Dr. Ayman al Zawahiri: American Crimes in Kabul

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I begin my address to my Muslim brothers in Kabul who survived the bitter events yesterday, and watched with their own eyes the new proof of the criminal actions of the American forces against the Afghan nation.

My Muslim brothers in Kabul, this more recent aggression of the Americans against you was preceded by a long string of events: the killing of innocent civilians in Kabul and Khost and Arzkan and Hilmand and Kanadar and Kanur; it was preceded by the torture of Muslims in Kandahar and Bagram and the "Prison of Darkness" in Kabul; and was preceded by the insults of the Holy Quran in Bagram and Guantamano; it was preceded by the insults (mocking) of the Prophet (may peace be unto him) by the Danies and the French and the Italians; it was preceded by Clinton and Thatcher who honored and rewarded Salman Rushdie for his insults of the Prophet (may peace be unto him) and of the pure family of the Prophet.

Therefore I beg those of you especially in Kabul, and in Afghanistan in general, that you stand true for the sake of Allah in the face of the forces of the unbelievers who have invaded this Islamic land, with their forces filling the skies of Kabul with flags from each of them, and I call upon my Muslim brothers in Kabul especially and to Afghanistan in general, and I appeal to you in the name of Islam and the Holy Quran and in their love for the noble Prophet (may peace be unto him) and I call upon them for honor and loyalty and respect for the dignity of the Afghans; I call upon them to remember the history of their ancestors in the resistance of invaders, and call upon them to resist this occupation of this Islamic land by these unjust, unfair, unbelievers.

I call upon the young Muslim men in the schools and universities in Kabul to fulfill their responsibilities defending their religion and their honor and the honor of their homeland. My Muslim brothers in Kabel, the blessed truth is. "And Jews and Christians will not be pleased with you until you follow their religion" (Sura: The Cow, verse 120) the blessed truth is (Sura: The Cow, verse 217)

Do not protect these invading unbelievers and their agents, the traitors, who want you to surrender and submit so they can fulfill their own aspirations.

My Muslims brothers in Kabul, especially, and in Afghanistan in general, stand in line with the mujahideen to expel the invaders and liberate the Afghanistan to the rule of honor and Sharia and justice and to keep the security.

(another Quranic verse)

Our last prayer is praise to Allah the Lord of the Worlds.

May Allah bring peace upon our prophet Mohamed and to his family and his companions.