

Women in Islam

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It is imperative that black women become not only aware of needless expenditures in their daily routines but also should be aware of the "tricknology" that has been skillfully exercised to strip us bare of our resources to the advantage of our enemies and to the continual heaping of shame upon the so-called Negro doorsteps and households of America.

THREE exploitative devices have been used to grant revenue to our enemies' empire. These three devices have figured in quantitative advertising throughout the American Nation. They are alcoholic beverages, tobacco (mainly cigarettes) and entertainment.

These three have sold many of our people into the hands of the devil. The statistics on the consumption and participation in these three areas are more alarming than the deciphered figures on dope and narcotic addictions, and the alleged high crime rate that has been identified as the blight of the black sectors of America.

FOR THE black people, there are no restraining laws for our protection. As a result, we are continually filling our systems with this devil's "fire water" and must continually pay the price. The so-called Negro, as a minority group, is the worse afflicted because of this one beverage more than any other people.

First, as long as we go along with this kind of inhibition of our enemies' freedom, we cannot exercise the proper controls over our families and community life. We do not have the love and respect for our wives and our children because our peers (white men) show no

respect for our wives and families and continue to commit aggravated assault upon everything associated with black.

WHILE THE white man busied himself cutting us off from his educational institutions, restaurants, neighborhoods and public transportation facilities and rudimentary privileges of social and economic life in his great society, why did he not also vigorously apply his work in prohibiting the distribution of his alcoholic brews to our community stores and neighborhoods?

After tempting us to disorder and transporting this poison with license into our areas — as well as dumping the worse foods in our markets — he then shakes his head at us and asks why we don't clean up our drunken fathers, brothers, relatives and womenfolk. Then, he boldly proclaims to the world in a second breath that the black people don't care about anything except getting drunk on the weekends, after he fills our streets with wine and whiskey bottles.

NOW, LET THE women arise in protest. Not two or three from individual families, but the mothers and wives of 22,000,000 so-called Negro households across the American nation in self protection and unite against the hazards wrought by the use and consumption of alcohol.

It is a great sin for a ny black family, which may not be personally afflicted, to resist the responsibilities of working to prevent this venom from rotting the fiber of our entire nation.

Alcohol, in addition to bad eating habits, is contributing drastically to the slowing down factor of our mental development. This our enemies know. Therefore, they do not object to our consumption of this poison water.

