

SHARIA - thank God for Rowan Williams

It is predicted that some towns in England will become predominantly Moslem, bearing in mind that Moslems tend to be more serious about their faith than the average Englishman who may say he is a 'christian, but never sees the inside of a church.

'Multiculturalism' is a nice cuddly word, especially when the City Council put on festivals, but the reality across the UK (and the world) is that traditionally, immigrants create ghettos, for their own safety. Presumably if some degree of Sharia was enshrined in law it would apply equally to a Moslem community of 100 or 100,000.

'Talking on Radio 4's The World at One, Thursday 7th Feb AD 08, the Archbishop of Canterbury Dr Rowan Williams has said he believes adopting parts of Sharia law 'seems unavoidable' in modern British society.

Dr Williams has boldly raised the issue of whether there should be exceptions to the UK laws for reasons of conscience and he has used the reality of the growing Islam influence in the UK, to present that debate. For such truth he is being demonised by the media, but especially the secular press who create injustice and then feed off it. Rowan Williams has triggered a debate that may halt the nation from sleepwalking into a similar nightmare that Enoch Powell foreseen. Uncontrolled immigration, creating future uncontrollable ghettos, requiring 'special' laws.

The Times They Are A Changing

Forty years ago it was inconceivable that homosexual couples would be adopting children. Forty years ago it was inconceivable that ex IRA leaders would be deciding legislation for Northern Ireland, but for the sake of peace, it is a reality. In a small city like Carlisle, Botchergate, needed 'special' law enforcement and the roads are cordoned off, because of 'white' lawlessness.

How then, in the future, will the very large and predominantly 'black' Moslem towns be policed without the cooperation of the Moslem leaders, who would prefer to have their own 'special' laws to control their own people?

Is some small degree of Sharia law inevitable, because Islam is an articulate, cultured and immensely rich, powerful and influential force, with its fair share of 'crusaders' willing to give their lives for their cause?

Press propaganda

The power of the media and the secular press to distort the articulate and genuine concerns of Rowan Williams, is extraordinary. The very mention of Enoch Powell now stimulates thoughts of race hate. How will history remember Rowan Williams? The peacemaker he seeks to be, or the trouble maker, the press have made him, or a prophet? Should he have dumbed down his message, for the big brother culture?

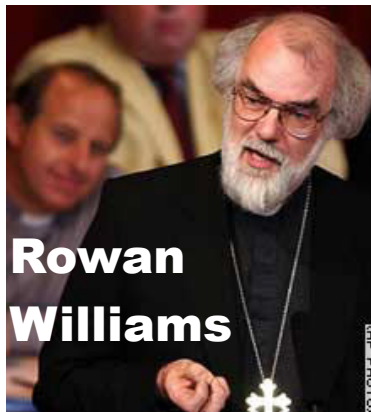
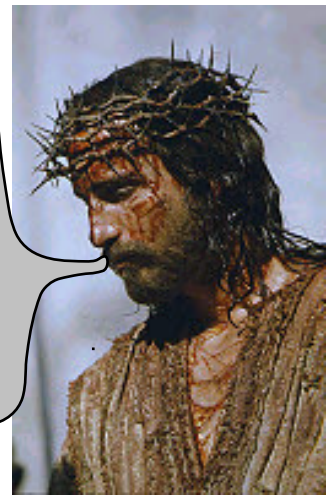
How many of Rowan Williams's critics actually read what he said? The mob shouting 'Crucify him', echoes through the ages. The fundamentalist atheists are also grinding their axes.

I am the way and the truth and the life. No-one comes to the Father except through me.

John 14:6

Any kingdom divided against itself will be ruined, and a house divided against itself will fall.

Luke 11:17



Dr Rowan Williams has been misrepresented. Bishop Graham was last year when he spoke out as regards the floods.

People opposed to the use of a curse as a tourist attraction were misrepresented and abused.. 1st century Christians were by Nero. The Jews were by the Nazis and of course what about Jesus?

Most critics never engage in a meaningful dialogue with their victims. It is easier just to condemn and to kill. The secular media presents itself as an angel of light. It demonises its victims and lets the gullible reader, or viewer, finish them off. Don't be a pawn of Mammon. Read what Rowan Williams actually said. You don't have to agree, with him, but thank God it has been said.

One Law for all?

Given the failure of millions of Christians to ensure that their genuine beliefs be respected, it will be a wonderful irony if in the future, Christianity ends up with being given special exceptions in English law, as a result of politicians and society bowing to the authorities in Moslem ghettos. If so, then adoption agencies like Catholic Caring Services will not have to close rather than help homosexual couples to adopt.

The present mantra of politicians is '**one law for all**'. Really? The media barons and their victims, equally protected by the law? They'll be telling us next that we live in a fair society, where money, power, the right connections, the old boys club, secret organisations, affiliations and Parliamentary privilege are of no account. We do not have one law for all! Never did have, never will have. It cannot even be rationally debated. However, it is better than Sharia which is already practised in some Moslem families and Moslem communities in the UK.

Ironically, a 'western' form of Sharia also exists. We 'destroy' unborn babies. We pollute the planet with radioactive and chemical waste. Guantanamo Bay! Prisoners can be treated like animals and suicides are common and many citizens want the death penalty for the worse criminals. The worse child abuse cases have involved the state. Many women are abused by their 'loving' partners. Councils and companies and governments have been underpaying women for years. Christianity is now being legislated against.

Governments regard such 'casualties' as 'collateral damage' and so some of our most vulnerable citizens with mental illnesses are abandoned to prisons. Instead of love, we have children's and old folks homes, MRSA hospital wards, lonely bed sits and homes that are under siege at night by marauding reivers - sorry, I mean youths. Some citizens could be excused for thinking that Sharia could actually improve their lives. **Leslie Irving**