

Lebanon Crowns its Claimed 'Freedoms'

By Letting the Transporter of Explosives Samaha Go Free

(Translated)

Lebanon woke up on the 14th of January 2016 to the news that the one who had brought explosives into Lebanon which had been handed over to him by the criminal Syrian regime had been let free. This is despite his, Michel Samaha's conspiracy and preparations to undertake assassination operations of political and religious personalities, in order to instigate sectarian incitement, having been proven audibly and visually. Indeed, the matter was even greater than that as reported by the Nahar Newspaper on the very same day: "With very great speed the legal team charged with the former minister, Michel Samaha's defence accomplished the required dealings after the decision of the military court to let him go free"! Then he was seen overlooking from his home in the best of health addressing the media and journalists and indeed he was even attacking one of them! As if nothing at all had happened!

This news has generated a wave of surprise and indignation amongst the general public and political mediums within Lebanon. One of the politicians even declared that this acted as reassurance to anyone who wished to undertake explosions and murder to come to Lebanon and do that; they will then only be detained for three years and then let free.

However, the so called forces of 'resistance' who fight alongside the regime of Bashar and who transport weapons back and forth across the same border that Samaha had smuggled the explosives into Lebanon from, they refuse to do anything apart from continue in arrogance and to stand in the same line as the oppressor against the oppressed. The head of the 'Wafaa Bloc for Resistance' the parliamentarian Muhammad Ra'd was mentioned in the Nahar Newspaper on 14/01/16 saying: "The loud and programmed statements that oppose today to the Lebanese judicial decision to let the former minister Michel Samaha go free are nothing more than an expression of adversity, malicious plotting and partisanship!" ...

To the judicial institution in Lebanon we say:

After this act does there remain any integrity and independence for the judiciary as you are always and continuously reiterating!!! Are there not those languishing in the prisons of this state for many long years who were taken based on mere speculation and suspicion and imprisoned without just trials and indeed even unjust trials whilst being subjected to harsh conditions which are not hidden from you. Then when some of these are judged their innocence is proven after all of these years that had spent in prison...? In contrast, the one whose crime has been proven is released on bail to reside amongst his family safe and reassured whilst vowing to attend future (court) sessions!!! It will never give authorization to the media in respect to his case but in other than that he practises his 'rights'!!! So what judiciary are we talking about? We address you as perhaps there are amongst you someone who will hear, someone who will take note of the Hadeeth of the Messenger of Allah (saw):

«القضاة ثلاثة: قاضيان في النار وقاضٍ في الجنة. رجل قضى بغير الحق فعلم ذلك فذاك في النار، وقاضٍ لا يعلم فأهلك حقوق الناس فهو في النار، وقاضٍ قضى بالحق فذلك في الجنة»

"The judges are three (types): Two judges are in the fire and one is in Jannah. The man who judges by other than the truth and he knew that; that one is in the fire. And a judge who does not know and so he destroys the rights of the people and so he is in the fire. And a judge who judges with the Haqq and that one is in Jannah". (Al-Haakim who classified it as Saheeh and At-Tirmidhi related it).

And to the Lebanese politicians in general:

Is this man not from amongst you and from your circles and medium? This represents a test for you, are you really representatives of the people and their demands?! And have you really

come into existence to defend the blood that was nearly spilt on the streets by the hands of those who are subservient to the criminal Syrian regime?! Had it not been for the benevolence of Allah *Subhaanahu* his explosives that he brought into Lebanon would have exploded in your streets and killed your people and sons whilst he would be amongst you speaking out against 'terrorism' and killing whilst perhaps attributing it to forces of conspiracy...

If you don't undertake your obligations towards these imminent dangers facing you and the rest of the people in Lebanon then it will be confirmed that you do not represent anyone but rather you will never be more than representatives of a state of leaders of war, political inheritance and freed killers, all in the name of the law.

Then to those who make claims of 'resistance' and faithfulness to that and particularly after these provocative statements:

It is an adversity that you stand alongside a regime which has proven its oppressiveness in Lebanon and outside of it and that you defend its men who are traders in blood and smugglers of explosives like Samaha and others. And it is malicious plotting to flout the sentiments of the people who have seen that their sons were nearly murdered upon the pavements and roads at the hands of a subservient agent, or do you perhaps view that these explosive materials were really intended for the Jews?! And the abhorrent partisanship is that which ignores the oppressed and weak languishing in the prisons in torment and made to suffer humiliation without even being put on trial! Or do you view the blood of these and their honour and property as being Halaal in accordance to your sense of faithfulness or loyalty!!! And the Messenger (saw) spoke the truth when he said: «إذا لم تستحي فاصنع ما شئت» **"If you are not shy then do as you please"**.

O people of Lebanon across the spectrum:

Until when will this remain your situation?! You accept these politicians including those whose affair have been revealed like Samaha and those who are hidden and perhaps their affair is greater. They pretend to represent you and so you re-elect them and stand behind them but they do not benefit you in respect to the life or the Deen. Included within these is the 'Future Movement' which is still insistent upon dialogue with the party of Iran and those amongst them, providing them with a firm platform within Lebanon so that they can launch from it to fight by the side of the regime in Syria. Then every time an incident happens in Lebanon that shakes the foundation of the dialogue the 'Future Movement' returns to attach itself to it. It then after that it laments the calamities of Iran's party, the latest of which is the letting free of the criminal Samaha!

Indeed, until when will you accept this fragile self-destructing entity from top to bottom? Is it not time for you to realise that your preservation and the preservation of your sons lies in your real place of belonging within your wide Ummah and your origin of the lands of ash-Shaam. Then the branch will return to its origin and then goodness will sprout within the state in terms of justice, legislation and caretaking. This is the rightly guided Khilafah state (Caliphate) upon the method of the Prophethood which will bring justice to the oppressed and upon the oppressor.

﴿وَلَا تَحْسِبَنَّ اللَّهَ عَاقِلًا عَمَّا يَعْمَلُ الظَّالِمُونَ إِنَّمَا يُؤَخَّرُهُمْ لِيَوْمٍ تَشْخَصُ فِيهِ الْأَبْصَارُ * مُهْطِعِينَ مُقْنِعِي رُءُوسِهِمْ لَا يَرْتَدُّ إِلَيْهِمْ طَرْفُهُمْ وَأَفْنَدْتُهُمْ هَوَاءً﴾

"And never think that Allah is unaware of what the wrongdoers do. He only delays them for a Day when eyes will stare [in horror]. Racing ahead, their heads raised up, their glance does not come back to them, and their hearts are void" [Ibrahim: 42-43].

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