

Spend Wisely and Build for Future

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will spend far more than that. Some people spend 25 cents per day for cigarettes alone. Let us say we spent the same amount (25 cents a week) on beer. Again the actual amount would be more. This means \$260 million a year spent for beer, and the same spent for whiskey, wine, cigarettes and cigars. We also spend unnecessarily in sports. You average the same in sports (\$260 million). Another \$260 million is spent in gambling — averaging 5 cents a day, 25 cents a week; which is far less. This is just the minimum.

If five million wage earners saved just \$47 per year, they could save over a billion dollars a year. And this figure would be far greater if we included extravagant buying of clothes, furniture and cars. Eating the hog, the Divinely forbidden flesh which keeps us filled with arthritis, rheumatism, high blood pressure and fevers makes unnecessary doctor and drug bills. All of this wasteful spending should be checked, and you will see within a one-year period that you have not saved one billion dollars, but several billions saved.

The economical way to use the money you save is to first buy farmland and produce your own food. You can raise enough cattle, sheep, cows and chickens by the thousands if you try following our program. We could cut down on our clothing bills — some of us about thirty per cent, and yet be well dressed. Again, in this way, we could build a national savings bank from deposits for ourselves and invest our money in the purchase of necessary things for our nation. Then, you could cut down your present high cost of living.

Purchase real estate, buy farm and timberland. Convert the timber into lumber and build homes for yourselves like

the white man is doing. Of course, he will have the authority over whether or not to sell the land to you. Get clay land. With marsh clay land and hill clay, you can make your own bricks. Bricks are inexpensive to make once you get your kiln built and tracks laid. The greatest expense would be coal, or gas to burn your bricks. Build your own people's brick homes and sell them to your people at a very reasonable price.

Try and save your people of unnecessary high-price buying. Take your cotton to the mills and have it converted into lint. And take the lint to the textile mills and have it converted into cloth. You are very smart. We have many technicians among us who are about as smart as they come. Why shouldn't we get together and produce something for ourselves?

Ask the government to help us go for ourselves. And if the government will not help us, since we and our fathers have been loyal and helped them to become and remain independent, then appeal to your own people to allow you to move in among them. I am sure that if you are a Muslim, you can find a place anywhere on the earth.

We are the righteous, and it should not be hard for us to do something for self if we unite. We do not need to unite and then go fight other nations to get their country. Not that will not be necessary. Come follow me and I will show you how to do this without having to shed a drop of blood. Shedding blood for something that you are Divinely justified in having is not necessary.

It is a disgrace for us to have all this present trouble — standing around begging, quarreling and fighting with the slave masters over something that we can do for ourselves if only given a chance. This chance can be had if you go about it in the right way.

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Open Letter Muslim Minister Writes to Malcolm

By John Shabazz

I would have referred to you as "Uncle Tom," Malcolm, except that it would have been an insult to all the Uncle Toms on earth to class you with them. The worst Uncle Toms you yourself ever criticized look ten feet tall beside you now.

I have to put "mistler" in front of your title, because you have proven to be the number one hypocrite of all time. The worst hypocrite among Moses' followers was Korah, but he was not Moses' right-hand man — Aaron was. The worst hypocrite among Jesus' followers was Judas, but he was not Jesus' right-hand man — Peter was. And even Abd'Allah Ibn Ubbay, who was called "The CHIEF of the Hypocrites" fourteen hundred years ago in Arabia, was quite a ways down the chain of command behind such companions of Prophet Muhammad as Abu Bakr, Uthman, Umar, Ali, etc.

But YOU, Malcolm, were treated like a SON by The Messenger. You have no kick coming — he did more for you than your real parents ever could, or were inclined to do, even if they could. Then you openly confess on a nationwide television network that all the time you were exalted to a position approximating number three man in the Universe, you were in reality a hypocrite.

That is what you were saying when you reminded Mike Wallace that when you were a Muslim you spoke for Messenger Muhammad, but now you are speaking for yourself.

In other words, all the time you were representing the Messenger of Allah, you were speaking with your MOUTH that which was not in your HEART. This is the EXACT definition of a hypocrite.

If it were not for the Messenger, you would still be just another unheard-of penny-ante Harlem hustler. Now that you have defected, you are a FAMOUS penny-ante Harlem hustler. The Bible accurately describes you as "a dog returning to his own vomit." You've even gotten shaggy like a dog.

I spoke of "when you WERE a Muslim." This was no error on my part. You should stop lying to people in a manner designed to make them think that you are still a Muslim, even though you are not following The Messenger. THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE. A Muslim is one who submits himself ENTIRELY to the will of Allah, and it is the will of Allah that we (so-called Negroes) follow the Honorable Elijah Mu-

hammad. The Fundamental Principles of the Religion of Islam condemn you:

1. If you believed in ALLAH, you wouldn't put your trust in guns;
2. If you believed in DI-

RESURRECTION, you would not have dived headlong back into the grave from which you were raised;

4. If you believed in the JUDGMENT, you would fear the prospect of facing God clothed in TREACHERY and DECEIT;

But this shouldn't bother you, Malcolm. Why should



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VINE REVELATION, you would have paid heed to what was revealed to The Messenger and what was revealed BEFORE The Messenger of your own RISE, HYPOCRISY, and FALL;

3. If you believed in the

you want to practice the Religion that Messenger Muhammad taught you, anyway? Since you have declared to the world that you think he was wrong about the DEVIL, aren't you afraid he also was wrong about God?

She Slapped Back; Arrested for Assault and Loses Job

JACKSON, Miss. — A college employee here still waits trial on a charge of assault after she slapped a white man who had first slapped her more than two months ago—but 16 days after the incident, she was fired from her position.

Miss Norma Stamps, employed at Jackson State College as a departmental secretary, was waiting in line April 14 to enter a courtroom for the Beckwith trial when she was slapped by an elderly white man. She returned the slap—and was arrested, charged with assault and later released on bail.

Miss Stamps received notification April 29 of the term-

ination of her employment on April 30.

She said a supervisor told her that the president of the college had asked for Miss Stamps' resignation, warning that she would be fired otherwise.

Later, Miss Stamps said, the school president told her that she was fired for unauthorized absences despite authorized sick leaves by her physician.

Kenyatta's Daughter

NAIROBI—Miss Margaret Kenyatta, 36-year-old daughter of Kenya's Prime Minister Jomo Kenyatta, was one of 7 incumbents to win seats in the city's council.