Imam Ja'far Sadeq (AS)

"Three characteristics bring about hatred, that is, hypocrisy, oppression, and self-conceit.'

Immortal Legacy

Salaam dear young friends and hope you are fine by the Grace of Almighty God.

Yesterday, the 25th of Shawwal was the day of sorrow and grief and on this doleful day, Prophet Mohammad's (blessings of God upon him and his progeny) 6th Infallible Heir, Imam Ja'far Sadeq (AS) was martyred.

He was the victim of a fatal dose of poison given to him in Holy Medina on the orders of the wicked caliph of the usurper Abbasid regime in Baghdad, Mansour Dawaniqi.

Mansour was a dirty devil, who because of his deep animosity towards the Prophet's Immaculate Ahl al-Bayt created a new sect amongst the laity, mostly new converts or the sons and grandsons of converts, and named it Ahl as-Sunnah wa'l-Jama'ah, which means People of (the Prophet's) Tradition and Congregation.

This was indeed a misnomer and a divisive move to split Muslim ranks by hoodwinking the naïve and knaves, in view of the fact that the real upholder of the Sunnah (practice) and Seerah (behaviour) of Prophet Muhammad (SAWA) was the 6th divinelydesignated leader of mankind, Imam Ja'far Sadeq (AS).

Mansour knew that the prime source of the shari'ah (code of laws) of the Prophet was Imam Sadeq (AS) in whose famous academy of Medina, there were 4,000 scholars at its peak, studying different branches of knowledge, including the Father of Chemistry, Jaber Ibn Hayyan.

In order to undermine the popularity of the Prophet's righteous successor among the masses, the self-styled caliph resorted to every satanic stratagem including promotion of pseudo jurists, who to compensate their lack of Islamic knowledge relied on analogy or guesswork in religious matters.

The criminal founder of the city of Baghdad even imprisoned Imam Sadeq (AS), and when all his plots failed he had him removed through a fatal dose of poison.

Alas, Imam Sadeq (AS) achieved immortal martyrdom, but not before bequeathing the dynamic legacy of Islam to the devotees of the Prophet's Ahl al-Bayt through his son and successor, Imam Musa Kazem (AS).

Today, even though the tomb of the 6th Imam along with that of the 2nd, 4th, and 5th Imams - has been destroyed by the Wahhabi heretics in Medina, his name and fame is spread worldwide as is evident by the hundreds of millions of Muslims who adhere to school jurisprudence, the Figh al-

God bless you all, good-bye till next week.

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JOKES

A worldwide survey was conducted by the UN. The only question asked was:

"Would you please give your honest opinion about solutions to the food shortage in the rest of the

The survey was a huge failure.

In Africa they didn't know what "food" meant. In Eastern Europe they didn't know what "honest"

In Western Europe they didn't know what "shortage" meant.

In Asia they didn't know what "solution" meant.

In South America they didn't know what "please" meant.

And in the USA they didn't know what "the rest of the world" meant.

A science teacher tells his class, "Oxygen is a must for breathing and life. It was discovered in 1773." A student responds, "Thank God I was born after 1773! Otherwise I would have died without it."

An old teacher asked her student: "If I say, 'I am beautiful,' which tense is that?" The student replied: "It is obviously past."

Dear youngsters, could you answer the following ques-

- I am the same written forward, backward, and upside down. What am I?
- I sleep when you are awake, I am awake when you fall asleep. I can fly but no feathers to aid my flight. What
- I only exist when you are here. Where you never were, I can never be. What am
- I can be red, blue, purple, and green. No one can reach me, not even the queen. What am I?
- I have six faces but not even one body connected, 21 eyes in total but cannot see. What am I?
- I have a head and a tail but my eyes can never see my tail. What am I?

Answers to last week's edition:

- Tissue 1.
- 2. Bullet
- 3. Map
- 4. Donut
- Watermelon Particles

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The Fox and the Cat

A Fox was boasting to a Cat of its clever devices for escaping its enemies: I nave a whole bag of tricks which contains a hundred ways of escaping my enemies.'

"I have only one," said the Cat; "but I can generally manage with

Just at that moment they heard the cry of a pack of hounds coming towards them, and the Cat immediately scampered up a tree and hid in the boughs.

"This is my plan," said the Cat. "What are you going to do?"

The Fox thought first of one way, then of another, and suddenly the hounds came nearer and nearer. The Fox in confusion was caught up by the hounds and soon killed

Miss Puss, who had been looking on, said: "Better one safe way than a hundred on which you cannot reckon'

MORAL: "Better one safe way than a hundred on which you cannot reckon"

BUT CATS ARE WE USE SARCASM DEADLIER 0



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