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Please Get Ready

By

Professor A. R. Choudhary

The attacks on Muslims keep coming. We have to get stronger to succeed and thrive. Dark Forces involving powerful and resourceful people and organizations have continued their AntiMuslim campaigns with a renewed zeal.

A terrorist belonging to the Dark Forces of White Supremacy attacked the Synagogue in Poway, CA. But the supporters of the Dark Forces pointed fingers at Representative Ilhan Omar. Among them were the Republican Senator Ted Cruise from Texas and Meghan McCain, the daughter of the late Republican Senator John McCain. [She](#) is a relatively obscure blogger who started McCain Blogette, on which she documented life on the campaign trail and mused about fashion, music, and pop culture.

The venom in USA against Islam and Muslims is of epidemic proportions. It provides a pathway to overnight cheap celebrity status. That is what Meghan sought when she [attacked](#) Congresswoman Ilhan Omar, completely without rhyme or reason. Such cheap shots would most certainly fire back on her except for the fact that they were fired against a Muslim. The people in the Dark Forces believe that all is fair in war, and they believe from their core that they are waging a war against Islam and Muslims. Albeit a losing war, because Muslims are intellectually smart, morally and spiritually superior, and possess a dedication fit for Saints.

Most importantly, Islam and Muslims enjoy the love and admiration of the majority of their fellow Americans -- the numbers in the Dark Forces are miniscule, though they are big with money and corruption.

“How dare you suggest that @IlhanMN is in some way responsible for the murder of our people when the Poway shooter’s manifesto showed his penchant for violent Islamophobia and antisemitism alike,” a fellow American roared at McCain on Twitter.

Cruise and McCain attacked the Congresswoman, in a totally unhinged way, as she, like any patriot and exemplary citizen, expressed her sorrow:



[Ilhan Omar](#)

✓@IlhanMN

My heart is breaking after today’s deadly shooting at Chabad Congregation in San Diego—on the last day of Passover and 6 months to the day after the Tree of Life shooting.

We as a nation must confront the terrifying rise of religious hate and violence.

Love trumps hate.



[Ilhan Omar](#)

✓@IlhanMN

Earnest shot & killed Jewish worshippers and bombed a Masjid



Islamophobia and Anti-Semitism are two sides of the same bigoted coin.

Let us stand together as Americans in rejecting hate!



my Nov. OpEd on the rise of Anti-Semitism hate crimes.

[http://www.startribune.com/rep-elect-ilhan-omar-let-us-stand-together-as-americans-in-rejecting-hate/501287251/ ...](http://www.startribune.com/rep-elect-ilhan-omar-let-us-stand-together-as-americans-in-rejecting-hate/501287251/)

But shallow people like Cruise, Roy and McCain could not appreciate her intellectual and moral superiority and attacked her anyway. Ilhan Omar represents her people in MN who trusted her with their votes and so does Ted Cruise – Meghan McCain is relatively lowly being “[the very definition of a toxic femininity](#)”.

Ilhan’s reminder for Ted was relatively gentle given his totally unhinged attack on her.



[Ilhan Omar](#)

✓ [@IlhanMN](#)

A white nationalist literally terrorized a synagogue during Passover yesterday and you have yet to say anything.

Shame on you.

Ted Cruz

✓ [@tedcruz](#)

The anti-Semitic Left—whether [@IlhanMN](#) repeated anti-Israel slurs or [@nytimes](#) apologizing for Hamas terrorists (eg, on 3/14/18) & running racist cartoons—is getting worse. And the House can’t even pass an

anti-Semitism resolution. Responsible Dems need to say Enough is Enough.
<https://twitter.com/RabbiShmuley/status/1122517678395146241>

Ilhan Omar and those fine American folks in MN who elected her will triumph over the Dark Forces – despite their bagful corrupt money, rather because of it.

However, the Muslim Community in USA owes much to the Congresswoman. Let us not hold back our appreciation and indebtedness to her wise heroism and courageous bravery.

Therefore, let us also say thank you with our [DONATIONS](#).



Come to a Platform of Common Positions and United Actions

By

The Muslim Voice

There are a large number of Muslim organizations in USA. They work largely in isolation, without an attempt to leverage their common strength through United Actions. This is not only retrograde; it is an obstacle to achieve a Platform of Common Positions that can lead to forward looking Unified Actions.

There is a strong need to change this retrograde behavior of the Muslim Community in USA. The [Muslim Planet Project](#) seeks to accomplish this change so that we can correct *the current political and social environment of USA such that the American Muslim Community receives human respect, citizen's dignity, equal justice, and proper image depiction.*

This [News Journal](#) is issued in this very spirit. The [Journal of Muslim Culture](#) is another component of the effort. The two together are intended to bring the Muslim

Organizations and Islamic Centers of USA together towards a Platform for Common Positions and Unified Actions. The [Project](#) provides the following five services:

1. Websites hosting services,
2. Community News Letter,
3. Journal of Muslim Culture,
4. Community Blogs, and
5. Book Publishing Services (electronic and hard copy).

These services are designed to provide glue that holds the Muslim Organizations together as one body and the Islamic Centers together as one body.

The magic happens when these two bodies come together at a Grand Unified Annual Conference that can act as a THINK TANK for the entire Muslim Community in North America.

ISNA and ICNA claim to be over North America. Unfortunately none comes anywhere close to the above objective. In fact they work in isolation without leveraging their collective strength.

The Muslim Planet Project is however not the only effort that is in motion towards these objectives. Steps have already been achieved in this direction, even if they are still small and in their infancy.

One significant effort is represented by the [US Council of Muslim Organization](#) formed together by the following:

1. The Council on American-Islamic Relations ([CAIR](#))
2. The Islamic Circle of North America ([ICNA](#))
3. The Muslim Alliance in North America ([MANA](#)) is a national network of masjids.
4. The Muslim American Society ([MAS](#))
5. Muslim Legal Fund of America ([MLFA](#))
6. Muslim Ummah of North America ([MUNA](#))
7. Ministry of Imam W. Deen Mohammed ([The Mosque Cares](#))
8. The American Muslims for Palestine ([AMP](#))

More organizations have since joined. Following is a partial list.

1. <https://shuracouncil.org/>
2. <https://www.shuranewyork.org/>
3. <http://islamiccouncilofoklahoma.org/>
4. <https://www.ciogc.org/>
5. <https://www.facebook.com/pg/Muslim-Forum-of-the-Pacific-Northwest-MFPNW-207340165974760/about/>
6. <http://www.imamsofamerica.org/>
7. <https://umrelief.org/>
8. <http://icnarelieff.org/>
9. <http://www.baitulmaal.org/>
10. <http://www.hhrd.org/>
11. <http://www.mercywithoutlimits.org/>
12. <http://www.uhrelief.org/>
13. <http://www.mosquefoundation.org/>
14. <https://www.icwonline.org/>
15. <http://isbcc.org/>
16. <https://hijrah.org/>
17. <http://iccicenter.org/>
18. Together We Serve, Inc.
19. <http://icdonline.org/>
20. <http://www.iiit.org/>
21. <https://www.RohingyaUnion.org>
22. <http://www.amaweb.org/home/>

23. <http://www.ianaonline.org/>

24. <http://www.islamiccenterofnaperville.org/>

It is a great beginning though not nearly enough. As you can see, there are important names missing from the list; among them the oldest and pioneering organizations such as MSA and ISNA. Nevertheless, let us not under estimate the great feat that this collective has already accomplished.

The [Muslim Planet Project](#) is one organization that belongs to the above list, but is not there yet. On another plane, the Muslim Planet Project brings to the table a UNIQUE capability that none of the above can offer. It offers the Technology Platform that all of the constituent member organizations can use and benefit from. The five services noted above belong to this platform. How is this so vitally relevant? An example is perhaps worth a thousand words. In the above list, one member does not have a hosted website; another one only has a Facebook presence. The Muslim Planet Project can and will offer to host anybody's and everybody's website. It will do more; it will host their blogs, their discursive and interactive thoughts, their intellectual articles, and their books.

We make a strong appeal to the Muslim Community in North America to be proactive and start using the mostly FREE services that we offer. This will bring the community together in an organic fashion. And then the MAGIC will happen.

Let us also acknowledge that these services, including this News Journal that has been coming to you since August 2018, most definitely COST money. Please support your community assets lest they disappear. Please [DONATE](#) generously.

Please use your Zakat and Sadaqat for this cause. This cause GROWS a collective growth – it is the Sadaqa-i-Jaria that keeps giving. It is not like those emergency situations that use your money just one time, and then your money is all spent and gone. We build the community that will then build itself to grandeur – and the building keeps going on and on. [DONATE](#).

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