



“IDENTITY THAT INVOKES THE CURSE OF ALLAH”

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ الْقَائِلِ: لَقَدْ خَلَقْنَا الْإِنْسَانَ فِي أَحْسَنِ تَقْوِيمٍ¹
أَشْهَدُ أَنْ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّ مُحَمَّدًا عَبْدُهُ وَرَسُولُهُ. اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ
وَسَلِّمْ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَى آلِهِ وَأَصْحَابِهِ أَجْمَعِينَ.
أَمَّا بَعْدُ، فَيَا أَيُّهَا الْمُسْلِمُونَ! اتَّقُوا اللَّهَ! أَوْصِيكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللَّهِ فَقَدْ فَازَ الْمُتَّقُونَ. قَالَ
اللَّهُ تَعَالَى:
يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا اتَّقُوا اللَّهَ حَقَّ تُقَاتِهِ وَلَا تَمُوتُنَّ إِلَّا وَأَنْتُمْ مُسْلِمُونَ.²

Dear blessed Muslims,

Let us altogether strive to increase our *taqwa* of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* by performing all of His Commands and avoiding all of His prohibitions. May we all attain success and happiness in this world and the Hereafter.

Today I will be discussing on a *khutbah* titled “**IDENTITY THAT INVOKES THE CURSE OF ALLAH.**”

Dear blessed audience,

The issue of changing the gender of men or women is becoming heated these days. This group would often claim with the phrase “being trapped inside the wrong body” or “a woman born as transsexual” that appears like a man. Beginning from a man that appears like a woman, meaning to imitate the women’s style of clothing and also behaving like a woman. Similarly, women that imitate the men’s style of clothing and acting like a man; it can create that very desire for them to change their gender.

This prevailing problem must be given serious attention and the society should not just allow these people from continuing to drown, preoccupied, and heedless in the ark of life that they are sailing in. Of course, every human being were born with their natural traits according to the decree and will of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* that should not be disputed at all.

Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* mentions in verse 13 of soorah al-Hujuraat, which expounded on the creation of men and women.

¹ At-Teen 95:4.

² Aal-‘Imraan 3:102.



يَأْتِيهَا النَّاسُ إِنَّا خَلَقْنَاكُمْ مِنْ ذَكَرٍ وَأُنْثَىٰ وَجَعَلْنَاكُمْ شُعُوبًا وَقَبَائِلَ لِتَعَارَفُوا إِنَّ أَكْرَمَكُمْ
عِنْدَ اللَّهِ أَتَقْوَاهُ إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلِيمٌ خَبِيرٌ ۝۱۳

“O mankind, indeed We have created you from male and female and made you peoples and tribes that you may know one another. Indeed, the most noble of you in the sight of Allah is the most righteous of you. Indeed, Allah is Knowing and Acquainted.”

Dear respected Muslims,

In the midst of wading through this worldly life, at times mankind forgets upon the limits of living as a human being and his responsibilities as Allah’s vicegerent on the face of earth. Such negligence has caused some to remain ungrateful for the *ni’mah* (favours) of living itself. On the contrary, allowing the self to be overpowered by *shaytaan* and the lustful desire, hence leading to immoral acts in societal living. The immoral acts that are meant are deeds that contradict the *fitrah* (natural predisposition) of oneself and committing something that is against the *fitrah*, habit, and nature that were bestowed by Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta’aala* upon oneself. Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta’aala* mentions in verse 119 of soorah an-Nisaa’:

وَلَا ضَلَّئَهُمْ وَلَا مَنِينَئِهِمْ وَلَا مَأْمُرْتَهُمْ فَلَيُبْتِئَنَّ آذَانَ الْإِنْعَمِ وَلَا مَأْمُرْتَهُمْ فَلَيُغَيِّرَنَّ خَلْقَ اللَّهِ وَمَنْ
يَتَّخِذِ الشَّيْطَانَ وَلِيًّا مِنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ فَقَدْ خَسِرَ خُسْرَانًا مُّبِينًا ۝۱۹

““And I will mislead them, and I will arouse in them [sinful] desires, and I will command them so they will slit the ears of cattle, and I will command them so they will change the creation of Allah.” And whoever takes Satan as an ally instead of Allah has certainly sustained a clear loss.”

Based on this verse, it is strictly prohibited to change one’s gender for it is from the footsteps of *shaytaan* that deviates. Moreover, Rasulullah ﷺ had sternly forbade and cursed a man that behaves like a woman, or a woman that behaves like a man, so what more with changing the gender.

Rasulullah ﷺ had stated, as in the narration ibn ‘Abbas *radiyAllaahu ‘anhuma*:

لَعَنَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ الْمُتَشَبِّهِينَ مِنَ الرِّجَالِ بِالنِّسَاءِ، وَ الْمُتَشَبِّهَاتِ مِنَ النِّسَاءِ
بِالرِّجَالِ

“The Messenger of Allah (ﷺ) cursed men who imitate women and women who imitate men.”

(al-Bukhaari)



According to the 25th Malaysian National *Muzaakarah* For Islamic Affairs that had convened on the 13th of December, 1989, it was determined that:

“Changing the gender from male to female, or otherwise, through surgical procedure is *haram* (unlawful) according to the *shara'*. With that, matters that are prohibited for men that are regarded as imitating women or vice versa are as follows:

1. Changing the physical appearance including the gender,
2. Gait and body movement,
3. Speech and voice,
4. Jewelry,
5. Clothing.”

Respected audience,

In reality, the phenomenon of changing one's gender within our society cannot be allowed to remain rampant. The existence of such group is becoming apparent within our society. This is evident through reports in the electronic and mass media. If this quandary is not resolved with prudence, then it is worried that it will spread and become a serious social dilemma. In the end, it will leave a negative impact within the society in various aspects such as religion, health, social, and others.

What is even worrying is that these folks are becoming more active in establishing associations and demanding their rights through the existing laws, in justifying their actions. They are fighting for equality without hindrance in living their lives just like others, especially their rights to freedom and marriage.

The situation becomes much worse with the influence of electronic and mass media that is becoming more sophisticated, without boundaries and control. Social websites are serving as medium for them to easily communicate and unite in garnering influence and planning their group activities freely.

Dear blessed Muslims,

Living in a society, every individual has its own role, responsibility, and obligation. It is deemed inappropriate if we would only observe this group in continuing to drown and furthering away from the *rahmah* (mercy) of Allah without exerting any effort to aid them in returning to the path that is pleasing to Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala*.

Resorting to *da'wah* methodology with wisdom, staying organized, and continuous engagement must be practiced in curbing this quandary in its early stage. Meanwhile, every individuals within the society including the NGOs (non-governmental organizations) carry the role in providing continuous guidance so that they will change towards good, and develop treatment and rehabilitation programs in inviting them to return to normalcy.

Dear blessed Muslims,



At this very opportunity, with the outbreak of Covid-19 that is becoming more complex and widespread in most countries of the world, and that it has been detected in this nation as well, then I solemnly remind respected audience to take preventive measures as follows:

1. Always practicing strict personal hygiene such as always washing the hands with water and soap or hand sanitizer,
2. Always covering the mouth and nose with tissues when coughing or sneezing, hence washing the hands immediately,
3. When on a trip, always bring nose and mouth cover, as well as hand sanitizer to be used when necessary,
4. Avoid going to crowded areas and do not remain in close contact with those that have contracted the virus,
5. Avoid from visiting animal farm, premises that sells live animals, abattoir, or touching any type of animal,
6. Hasten to get medical treatment if one becomes ill (or experiencing respiratory tract infection such as fever, cough, and even breathing difficulties) within 14 days upon returning from a trip. Similarly, kindly reveal one's travel history from the afflicted country to the treating physician.

Dear blessed audience,

To end this *khutbah*, let us altogether ponder and reflect upon the following matters:

1. It is *wajib* for the Muslim *ummah* to have certainty that the creations of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* are the best and that it is *wajib* to be grateful for.
2. It is *wajib* for the Muslim *ummah* to realize that the ruling in changing one's gender from male to female or vice versa, through any forms or means, is purely *haram*.
3. The Muslim *ummah* must remain penitent that there is severe torment from Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* upon those that transgress against the commands of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala*.

أَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ
فَلَمَّا جَاءَ أَمْرُنَا جَعَلْنَا عَلَيْهَا سَافِلَهَا وَأَمْطَرْنَا عَلَيْهَا حِجَارَةً مِّن سِجِّيلٍ مَّنصُودٍ ۝٨٢

"So when Our command came, We made the highest part [of the city] its lowest and rained upon them stones of layered hard clay."

(Hood 11:82)



بَارَكَ اللَّهُ لِي وَلَكُمْ فِي الْقُرْآنِ الْعَظِيمِ، وَنَفَعَنِي وَإِيَّاكُمْ بِمَا فِيهِ مِنَ الْآيَاتِ
وَالذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيمِ وَتَقَبَّلَ مِنِّي وَمِنْكُمْ تِلَاوَتَهُ، إِنَّهُ هُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْعَلِيمُ.
أَقُولُ قَوْلِي هَذَا وَأَسْتَغْفِرُ اللَّهَ الْعَظِيمَ لِي وَلَكُمْ وَلِسَائِرِ الْمُسْلِمِينَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ،
فَأَسْتَغْفِرُوهُ إِنَّهُ هُوَ الْغَفُورُ الرَّحِيمُ.



THE SECOND KHUTBAH

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ الَّذِي جَعَلَنَا مِنَ الْمُسْلِمِينَ، وَرَزَقَنَا مِنَ الطَّيِّبَاتِ. أَشْهَدُ أَنْ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّ مُحَمَّدًا عَبْدُهُ وَرَسُولُهُ. اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ وَسَلِّمْ وَبَارِكْ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَى آلِهِ وَصَحْبِهِ ۖ وَمَنْ تَبِعَهُمْ بِإِحْسَانٍ إِلَى يَوْمِ الدِّينِ. أَمَّا بَعْدُ، فَيَا عِبَادَ اللَّهِ، اتَّقُوا اللَّهَ، أَوْصِيكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللَّهِ فَقَدْ فَازَ الْمُتَّقُونَ.

وَقَالَ اللَّهُ تَعَالَى : إِنَّ اللَّهَ وَمَلَائِكَتَهُ يُصَلُّونَ عَلَى النَّبِيِّ يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا صَلُّوا عَلَيْهِ وَسَلِّمُوا تَسْلِيمًا ٥٦

“Indeed, Allah confers blessing upon the Prophet, and His angels [ask Him to do so]. O you who have believed, ask [Allah to confer] blessing upon him and ask [Allah to grant him] peace.”

(al-Ahzaab 33:56)

اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ وَسَلِّمْ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا وَمَوْلَانَا مُحَمَّدٍ سَيِّدِ الْمُرْسَلِينَ وَارْضَ اللَّهُمَّ عَنْ أَصْحَابِهِ وَقَرَابَتِهِ وَأَزْوَاجِهِ وَذُرِّيَّاتِهِ أَجْمَعِينَ.

اللَّهُمَّ اغْفِرْ لِلْمُسْلِمِينَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ وَالْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ الْأَحْيَاءِ مِنْهُمْ وَالْأَمْوَاتِ، إِنَّكَ سَمِيعٌ قَرِيبٌ مُجِيبُ الدَّعَوَاتِ وَيَا قَاضِيَ الْحَاجَاتِ. اللَّهُمَّ أَعِزِّ الْإِسْلَامَ وَالْمُسْلِمِينَ، وَأَهْلِكَ الْكُفْرَةَ وَالْمُبْتَدِعَةَ وَالْمُشْرِكِينَ وَدَمَّرْ أَعْدَاءَكَ أَعْدَاءَ الدِّينِ. وَانصُرْنَا عَلَى الْقَوْمِ الْكَافِرِينَ.

اللَّهُمَّ إِنَّا نَسْأَلُكَ وَنَتَوَسَّلُ إِلَيْكَ بِنَبِيِّكَ الْأَمِينِ، وَنَسْأَلُكَ بِأَسْمَائِكَ الْحُسْنَى، وَصِفَاتِكَ الْعُظْمَى، أَنْ تَحْفَظَ بَعَيْنِ عِنَايَتِكَ الرَّبَّانِيَّةِ، وَبِحِفْظِ وَقَايَتِكَ الصِّمْدَانِيَّةِ، جَلَالَةَ مَلِكِنَا الْمُعْظَمِ، سُلْطَانَ سَلَاطُونَ، سُلْطَانَ شَرَفِ الدِّينِ اَدْرِيسِ شَاهِ الْحَاجِ ابْنِ الْمَرْحُومِ سُلْطَانَ صِلَاحِ الدِّينِ عَبْدِ الْعَزِيزِ شَاهِ الْحَاجِ. اللَّهُمَّ أَدِمِ الْعُونَ وَالْهِدَايَةَ وَالتَّوْفِيقَ، وَالصِّحَّةَ وَالسَّلَامَةَ مِنْكَ، لَوْلِيِّ عَهْدِ سَلَاطُونَ، تَعَاوَنَ أَمِيرِ شَاهِ ابْنِ السُّلْطَانَ شَرَفِ الدِّينِ اَدْرِيسِ شَاهِ الْحَاجِ، فِي أَمْنٍ وَصِلَاحٍ وَعَافِيَةٍ بِمَنْكَ وَكَرَمِكَ يَا ذَا الْجَلَالِ



وَالْإِكْرَامِ. اللَّهُمَّ أَطْلُ عُمْرَهُمَا مُصْلِحِينَ لِلْمُوظَّفِينَ وَالرَّعِيَّةِ وَالْبِلَادِ، وَبَلِّغْ مَقاصِدَهُمَا
لِطَرِيقِ الْهُدَى وَالرَّشَادِ.

O Allah, You are the Lord that is All Mighty, we are grateful to You for having bestowed *rahmah* and *barakah* upon this state, which continues to remain advanced and prosperous, with its residents united under the auspices and leadership of our Ruler as the Head of Islamic affairs in this state.

Hence, we sincerely beseech You, O Allah, strengthen our *imaan* and creed according to that of *Ahl as-Sunnah wal-Jamaa'ah*, and protect us from teachings that are outside the fold of Islam such as *Ahmadiyah* or *Qadiyaani* and teachings declared as astray such as *Shee'ah* and thoughts of Pluralism and Liberalism. O Allah, *Ya Rahmaan*, *Ya Raheem*, unite our hearts, bestow upon us *rizq* with blessings, enrich us with beneficial knowledge, protect us from calamities and epidemics such as Novel Coronavirus (Covid-19) and others. O Allah, bestow upon us guidance in performing the five daily prayers in congregation, fulfilling *zakaat* through *Lembaga Zakat Selangor* (Selangor *Zakaat* Board), making *waqf* and *infaaq* of our wealth to *Perbadanan Wakaf Negeri Selangor* (Selangor *Waqf* Corporation) and *Tabung Amanah Pembangunan Islam Selangor* (Islamic Development Trust Fund of Selangor).

رَبَّنَا هَبْ لَنَا مِنْ أَزْوَاجِنَا وَذُرِّيَّاتِنَا قُرَّةَ أَعْيُنٍ وَاجْعَلْنَا لِلْمُتَّقِينَ إِمَامًا. رَبَّنَا آتِنَا فِي
الدُّنْيَا حَسَنَةً وَفِي الْآخِرَةِ حَسَنَةً وَقِنَا عَذَابَ النَّارِ.
عِبَادَ اللَّهِ، إِنَّ اللَّهَ يَأْمُرُ بِالْعَدْلِ وَالْإِحْسَانِ وَإِيتَايَ ذِي الْقُرْبَىٰ وَيَنْهَىٰ عَنِ الْفَحْشَاءِ
وَالْمُنْكَرِ وَالْبَغْيِ يَعِظُكُمْ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَذَكَّرُونَ ﴿٦١﴾
فَاذْكُرُوا اللَّهَ الْعَظِيمَ يَذْكُرْكُمْ وَاشْكُرُوا لَهُ عَلَىٰ نِعْمِهِ يَزِدْكُمْ، وَاسْأَلُوهُ مِنْ فَضْلِهِ
يُعْطِكُمْ وَلَذِكْرُ اللَّهِ أَكْبَرُ وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ مَا تَصْنَعُونَ.
