**The Islamic Anti-Christ**



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1. Islamic belief is based on the Qur’an and Sunna (biography and sayings of Muhammad plus early commentaries on the Qur’an). The Qur’an is said to have been communicated to Muhammad by the angle Gabriel over a 23 year period beginning 609 AD.
2. Islamic belief as stated in the Qur’an: *“It is not righteousness that turn your faces to the East and the West: but righteousness is he who believeth in* ***Allah*** *and* ***the Last Day*** *and the* ***angels*** *and the* ***Scripture*** *and the* ***prophets****…” (Sura 2:177)*
3. Ten Major Signs precede **the Last Day**
4. The Mahdi
   1. His arrival will be the first **Major Sign**
   2. Islam’s messiah, but his purpose is to restore social order and Islamic revelation for all
   3. Descendant of Muhammad
   4. Devout Muslim
   5. Unparalleled spiritual, political, and military leader
   6. Will establish justice throughout the world thru a new Islamic world order
   7. Will be the caliph [*chief Muslim civil and religious ruler*] and imam [*prayer leader*] of all Muslims
   8. Will lead military action against all opposition
   9. Will invade many countries
   10. Will make a seven-year peace treaty with a Jew of priestly lineage
   11. Will conquer Israel for Islam
   12. Will establish world Islamic headquarters in Jerusalem
   13. Will rule for 7 years
   14. Will cause Islam to be the only religion world-wide
       1. Will change laws and time
   15. Will appear riding on a white horse as stated in **Rev 6**
   16. Will have supernatural powers
   17. Will be loved by all the world because he makes all prosperous
5. The Muslim Jesus
   1. Will be the second **Major Sign**
   2. Not the son of God, not crucified for the sins of man, and not resurrected
   3. Will return a radical Muslim
   4. Will be asked by the Mahdi to lead prayers
   5. Will rule all Muslims in shariah law
   6. Will eliminate the jizyah tax on non-Muslims
   7. Will eliminate Christianity
   8. Will kill the Muslim antichrist, the Dajjal, and his followers [mainly women and children]
6. The Dajjal, Muslim antichrist
   1. Will return in the last days
   2. Will be blind in one eye
   3. Will be Jewish
   4. Will claim to be Jesus Christ by name
   5. Will be followed by many Jews and women
   6. Will be considered the Jewish Messiah
   7. Islam view: *“The army of Satan will be led by a person who will claim to be Jesus Christ himself. The Muslims will call him the Dajjal or the Deceiver. The real Jesus’ army will fight the Dajjal’s army and defeat him. The empire of Israel will fall, and the religion of Islam will prevail.”*
7. Muslims look for two Jesuses in **the Last Day**. The real one and a false one. The real Jesus will slaughter Jews while the false one is expected to defend Jews.
8. Richardson believes that what we have called the Northern confederacy is in fact the biblical antichrist’s confederacy (all are Muslim countries)
   1. Magog – Asia Minor [southern Russia]
   2. Meshech – part of modern Turkey
   3. Tubal – part of modern Turkey
   4. Persia – Iran
   5. Cush – Modern Sudan
   6. Put – west Egypt
   7. Gomer – central Turkey
   8. Togarmah – southeastern Turkey
9. Finally, some general information
   1. Progressive revelation in Islam [***nasik***] : if Qur’an verses seem to contradict each other the newer revelation given to Muhammad cancels out the older revelation. The newer revelations to Muhammad are those most anti-Semitic and war like.
   2. On changing times and laws: ***Daniel 7:25*** *'He will speak out against the Most High and wear down the saints of the Highest One, and* ***he will intend to make alterations in times and in law****; and they will be given into his hand for a time, times, and half a time '*
      1. Time: Islam has its own calendar based on the career of Muhammad. It is a lunar calendar, begins at his migration from Mecca to Medina. Friday is the holy day.
      2. Law: Islam only recognizes shariah law
   3. Omar Ahmed, chairman of the board of CAIR: “Islam isn’t in America to be equal to any other faith, but to become dominant. The Qur’an should be the highest authority in America, and Islam the only accepted religion on Earth.”[California speech, July 1998]

The above outline of Islamic eschatology is in the first 1/3 of Richardson’s book. The remaining elaborates on specific parts of Islam and how they related to the above beliefs.