



Dr. Ayman al-Zawahiri said,

“And I call on my Muslim brothers in beloved Somalia, Somalia of patience and Ribat and Jihad, to not be deceived by those who agree to the secularist constitutions which vie with the Shari’ah in its right to rule. And I tell them: why have you sacrificed thousands of martyrs for the Shari’ah, then someone comes to you today wishing to deceive you with a constitution which doesn’t rule by Shari’ah and with his participation in a single government with those who have been combating Shari’ah?

And I tell them: why have you sacrificed thousands of martyrs to purify Muslim Somalia from the American Crusader invasion, then someone comes to you today to attempt to deceive you by saying that America has a positive role in Somalia?

Have we forgotten who America is?

America is the enemy of Islam and Muslims, and is the one who killed tens of thousands in Somalia at the hands of its

troops and agents.

Have we forgotten why America entered Somalia the first time, then sent its aircraft and agents the second time?

Didn’t America enter Somalia to eliminate Islam in it, and turn it into a colony spinning in the orbit of the Crusader coalition in its war against Islam which they call the war on terrorism?

Isn’t America the one who pulverizes the Muslims’ villages and houses in Afghanistan and Iraq, and the one who provides Israel with all sorts of deadly equipment and weaponry to tear apart our women, children



and elders in Palestine and resolute Gaza, whose wound continues to bleed?

And isn't America the one who besieged the Muslims in Iraq, until a million of their children were killed, and is the one who is today besieging the Muslims in Gaza?

So how can we expect from America any good? We only expect from it every evil and corruption.

How can we believe someone who claims that America has a positive role in Somalia?

America's positive role is in filling the pockets of the traitors with bribes.

And why, O Muslims in Somalia, did you sacrifice thousands of martyrs in order to purify Muslim Somalia from the infidel invaders, then someone comes to you today wanting to deceive you by changing the names and forms of the invaders, but the invasion is the invasion and the occupation is the occupation.

And why did you sacrifice thousands of martyrs to expel the American invasion hiding behind the cloak of the United Nations, then someone comes to you today wishing to deceive you by telling you that you must respect the principles of the United Nations?

Respect for the principles of the United Nations basically means ruling by other than Shari'ah, and also means recognition of Israel's control of Palestine and Russia's control of Chechnya and indeed, all of the Muslim Caucasus, and it means recognition of Spain's control over Ceuta and Melilla and China's control over East Turkistan, because all these states are members of the United Nations, whose charter calls for respecting the unity and integrity of their territories."¹

Shaykh Nasir bin Hamad al-Fahd, may Allah free him from imprisonment, said:

"And as for its crimes against the Muslims and those who ascribe to Islam it is numerous. If we wanted to go into detail we would depart from our topic

(in this book). Nevertheless, we shall point out a few statistics that indicate more:

- More than one million (1,000,000) Iraqi children have been killed due to the bombardment of the American powers against Iraq as well as its oppressive embargo since the past ten years.
- Thousands of newborn babies in Iraq have been stricken with blindness due to a lack of insulin.
- The life expectancy rate of Iraqi men has dropped twenty years and (has dropped) eleven years for Iraqi women due to the American embargo and bombing.
- More than half a million (500,000) people expected to die as a result of radioactive poisoning [due to American usage of depleted uranium weaponry].
- American weapons have murdered thousands of Palestinian elderly, women, and children.
- Thousands of Lebanese and Palestinian refugees have been killed in massacres that were carried out by Israel with American support.
- Between the years: 1412-1414H, the American

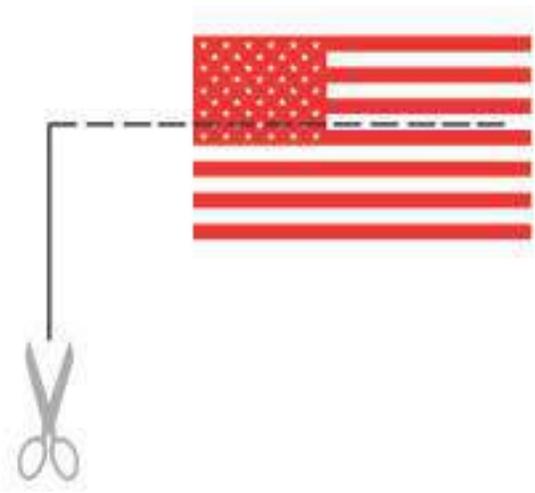


¹ 'From Kabul to Mogadishu,' transcript of video, p.6-8

military killed thousands of Somalis during their invasion of Somalia.

- In the year 1419H, America launched a cruise missile attack against Sudan and Afghanistan, whereby they destroyed a Sudanese pharmacology plant and killed more than two hundred (200).
- Israel, with the full blessing of America, has killed more than seventeen thousand (17,000) people in their invasion of southern Lebanon.
- The Indonesian military has killed over one million (1,000,000) people with support from America.
- Their embargo against Afghanistan has caused the death of more than fifteen thousand (15,000) Afghani children.

This is not even mentioning the massacres the Americans have blessed in Chechnya, Bosnia, Macedonia, Kosovo, Kashmir, Philippines, Maluku Islands, Timor, and other lands of Islam. If someone were to swear an oath that there has been no massacre of the Muslims in recent years or expulsion enforced upon them, or occupation of their land except that there were American hands behind it I would certainly not think that person was too far off and Allah is the one in whom help is sought."²



² "The Exposition Regarding the Disbelief of the one that assists the Americans," pp.50-1

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