

Monthly News Letter

“Jealousy and Envy” - by Shaikh. Saalih ibn Fawzaan al-Fawzaan



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All praises belongs to Allaah and I bear witness that Muhammad is His servant and messenger; to proceed: O' people, there is a vilified trait that the Prophet warned his ummah from it, and forbade from it, and it is jealousy, he said:

"The disease of the nations who came before you has started to spread among you:

envy and hatred " He also said : **"Do not be envious of one another; do not hate one another; do not artificially raise prices against one another; do not turn one's back on each other; and do not undercut one another in business transactions. And be, [O] servants of Allah, brethren. A Muslim is the brother of a Muslim. He does not belittle him. He does not forsake him. He does not betray him. And he does not show contempt for him. It is sufficient enough of evil for a person to despise his Muslim brother Every Muslims blood, wealth and honor is sacred"** Fear Allah, O servants of Allaah for jealousy is one of the most destructive characteristic that has spread in this ummah and consequently it has with terri-

ble effects. The meaning of jealousy is the hoping in the removal of the blessing from the one who is envied. When he sees his brother blessed with what Allaah has given him, then he hopes that this blessing disappears from him for no other reason except because of his hatred and when he hated him (he therefore) envied him. Jealousy is an ancient disease, and the first to envy was Satan, (May Allaah's curse be upon him) when he envied our father Adam for the virtues that Allah gave him. He created Adam by His hands, taught him the names of everything, made the Angels prostrate to him and let him live in His Paradise. Therefore, Ibliss became **Cont'd ... Page 2**

Special points of interest:

- **Huda is committed to delving into the issues that concern Muslims wherever**
- **Huda academy is your source of authentic knowledge**
- **We value very highly all feed back and critic we receive from our viewers.**

“Huda Live Broadcast from Dubai” .. A talk of our viewers!



Seen Brothers Ismail Bullock and Gabriel Al Romani while presenting the latest episode of “A Time to Please Allah” program live from Dubai

“A Time to Please Allah” program is the newest live show of Huda TV telecasted every Thursday as from 7th of November 2013 from Dubai.

Program is jointly presented by both brothers Gabriel Al Romaani and Ismail Bullock in a casual style of interactive media, dealing with Muslims' day to day issues.

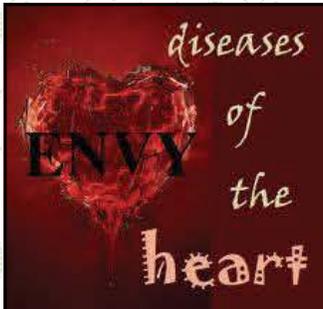
Program discussed some of current issues like Niqaab, Role Models, Righteous Role Models of course the best role model was the Prophet Mohamed and New Muslims' the stories, struggles, challenges etc. The program also conclude other Segments like: World news related to the topic, a segment for receiving a studio guest and projecting reports & Interviews **Cont'd ... Page 3**

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Beware of “Jealousy and Envy”, they are two of the main diseases of the Heart

“And wish not for the things in which Allāh has made some of you to excel others. For men there is reward for what they have earned, (and likewise) for women there is reward for what they have earned, and ask Allāh of His Bounty. Surely, Allāh is Ever All-Knower of everything.”(4:32)



The cure for envy is to ask Allah for His bounty as Allah is Expansive and All Knowing..

angry and refused to prostrate to Adam along with the Angels. Allaah says: "Then the Angels all of them prostrated together" (15:30)

So when their Lord said to them (ordered them) to prostrate to Adam; they all did so except Iblis as Allaah mentioned: "Except Iblis he refused to be from those who bow down" (7:11) And Allaah says: "He refused and became arrogant and was from the disbelievers"(2:34)

All this was because he became jealous of what Allaah gave him of these virtues so he refused to prostrate to him; arrogantly claiming that he is better than Adam. He claimed that he was better because he was created from fire while Adam was created from clay, and his assumption was that fire is far better than clay and this is a false reasoning (he had). Certainly clay is better than fire because it brings about the harvest of good plants, vegetables, fruits and many other goods things are reaped from it. In contrary to this the fire only destroys, (and) does not produce anything; it only destroys and ruins. Thus, his assumption felled and what he sought was null and void. When he became arrogant regarding Adam and envied him, Allaah expelled him and cursed him.

He was from amongst the first along with the Angels, worshipping Allaah in the heavens, but when he became jealous of Adam Allaah expelled him, cursed him and sent him down to the earth. He became a leader for the evil and wicked and a caller to every evil and (Allaah) made him from the people of the fire and a caller to it for eternity, all because of jealousy. If only he did not envy Adam and he had prostrated with the Angels who were not envious of him, he would have remained there with honor and position. However, when he began to be jealous and turned away from (the command) of Allaah, then he was expelled, cursed and made distant from Allaah and we seek refuge in Allaah from that. These are the effects of jealousy, Allah says: **“And recite to them the story of Adam's two sons, in truth,(Cain and Abel the sons of Adam) when they both offered a sacrifice [to Allaah], and it was accepted from one of them but was not accepted from the other...”(5:27)**

So the one who Allaah accepts from is the one who has taqwa and He does not accept from the one who does not have taqwa, as Allaah says: **“Allaah only accepts from those who have taqwa”(5:27)** So he envied his brother and he said (as Allaah mentions)

Said [the latter], **“I will surely kill you.”(5:27)** So he threatened his brother that he would kill him and his brother (Abel) said to him, as Allaah mentioned; **“If you should raise your hand against me to kill me - I shall not raise my hand against you to kill you. Indeed, I fear Allaah...”(5:28)** He feared Allaah and he was afraid of killing his brother. This jealous oppressive wrong doer saw nothing else except the killing of his brother (as Allaah says) **“And his soul permitted to him the murder of his brother, so he killed him and became among the losers.”(5:30)** Firstly, he cut the ties of relation (between him and his brother) Secondly, he envied his brother for what Allaah specified for him from the acceptance of his sacrifice. Allaah says; **“...so he killed him and became among the losers.”(5:30)**

(The killer obtained) a lost; there is no restoring or repairing ever! And all this was because of envy and Allaah's refuge is sought. Look at how jealousy leads to the taking of life and leads to disbelief which is greater, and we seek refuge with Allaah from that. It also leads to the curse of Allaah like what happened to Iblis (Shaytaan).

So the cure for envy is to ask Allaah for His bounty as Allaah is Expansive and All Knowing and also the cure for envy is that you believe in al-qadaa (when Allaah decrees a thing takes place when it does) and al-Qadr (what Allaah has written to take place and has not occurred yet) . So when your brother obtains something it is only because Allaah made it come about and it was written for him. Do not reject and turn away from Allaah and what He has decreed for others. Do not say that so and so is not deserving of this thing, like we hear from some of the people. They say "by Allaah so and so does not deserve this, why so and so." Or if a calamity befalls someone they say so and so is good, he doesn't deserve this punishment!

“Huda Live Broadcast from Dubai” .. A talk of our viewers!



Presenter Ismail Bullock



Presenter Gabriel Al Romani



Hisham & Abdurahman



Umair & Abdulmateen

Continued.... with Muslims and non-Muslims. The program also dedicates the last segment to receive telephone calls from the viewers and experts and Facebook activism. The program is widely welcomed by our viewers and became a real success by a grace of Allah.

Filming for You This Month!

NEW



Huda TV is working now on the production of a couple of new programs for you:

1- De-Stress: Modern life is very stressful, but how can we deal with this constant stress? Each episode speaks of a way to de-stress our selves using Islamic means.

2-Focus Point: It's is a documentary program that covers the major events in the Muslim world, in addition to spotlighting social issues from a Muslim perspective.

Huda Academy Admitted Prize Winners of IIC - Dubai

In Pursue of the visit of the Regional Director of Huda TV to “Islamic Information Center” IIC that belongs to “**Dar Alber Society**” in Dubai last September, and his meeting with Mr. Rashid Aljunaibi—G.M. of IIC and their prolonged discussions on the possibilities of having joint forces to propagate Islam and particularly concerning Huda supporting relevant media and educational issues.

Among points of agreement was of Huda TV granting free scholarships at **Huda Online Academy** to students of IIC, and eventually Huda granted (ten) scholarships to the top winners of Hajj Quiz organized on Facebook by the center and students were admitted earlier this month. Huda TV is looking forward to develop more positive collaboration with IIC & “Dar Alber Society” in the near future insha' Allah.



New Programs Playing on Huda TV's Screen in January, 2014

NEW



I-Teens World: The inspiring series “I-Teens World,” presented by Dr. Mamdouh Muhammad & Muhammad Waseem aims to inspire, develop, and promote young people to make the difference in their life and attain prosperity in the life hereafter.

2- Islam Quest: In this series brother Ahmed Hamed explores the Muslim faith for a number of critical questions of belief. It provides reasons behind a specific article of faith like why Allah is the true



Media for Your Soul



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Huda TV ... A Light in Every Home

Cartoon of this issue

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Picture of this issue:

As water shortage increases less and less water is allowed to flow into the Dead Sea causing the lake to shrink in size. The water evaporation leaves salt residue that Christianizes into strange and beautiful formations



Assorted News of Huda TV, Etc...



◆ Huda in Agreement with Peace Ways Foundation

Huda TV represented by Dr. Ahmed Fahmy – Regional Director had signed a da'wa agreement with "Peace Ways Foundation" a non-profit body based in Alexandria – Egypt represented by Mr. Moustafa Mohye – Executive Director.

Peace Ways accredited Huda TV with 15,000 copies of English Translated Quran that were originally financed and printed by "Shaikh Eid Charity Association" in Qatar.

Huda TV will distribute the allocated copies through on-screen ads and web sites among its viewers worldwide. A copy request form is to be filled-in through Huda web site and the requested book (s) will be shipped to the given address free of charge by Egyptian Post.



◆ Jamaan Alzahrani awarded by IREA of Australia

Br Waseem Razvi - the Founder President of IREA (Australia's first ever institution for Islamic and comparative religion studies) had presented the PEACE CONFERENCE Gift Bag to Sh. Jamaan Al Zahrani.

Br Waseem Razvi is and a Prominent Orator on Islam & Comparative Religion in the like of Ahmed Deedat & Br Imran (his teacher) whom we hope to appear soon on Huda TV's screen insha' Allah.