

# Respect for the Messenger stressed

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Beloved Brothers and Sisters of the lost found Nation of Islam in North America, and especially those who have not yet decided to follow the Most Honorable Elijah Muhammad. In this Great Day of Decision, wherein we find ourselves, in order to decide which way we must go; Who to follow; Our decision must have, as its base, intelligence, sensibility and wisdom.

As the Apostle Paul said (I Thess: 5:21) we must "Prove all things and hold fast that which is good." To prove a thing or a man, according to dictionary definition we must show him to be true or genuine by evidence or argument; establish the authenticity or validity of him; to justify, confirm, verify.

As you notice, every year around this time before our annual Saviour's Day Convention, the white man's campaign against the Honorable Elijah Muhammad begins. Every year he pulls the same trick. However, the fact that he pulls the same trick every year should wake our people up to the trick, since at all other times during the year he is silent.

And you are not being wise if you don't examine his reason, his motive. He, the white man, thinks that he has made Black People so blind, deaf and dumb that you will fall for the same old trick time after time, year after year. You are not given credit for any intelligence.

But I think that he is being deceived himself today, to think that Black men can be deceived so easily. Especially with the light of Truth of the Honorable Elijah Muhammad ever shining and increasing with intensity daily, and his works ever bearing witness that he is a man concerned with, and has the key to, the Salvation of Black People.

When he, the white man and his imps pop up, like every year with his smear campaign, in view of Messenger Muhammad's continuous progress and accomplishments: he's like a man, in the streets naked, charging and condemning the fully-clad people with indecency.

While he was preparing to attack and accuse God's Messenger, perhaps you were giving consideration and concern to what Messenger Muhammad was doing. Perhaps you had time to calculate on why Messenger Muhammad was still being successful after 42 years in the midst of this evil race of people, and time to consider who was behind the success of this great man.

Maybe your memory was revitalized by the prompting of Messenger Muhammad's Laborers; having pointed out how this same attacker and accuser had himself bowed to, respected and honored Messenger Muhammad, as well as admitting that Messenger Muhammad was the True and Last Messenger of Allah.

The scriptures teach us that

everything will bear witness that Allah is God and that the Honorable Elijah Muhammad is the last Messenger of Allah.

Consider America, a giant of a nation. Not a play nation. But a nation that herself brags on being the most powerful nation on earth. The scriptures refer to her as the great Beast that caused the Earth to tremble. That brought fire down from heaven. This same people who persecuted and prosecuted God's Messenger; threw him in jail on false charges, accused him day and night, have already bowed and admitted that Messenger Muhammad was of God, from God and had the power of God with him.

Some of you may remember or heard that when Messenger Muhammad went to Washington D.C. in 1959, how the government police escorted him down Pennsylvania Avenue, meeting him at the airport and escorting him as they would only escort a King from a foreign Land. The same man that they had persecuted, prosecuted, accused and are still persecuting and accusing. They are still resurrecting hypocrites, dead and alive, to try and dis-credit the Most Honorable Elijah Muhammad.

Why would they treat him (Messenger Muhammad) so royally and protect him so carefully if he was a nobody. They knew that he came to Washington D.C. to preach their doom. Yet they gave him the

highest respect and honor. The Last Messenger of Allah and His religion Islam. Not Christianity, their religion.

Brother preacher of the white man's slavemaking religion of Christianity, when did you ever get this kind of respect and honor? Never. No matter how big you get in his religion and no matter how violently and fervently you preach it, you never get this kind of honor.

Reverend, as Messenger Muhammad says, you should read over your Bible again and see maybe he's showing you what you should be doing. Giving respect and honor to God's last Messenger.

If the master of you bows and admits to the Honorable Elijah Muhammad's Messengership, and he's your teacher of his religion, then most certainly you should bow and admit to Muhammad's Messengership. As you most surely will one day soon.

As long as you are in his religion, preaching it; preaching love for him, you're his slave. You come to us on behalf of him. Defending him and trying to make us worship him. You come today out of his Theological Seminaries. Not from God. You get the white man's degree. His license. But yet he does not honor you, respect you. You are in his name, as his property. He can't honor his slave.

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