

Pakistani Writer Takes Close Look at the Heart Transplant Operations

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For several weeks the U.S. press spotlight has been steadily focused on the Western (white) world's latest "heroes" or "miracle men": The heart transplant specialists, Dr. Christian Barnard of South Africa, Dr. Norman Shumway of Stanford, Calif., and their numerous intercontinental colleagues.



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YET IT'S the economically insolvent of our fellow-beings everywhere who are usually so beset with one physical affliction or another that, in the final analysis, only a complete "change of heart" can give them a new lease on life.

As for the "Great Society" poor—the millions of American so-called Negroes—I do not exaggerate in stating here that theirs is a particularly grave and pitiable condition, requiring as it does both a "change of heart" and full restoration of their

long-exanimate mental faculties.

Here is why: An overwhelming majority of Black Americans still subsist on foods that are not only deficient in essential nutrients and proteins but, in certain cases, actually adversely affect their bodily growth and well-being.

THE deplorable state of their mind also is self-evident: They know little or nothing of "self and kind" or of their ancient history, heritage and culture. Nor do they realize that this is due entirely to the thorough job of brainwashing done upon them during the era of slavery.

They remain in the names of their former (European, Anglo-Saxon) slavemasters' children and grandchildren. Besides, they believe not in their own God (ALLAH, to Whom all praises are due!) and in the religion of their righteous (Asiatic) foreparents but in a false "God" and a man-made system of worship (Christianity) that was first imposed upon their enslaved ancestors by the white (European) "masters" in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries.

We offer our heartfelt thanks to ALLAH, however—for all is not as yet lost! From the core of the Black American populace has arisen a gentle, though powerful, man with the specific mission and ultimate objective of transforming "all the lost-found

members of the ancient, holy Tribe of Shabazz ..." (i.e., American so-called Negroes) into an independent, mighty and proud new "people of Allah" (i.e., Nation of Islam).

HE IS here today, shall we say, to remove every rotten and defunct (Christian) heart from the bodies of Black men and women and replace it with one that's extraordinarily vibrant and full of life (Islam).

In addition, he is to revive their minds, so that the "original inhabitants and owners of the planet Earth" can once again do their own thinking and chart the course of their future destiny.

We might further state here that the divinely-licensed master physician-surgeon—call him what you will—is also capable of carrying out his appointed task without the aid of conventional surgical tools or elaborate laboratory facilities.

THE "miracle man" of Black America I am speaking of, of course, is none other than the latter-day "Messenger" and leader of the U.S. "Nation of Islam"—Honorable Elijah Muhammad.

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