

THE DISBELIEVERS AND HYPOCRITES

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It is so very strange that in this enlightened day, after we come into the light, we go back into the dark. This type of person is called a hypocrite.

Here in the city of Chicago where I am well acquainted with the actions of the people and in contact with them, many of them come to our Temple saying they believe almost before they can get in the door. And, in a few days I look for them and I do not see them.

Some of them go out and say: "That is for old folks and not for us young folks." But, I think the Bible teaches us that the Prophets saw both young and old in the pathway to hell. Then, if both young and old go together to hell, I do not see how in the world you get mixed up in your belief!

Some go so far as to now want to set aside certain teachings just for young people and not for others of Islam, as though the Holy Qur-an and Bible teaches us that Allah (God) has a separate religion for young people and a

separate religion for old people. Nowhere in the Bible have I found it, and if you find it, then write and give me that chapter and verse. I never find anyone who studies the Holy Qur-an say they found such things to support what they are saying. This is the work of our enemy.

We have to remember that according to the events that are taking place in our eyes and in our ears, that we should begin to think of the safety of our lives.

I am a young woman and I accepted Islam when I was a very small girl (9 years of age) and I have lived a very happy life being a Believer (Muslim) since I have accepted Islam. But, I see many of my old acquaintances in their teen years who just do not seem to be enjoying life. I would say, as they should but, because they are acting and dressing very indecently; eating and drinking the wrong food and drinks; and smoking deadly weeds such as tobacco and other weeds which Messenger Muhammad has taught us against for years.

Here of late I notice that the white man is teaching you and I against smoking, while since I was a small girl (as I was when I accepted Islam), I have been hearing Messenger

Muhammad warn against the use of tobacco and alcoholic beverages. I have refrained from partaking in or becoming a habitual character to the use of such degrading and destroying vices to our physical power and our minds.

I think, girls, if you would stop and think a moment, you can see yourselves going to a deadly end, for which there is no return ticket promised!

We can call it a good time now but the end is destruction, as it was with the Sodomite people and the people of Noah. Do you think all of them were "old folks"? Did they not have little children and teenagers in those days? Why certainly! And, they got destroyed.

Do you think all who were drowned in the Red Sea was Pharoah and men and not women and children? Why I should say not! They were not all men. There was destruction of lives through those ten plagues sent upon Pharoah and his family and the people, so the Bible teaches us. And the Bible further teaches us that the death plague took the first born.

I want you girls to remember, if you visit us you may change your minds against living such a self destructive life. Thank you for reading my article.