will try to crush Pakistan between Zionist India and Persia. The fate of the Arabs will be similar too. Muslims will be forced to unite or face total annihilation.

The current war on Muslims lands will only intensify. The war is good versus evil. It is a war on any doctrine or religion that is perceived as an existential threat to the current system. The purpose of this system is to constrict the mind in

order to suppress it.

The Religious Await

All over the world, people of all different religious backgrounds are in wait, expecting the arrival of a powerful figure; whose coming has been predicted in various sacred texts centuries before. Each religious group recognises this figure by a different name. However, it is likely this one figure, when he arrives in his physical form, shall try to convince each and every group that he is the one for whom they have been waiting.

- To Zionist Christians, he will claim to be their Jesus (the second coming)
- To Zionist Jews, he will claim to be their Messiah
- To Shias, he will claim to be their Mahdi
- To Hindus, he will claim to be their Krishna
- To Buddhists, he will claim to be their Buddha

For the Muslims, he will be the Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl (Anti-Christ). It is my belief that the above-mentioned events of what happened around the year 1500 played an integral part in preparation for the inevitable arrival of the Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl (Anti-Christ). This indicates that the Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl has already been unchained, and his influential role in corrupting the minds of the leaders in England, America, Israel and Iran cannot be discounted.

Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl (the Anti-Christ)

“Dajjāl (Arabic: دَجَّال) is an adjective of Syriac origin.[1] It is also a common Arabic superlative form of the root word dajl meaning “lie” or “deception”. [2] Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl, with the definite article al- (“the”), refers to “the deceiving Messiah”, a specific end times deceiver. The Dajjāl is an evil being who will seek to impersonate the true Messiah.”

(https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Al-Masih_ad-Dajjal)

In Sahih Muslim (2942 a) it is described how a companion of

the [prophet](#), Tamim Dari, met Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl (full Hadith is copied below). Tamim Dari is the only human being to have ever seen the Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl chained. A second Sahih Muslim Hadith (2937 a) (also copied below) tells of Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl's rule lasting 40 days; the first day will be like a year, the second day like a month and third day like a week. [Imran Nazar Hosein](#) in his book, *Jerusalem in the Qur'an* (Masjid Dar Al Qur'an, New York, 2002), interpreted these two Hadith and concluded that the First day is when England ruled as the most powerful nation in the world, the second day relates USA dominance and the third day is when Israel will take over as the global hegemon.

P.S. Zionism was created with the intentions of fulfilling the prerequisites or the prophecies, like bringing the Jews to Palestine, so that the one-eyed Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl's (Anti-Christ) coming can be realised. He will not come until his minions have delegitimised themselves; his appearance will be the final act. It is prophesied that the Anti-Christ would make his first appearance on the world stage in Isfahan, a historical city in Iran.

Anas b. Malik reported that Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) said:

The Dajjal would be followed by seventy thousand Jews of Isfahan wearing Persian shawls.

Reference: Sahih Muslim 2944

The Deception and the Deceived

Over the decades and centuries, slowly and gradually, the Satanists (minions) have climbed the echelons of power in the most major powerful countries. Power and a corrupt mindset have allowed them to stealthily bring into effect the kind of social engineering we have witnessed over the last century.

It is amazing how the Asians were saddled with communism; the Middle East is paying the price of Zionism and the West is devouring itself Humanism. Humanity is suffering under Satanism.

Q: Minions of which religion(s) are behind the current destruction of the planet and the mass murder and suppression of humanity?

A: The religion of Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl's (Anti-Christ).

The true religion is there to unite the people while the purpose of politics is to divide. Minions of Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl play politics with families and are waging a war on tribal areas of the Middle East. The global hegemonic system that has taken 500 years to gain its full power is run by the minions of Satan, they are working hard to appease their lord; Al-Masīḥ ad-Dajjāl's (Anti-Christ). We are living in unnatural times. The evil we face is unnatural and extraordinary. We cannot expect emancipation of the human mind till this malevolent rule is over.

The human machine, however, was built to face challenges, the human mind is resilient and nature is resilient too. All the necessary tools we need are within us to recover from any damages caused. We must not feel forsaken. One of the biggest deceptions we face is to make people feel hopeless and helpless.

The cultural dystopia created by the minions of darkness will soon be replaced; the dawn of a new beginning is imminent, it always is; just like the day follows the night. The end for the minions of darkness is near. The human mind is built for creativity. It cannot remain suppressed for too long, just like we cannot stay underwater for too long. It is all about the controlling and suppressing the mind and then restoring the mind.

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[Zionists call the shots in the Anglican Church](#)

[Head of Anglican Church gives grant to 'Zionist organisation'](#)

Hadith 1

Amir b. Sharahil Sha'bi Sha'b Hamdan reported that he asked Fatima, daughter of Qais and sister of ad-Dahhak b. Qais and she was the first amongst the emigrant women:

Narrate to me a hadith which you had heard directly from Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) and there is no extra link in between them. She said: Very well, if you like, I am prepared to do that, and he said to her: Well, do It and narrate that to me. She said: I married the son of Mughira and he was a chosen young man of Quraish at that time, but he fell as a martyr in the first Jihad (fighting) on the side of Allah's Messenger (ﷺ). When I became a widow, 'Abd al-Rahman b. Auf, one amongst the group of the Companions of Allah's Messenger (ﷺ), sent me the proposal of marriage. Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) also sent me such a message for his freed slave Usama b. Zaid. And it had been conveyed to me that Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) had said (about Usama): He who loves me should also love Usama. When Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) talked to me (about this matter), I said: My affairs are in your hand. You may marry me to anyone whom you like. He said: You better shift now to the house of Umm Sharik, and Umm Sharik was a rich lady from amongst the Ansar. She spent generously for the cause of Allah and entertained guests very hospitably. I said: Well, I will do as you like. He said: Do not do that for Umm Sharik is a woman who is very frequently visited by guests and I do not like that your head may be uncovered or the cloth may be removed from your shank and the strangers may catch sight of them which you abhor. You better shift to the

house of your cousin 'Abdullah b. 'Amr b. Umm Maktum and he is a person of the Bani Fihri branch of the Quraish, and he belonged to that tribe (to which Fatima) belonged. So I shifted to that house, and when my period of waiting was over, I heard the voice of an announcer making an announcement that the prayer would be observed in the mosque (where) congregational prayer (is observed). So I set out towards that mosque and observed prayer along with Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) and I was in the row of the women which was near the row of men. When Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) had finished his prayer, he sat on the pulpit smiling and said: Every worshipper should keep sitting at his place. He then said: Do you know why I had asked you to assemble? They said: Allah and His Messenger know best. He said: By Allah. I have not made you assemble for exhortation or for a warning, but I have detained you here, for Tamim Dari, a Christian, who came and accepted Islam, told me something, which agrees with what I was telling, you about the Dajjal. He narrated to me that he had sailed in a ship along with thirty men of Bani Lakhm and Bani Judham and had been tossed by waves in the ocean for a month. Then these (waves) took them (near) the land within the ocean (island) at the time of sunset. They sat in a small side-boat and entered that island. There was a beast with long thick hair (and because of these) they could not distinguish his face from his back. They said: Woe to you, who can you be? Thereupon it said: I am al-Jassasa. They said: What is al-Jassasa? And it said: O people, go to this person in the monastery as he is very much eager to know about you. He (the narrator) said: When it named a person for us we were afraid of it lest it should be a devil. Then we hurriedly went on till we came to that monastery and found a well-built person there with his hands tied to his neck and having iron shackles between his two legs up to the ankles. We said: Woe be upon thee, who are you? And he said: You would soon come to know about me. but tell me who are you. We said: We are people from Arabia and we embarked upon a boat but the sea-waves had been driving

us for one month and they brought us as near this island. We got into the side-boats and entered this island and here a beast met us with profusely thick hair and because of the thickness of his hair his face could not be distinguished from his back. We said: Woe be to thee, who are you? It said: I am al-Jassasa. We said: What is al-Jassasa? And it said: You go to this very person in the monastery for he is eagerly waiting for you to know about you. So we came to you in hot haste fearing that that might be the Devil. He (that chained person) said: Tell me about the date-palm trees of Baisan. We said: About what aspect of theirs do you seek information? He said: I ask you whether these trees bear fruit or not. We said: yes. Thereupon he said: I think these would not bear fruits. He said: Inform me about the lake of Tabariyya? We said: Which aspect of it do you want to know? He said: Is there water in it? They said: There is abundance of water in it. Thereupon he said: I think it would soon become dry. He again said: Inform me about the spring of Zughar. They said: Which aspect of it you want to know? He (the chained person) said: Is there water in it and does it irrigate (the land)? We said to him: Yes, there is abundance of water in it and the inhabitants (of Medina) irrigate (land) with the help of it, He said: Inform me about the unlettered Prophet; what has he done? We said: He has come out from Mecca and has settled in Yathrib (Medina). He said: Do the Arabs fight against him? We said: Yes. He said: How did he deal with them? We informed him that he had overcome those in his neighbourhood and they had submitted themselves before him. Thereupon he said to us: Has it actually happened? We said: Yes. Thereupon he said: If it is so that is better for them that they should show obedience to him. I am going to tell you about myself and I am Dajjal and would be soon permitted to get out and so I shall get out and travel in the land, and will not spare any town where I would not stay for forty nights except Mecca and Medina as these two (places) are prohibited (areas) for me and I would not make an attempt to enter any one of these two. An angel

with a sword in his hand would confront me and would bar my way and there would be angels to guard every passage leading to it; then Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) striking the pulpit with the help of the end of his staff said: This implies Taiba meaning Medina. Have I not, told you an account (of the Dajjal) like this? 'The people said: Yes, and this account narrated by Tamim Dari was liked by me for it corroborates the account which I gave to you in regard to him (Dajjal) at Medina and Mecca. Behold he (Dajjal) is in the Syrian sea (Mediterranean) or the Yemen sea (Arabian sea). Nay, on the contrary, he is in the east, he is in the east, he is in the east, and he pointed with his hand towards the east. I (Fatima bint Qais) said: I preserved it in my mind (this narration from Allah's Messenger (ﷺ)).

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Hadith 2

An-Nawwas b. Sam`an reported that Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) made a mention of the Dajjal one day in the morning. He (ﷺ) sometimes described him to be insignificant and sometimes described (his turmoil) as very significant (and we felt) as if he were in the cluster of the date-palm trees. When we went to him (to the Holy Prophet) in the evening and he read (the signs of fear) in our faces, he (ﷺ) said:

What is the matter with you? We said: Allah's Messenger, you made a mention of the Dajjal in the morning (sometimes describing him) to be insignificant and sometimes very important, until we began to think as if he were present in some (near) part of the cluster of the date-palm trees.

Thereupon he (ﷺ) said: I harbor fear in regard to you in so many other things besides the Dajjal. If he comes forth while I am among you, I shall contend with him on your behalf, but if he comes forth while I am not amongst you, a man must contend on his own behalf and Allah would take care of every Muslim on my behalf (and safeguard him against his evil). He (Dajjal) would be a young man with twisted, contracted hair, and a blind eye. I compare him to `Abd-ul-`Uzza b. Qatan. He who amongst you would survive to see him should recite over him the opening verses of Sura Kahf (xviii). He would appear on the way between Syria and Iraq and would spread mischief right and left. O servant of Allah! adhere (to the path of Truth). We said: Allah's Messenger, how long would he stay on the earth? He (ﷺ) said: For forty days, one day like a year and one day like a month and one day like a week and the rest of the days would be like your days. We said: Allah's Messenger, would one day's prayer suffice for the prayers of day equal to one year? Thereupon he (ﷺ) said: No, but you must make an estimate of time (and then observe prayer). We said: Allah's Messenger, how quickly would he walk upon the earth? Thereupon he (ﷺ) said: Like cloud driven by the wind. He would come to the people and invite them (to a wrong religion) and they would affirm their faith in him and respond to him. He would then give command to the sky and there would be rainfall upon the earth and it would grow crops. Then in the evening, their pasturing animals would come to them with their humps very high and their udders full of milk and their flanks stretched. He would then come to another people and invite them. But they would reject him and he would go away from them and there would be drought for them and nothing would be left with them in the form of wealth. He would then walk through the waste land and say to it: Bring forth your treasures, and the treasures would come out and collect (themselves) before him like the swarm of bees. He would then call a person brimming with youth and strike him with the sword and cut him into two pieces and (make these pieces

lie at a distance which is generally) between the archer and his target. He would then call (that young man) and he will come forward laughing with his face gleaming (with happiness) and it would be at this very time that Allah would send Jesus, son of Mary, and he will descend at the white minaret in the eastern side of Damascus wearing two garments lightly dyed with saffron and placing his hands on the wings of two Angels. When he would lower his head, there would fall beads of perspiration from his head, and when he would raise it up, beads like pearls would scatter from it. Every non-believer who would smell the odor of his self would die and his breath would reach as far as he would be able to see. He would then search for him (Dajjal) until he would catch hold of him at the gate of Ludd and would kill him. Then a people whom Allah had protected would come to Jesus, son of Mary, and he would wipe their faces and would inform them of their ranks in Paradise and it would be under such conditions that Allah would reveal to Jesus these words: I have brought forth from amongst My servants such people against whom none would be able to fight; you take these people safely to Tur. And then Allah would send Gog and Magog and they would swarm down from every slope. The first of them would pass the lake of Tiberias and drink out of it. And when the last of them would pass, he would say: There was once water there. Jesus and his companions would then be besieged here (at Tur, and they would be so much hard pressed) that the head of the ox would be dearer to them than one hundred dinars and Allah's Apostle, Jesus, and his companions would supplicate Allah, Who would send to them insects (which would attack their necks) and in the morning they would perish like one single person. Allah's Apostle, Jesus, and his companions would then come down to the earth and they would not find in the earth as much space as a single span which is not filled with their putrefaction and stench. Allah's Apostle, Jesus, and his companions would then again beseech Allah, Who would send birds whose necks would be like those of Bactrian camels and they would carry

them and throw them where God would will. Then Allah would send rain which no house of clay or (the tent of) camels' hairs would keep out and it would wash away the earth until it could appear to be a mirror. Then the earth would be told to bring forth its fruit and restore its blessing and, as a result thereof, there would grow (such a big) pomegranate that a group of persons would be able to eat that, and seek shelter under its skin and milch cow would give so much milk that a whole party would be able to drink it. And the milch camel would give such (a large quantity of) milk that the whole tribe would be able to drink out of that and the milch sheep would give so much milk that the whole family would be able to drink out of that and at that time Allah would send a pleasant wind which would soothe (people) even under their armpits, and would take the life of every Muslim and only the wicked would survive who would commit adultery like asses and the Last Hour would come to them.

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Anas b. Malik reported that Allah's Messenger (ﷺ) said:

The Dajjal would be followed by seventy thousand Jews of Isfahan wearing Persian shawls.

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THE ERA OF DECEPTIONS

The human brainpower thrives on challenges and one of the ultimate challenges is deception and the detection of deception. To protect and shield our weaknesses from our adversaries, we emit misinformation. Information and control of information are all done through propaganda. In times of war, [propaganda](#) is deployed to deceive the enemies. Thus, we can say that war is all about deception. The wars are planned and won in the mind; therefore, deception and war require creative brainpower.

We live in the age of mass misinformation and 24-hour news. By having access to so much information at the click of a button finding the truth has become virtually impossible. In the absence of truth, uncertainty rules over the horizon. Uncertainty is the precursor to anxiety. Recently, for many, anxiety levels were elevated when the mainstream media started discussing the threats of a nuclear war. All the while, the USA and Russia traded undiplomatic dialogue on the Syrian situation. Was the hype justified or was it intended as part of the perpetual fearmongering? Why are we being bombarded with fear through the media constantly? Is it to keep our minds in a permanent state of anxiety and mental paralysis?

Whatever the reasons, we are prevented from seeing the truth. The truth is the USA and Russia are playing a good cop / bad cop routine in Syria. This means the risk of a nuclear war is minimal in reality. A nuclear war may be inevitable one day in the near future, but for now, it is not imminent. The reason for this is that nuclear war is not the first option in any

war, it is the last option. If and when nuclear missiles start flying, the results cannot be controlled. A nuclear war would significantly weaken the superpowers; this is not in the best interests of the bankers, who seem to have an agenda of their own.

With the launch of the YuanPetro, the USA and China's tariffs wars, and India's move towards digital currency, as well as the USA being unable to free itself from the Middle Eastern quagmire, we can, to some degree of certainty, assume that the currency/economic/trade wars are already showing results. The outcome of these wars can easily be predicted, as everything is pointing to the demise of the dollar and with it the US hegemony. This way the bankers continue to retain full control over all sides, prior to and after the wars.

The fearmongering is intended to keep the masses ignorant of the political and economic games being played by the puppet masters, and the media is in bed with the puppet masters. We are deceived into thinking by the propagandists that the USA and Russia are fighting a traditional good versus evil war, hiding the fact that the bankers control both sides. Then who is the enemy? It seems the enemy, as far as the elite are concerned, are the masses. Hence, the masses are subjected to ever-increasing doses of fearmongering, anxiety and propaganda. About 10 years back, [terrorism](#) was used as a propaganda tool to create fear. Now things have evolved and a nuclear war is fast becoming the biggest threat. It is the masses that are the target of this propaganda and will be the victims of any nuclear attacks.

The bankers have spent more than a century trying to reach this point of total and absolute control of the world. They are now so near to achieving their ultimate prize by soon establishing a one world government and one single currency. Are we to believe that the elites will be willing to give up all their powers, by allowing a nuclear war? The Russian, Chinese and the Zionist west are all kowtowing to the bankers.

What we are witnessing in the media is nothing more than fear and anxiety filled entertainment. It is all a deception. Obviously, the upheaval that is underway in the Middle East will continue till the whole region is secularised and westernised. The secularisation process taking place in [Saudi Arabia](#) is shockingly fast, dangerously too fast. The Saudis are the key to any global nuclear war. The fall of the Zionist Saudi regime will start the countdown. Because, any serious challenge or a threat to the usury based global financial system will come from no other than an Islamic government (I do not mean Zionist backed terrorist groups).

One thing is for certain, in order to maintain their control for as long as possible, the Zionist elites will delay the nuclear war as the last option. For they may one day decide to go with a big bang! Only when the gatekeepers of progress are removed, we will witness the full emancipation of the human mind and human potential. We will then be moving towards a new era of human progress and understanding of the human mind. We will be [restoring the mind](#). The masses will become either knowledge rich or knowledge poor. We will be able to unleash the full potential of the human brainpower and see a huge progress.

You can read more about the power elites in my June 2007 article.

The title: [THE CLASSES THAT SUBVERT PROGRESS](#)

POLITICAL GAMES BEING PLAYED IN PAKISTAN

Silence is a wonderful teacher; you can learn a lot when you listen to and contemplate on the sounds of silence. I sometimes like to go out, away from urban areas, to natural surroundings, where I can listen to natural sounds and listen to the silence. It is a wonderful experience to connect with nature. I feel, if all the doctors prescribed their patients to regularly walk in countryside parks, this will have countless benefits for the mind and body and it will help reduce the increasing burden on the healthcare budgets.

One day while I was enjoying my moments of silence in the park, I heard the sound of some feathers ruffling in the water nearby. When I went behind the trees to inquire, I saw Mithu having a bath in a small stream. Mithu is an old friend, a beautiful Indian Ringneck Parakeet, a very intelligent parrot, and a proficient speaker.

Below is the transcript of the chat that took place between us both.

Me: Mithu? Is that you? How are you?

Mithu: Hello! Yes, I am fine. I am just having a bath, I am feeling so tired after that long journey.

Me: Journey? Where did you go?

Mithu: The people I am living with went on a vacation to Pakistan and decided to take me with them. I told them I will never want to go on any trip again!

Me: OK. Why never again?

Mithu: Long journeys tire me. However, I did get to meet the wisest Baba Ji during the trip. He is so knowledgeable and knows everything about everything.

Me: Wow! You seem impressed. Who is this Baba Ji? Where did you meet him?

Mithu: Well, I met Baba Ji on the outskirts of the village, where I was staying. Baba Ji is the oldest and wisest parrot in the village. He lives on top of the oldest and biggest tree in the village. He told me so much about the political games the Pakistani elite play on the birdbrained public.

Me: (while trying to control my laughter) I see. What does your Baba Ji say about the current political situation in Pakistan?

Mithu: Well, Baba Ji thinks that Pakistan's problem is that it is, and always has been a colony of the West. When General Musharraf tried to improve the economy and pay off Pakistan's foreign debts, the global financial oligarchs became alert to Pakistan's desire for freedom from the debilitating debt problems. Thus, they forced Musharraf to abandon any policies that would make [Pakistan](#) economically strong. To constrain the patriots from repeating such mischiefs an agreement was made in 2003, , which included; (1) appointing a banker (Shaukat Aziz) as finance minister to disrupt any economic gains that had taken place, (2) disgracing a national hero and a nuclear scientist, Dr Qadeer, as the colonised are not allowed to have any heroes to inspire the population (3) school textbooks removing any references to historical heroes like Tipu Sultan and others.

Me: Where is the evidence to prove that all this happened? As far as I am aware, the media is silent on any such agreements.

Mithu: Baba Ji thinks media does not tell all truths. Baba Ji says media's primary purpose is to make noise, and the noise confuses the mind. This is why Baba Ji does not like modern technologies. Baba Ji says the modern man has become too noisy and less aware of self because the modern man has stopped listening to self; hence he pollutes the environment with noise. Baba Ji is a self-proclaimed conspiracy theorist.

Me: Hmm. And you believed a conspiracy theorist?

Mithu: I am a parrot.

Me: (Laughing) True! That you are, no doubt about it.

Me: In my view, Pakistani politics is in the midst of a thick fog at this moment. I cannot understand it nor can I see towards which direction the nation is heading.

Mithu: Baba Ji says politics is a murky place and deception is the name of the game. The mist you are talking about is deliberately and intentionally created. Soon, this fog will be removed and then everyone will feel surprised. People like surprises.

Baba Ji says the final act of the agreement is being played out right now and the removal from power of Nawaz Sharif is part of the same drama, to create the fog.

Me: What do you mean by drama?

Mithu: Yes, it is all a drama. Baba Ji says this political confusion is deliberate. Part of the agreement Musharraf made was that the military will let corrupt civilian rulers stay in power for the next 15 years. President Zardari and his Pakistan People's Party (PPP) ruled for 5 years, and now Nawaz Sharif's PML(N) has ruled since 2013.

Me: Yes. I know. But the present situation is not so clear and future seems obscure to me too.

Mithu: It is very clear to me.

Me: How?

Mithu: During the last 5 years Nawaz Sharif's PML(N) became too powerful and undefeatable. The so-called 'establishment' decided to trim their feathers a bit, to weaken them. In the next general election, no political party will gain a majority. This will allow PML(N) to make alliances with other smaller parties to establish the next government as partners.

Me: You mean PML(N) and PPP. What about Imran Khan's party PTI?

Mithu: Yes. Imran Khan's party PTI will continue to play the

role of opposition. As the agreement dictates Pakistan can only allow corrupt people in power.

Me: This is the funniest and craziest idea I have ever heard. What about the millions of people who are waiting for and expecting a change.

Mithu: The people have seen all this before many times, each time a ruling head is removed or brought to power. The people have been let down so many times now. Do you not see the rising and epidemic level of apathy and pessimism among the population?

Then again, I am no expert on politics or social sciences. I am only a bird.

Me: I do not believe in conspiracy theories.

Mithu: But conspiracy is not the exception in human behaviour, it is the norm. And Baba Ji is famous in the village for his predictions.

Me: I do not agree. I see Pakistan shifting its alliances towards China and Russia. This will bring huge economic progress for the region despite the rising debts of \$89 billion accumulated by corrupt politicians. Pakistan's geopolitical position makes it an ideal place for the transit of global commerce to and from Central Asia as well as to and from West China. Pakistan has a great [future](#).

At this moment, I decided to go back to my meditation mat and relax, while listening to the sounds of silence. I could hear Mithu flying off to an unknown destination.

THE SELF-IMMOLATION OF CAPITALISM

The Western ruling elite and the rulers of their vassal states in the Middle East seem to be paralysed by fear. They no longer even pretend to have any real creative thinking. And since these rulers' thinking is obsessively grounded on fear, their domestic and international policies are also centered on fear. They foresee and fear the collapse of the system, the capitalist system. The fact is; a hundred years of controlling the Middle East is coming to an end. It is very likely that the Middle East will be the graveyard for the usury system and capitalism, which the global elite have used to enslave the masses.

The American empire is the last of its kind. Its demise will be an end of an era. In its early days, the American elite benefited the most from the traditional form of slavery to build their wealth and power. Historically, all empires were initially built on the backs of slavery. Any future empire, however, will have to utilise a different form of slavery to gain power. The contemporary modern enslavers are using deception to enslave the masses. They have successfully managed to make (the enslaved) people believe that they have freedom. The chains with which the masses consent to be happily shackled by is no other than the 'usury' based Western capitalism.

Aldous Huxley, the author of "*Brave New World*", a dystopian novel written in 1931, describes 'capital' as:

"Capital is what is left over after the primary needs of a population have been satisfied. But the primary needs of most of the people in underdeveloped countries are never fully satisfied. At the end of each year almost nothing is left over, and there is therefore almost no capital

available for creating the industrial and agricultural plant, by means of which the people's needs might be satisfied."

Otherwise camouflaged under beautiful words, the usury based capitalist system in reality is a con to deprive the masses of their capital. Michael Hudson, the author of, *Killing the Host*, has described the Western banking system as a parasite.

"Instead of creating a mutually beneficial symbiosis with the economy of production and consumption, today's financial parasitism siphons off income needed to invest and grow. Bankers and bondholders desiccate the host economy by extracting revenue to pay interest and dividends."

One must then wonder why the bankers are so interested in creating new wars. One of the biggest reasons for the Middle Eastern wars is to delay the inevitable collapse of the system, i.e. the Western financial system, a tool often used by the West as a weapon to dominate and subjugate the poorer nations. The bankers lend capital on interest to wage the new wars, and again after the wars, when the governments need new capital to revive the economies. In this way, the bankers continue to control governments and prevent the potential growth of their economies.

The economies of the Western nations have been in recession for over 10 years now and need new investment. The plundered wealth of the past colonial era has all been consumed by the debt derived from the usury system and fiat money created by the bankers. The problem with usury is that the debt continues to grow unabated and after a certain time period, the debt begins to destroy the economy of the debtors.

The banking elite insists that no country can remain debt free. Hence, many countries are expected to default on their debt payments, mostly owed to the IMF, World Bank and to each other, within the next 5 to 7 years. Countries which adopted

austerity to save their capital, such as the UK, by stopping investment in people and industries, have not benefited from such policies. A second financial collapse, similar to the 2008 collapse is predicted in the near future.

The key objective of the Middle Eastern wars is to inject impetus into the lifeless [carcass](#) called "capitalism". The system has created so much debt that it should no longer be called capitalism but rather by a more appropriate name, "debtism".

The Middle Eastern wars are important to the Western elite for two reasons; oil and gas, and secondly to suppress the alternative financial system that Islam offers. Usury is strictly prohibited in Islam, hence the reason for promoting Islamophobia in the west i.e. to oppose any such ideology which can free the masses from enslavement. Is this a war on Islam? In my view, it is more like a war on any doctrine or religion that can be perceived as an existential threat to the current form of capitalism (debtism), and of course usury.

It is for the above reasons that the ruling elites everywhere are terrified of the notion of masses adopting a usury free financial system. Therefore, the systems controllers have extensively promoted hedonism and usury over the last century to erode our moral and spiritual values, which had benefitted elevated the humanity since antiquity. Perhaps we need to return to a system that is more moral and social at the same time. One thing is for sure, the chains of slavery have to be removed if we are to emancipate our minds and if we are to achieve our potential.

You can read more about the power hungry elites and how they prevent us from [restoring the mind](#), in my June 2007 article, [THE CLASSES THAT SUBVERT PROGRESS](#).