a political activist. In short, Murray is exactly the type of diplomat a person should want: honest. But he was also exactly the type of diplomat that Western imperial powers don't want: honest.

In the midst of the Wikileaks releases of diplomatic documents, Murray was asked to write an article for the Guardian regarding his interpretation of the issue. As he later noted, the paper placed his article, largely reduced, hidden in the middle of a long article which was a compendium of various commentaries on Wikileaks. Murray, however, posted the full version on his website. In the article, he begins by assessing the claims of government officials around the world, particularly in the US, that Wikileaks exposes them to "harm," that it puts lives at risk, and that they will "encourage Islamic extremism," and most especially, the notion that "government secrecy is essential to keep us all safe." Murray explains that having been a diplomat for over 20 years, he is very familiar with these arguments, particularly that as a result of Wikileaks, diplomats will no longer be candid in giving advice, "if that advice might become public." Murray elaborates: Put it another way. The best advice is advice you would not be prepared to defend in public. Really? Why? In today's globalised world, the Embassy is not a unique source of expertise. Often expatriate, academic & commercial organisations are a lot better informed. The best policy advice is not advice which is shielded from peer review.

What of course the establishment mean is that Ambassadors should be free to recommend things which the general public would view with deep opprobrium, without any danger of being found out. But should they really be allowed to do that, in a democracy?

Murray pointedly asked why a type of behaviour that is considered reprehensible for most people – such as lying - "should be considered acceptable, or even praiseworthy, in diplomacy." Murray explained that for British diplomats, "this belief that their profession exempts them from the normal constraints of decent behaviour amounts to a cult of Machiavellianism, a pride in their own amorality." He explained that diplomats come from a very narrow upper social strata, and "view themselves as ultraintelligent Nietzschean supermen, above normal morality" who are socially connected to the political elite. In criticizing the claims made by many commentators that the release of the leaks endanger lives, Murray pointedly wrote that this perspective needs to be "set against any such risk the hundreds of thousands of ACTUAL DEAD from the foreign policies of the US & its co-conspirators in the past decade." Further, for those who posit that Wikileaks is a psyop or propaganda operation or that Wikileaks is a "CIA

front", Murray had this to say: Of course the documents reflect the US view – they are official US government communications. What they show is something I witnessed personally, that diplomats as a class very seldom tell unpalatable truths to politicians, but rather report & reinforce what their masters want to hear, in the hope of receiving preferment.

There is therefore a huge amount about Iran's putative nuclear arsenal & an exaggeration of Iran's warhead delivery capability. But there is nothing about Israel's massive nuclear arsenal. That is not because Wikileaks have censored criticism of Israel. It is because any US diplomat who made an honest & open assessment of Israeli crimes would very quickly be an unemployed exdiplomat. Murray concluded his article with the statement that all would do well to keep in mind: "Truth helps the people against rapacious elites – everywhere."

The truth helped Moses against the "rapacious elites" of Pharaoh. The truth did the same for Jesus (p). And the truth helped Muhammad (p) against the rapacious elites of the Quraish. The difficulty in our time is which or what "truth" will help us against the rapacious elites of the United States government. When so many within the UMmah are on the side of the oppressor. Hypocrites!

Here is an important secret. The Ultimate Secret. You won't find this on Wikileaks. The Quran states that even the smallest acts will not be wasted. "Then shall anyone who has done an atom's weight of good, see it! And anyone who has done an atom's weight of evil, shall see it." 99:7-8 Do not wander in a dry wilderness of hollow fancies, unfounded opinions, worthless theories & hypostatized words. Do not allow the Wikicreeps (dumb politicians who are godless & scriptural illiterates) fool you. Live like Muhammad (p). An open, clear book. He was the "walking Quran." Are you a "walking time bomb?" With your lies & deceptions moments away from detonating over your head. Clear the mines from your mind.

How would the book written by George Bush, "Decision Points," synchronize with the one written by God? "I believe it will be impossible to reach definitive conclusions about my presidency for several decades. The passage of time allows passions to cool, results to clarify & scholars to compare different approaches." Really, now? You made war on lies. How will time cool or clarify that?

His father's actual record in office has been beautified in a brazen way. When a political leader dies, it is irresponsible in the extreme to demand that only praise be permitted but not criticisms, because it leads to false history and a propagandistic whitewashing of bad acts."

God's RECORD does not whitewash!!!



We shall one day raise the dead to life. We have RECORDED ALL the deeds they have done & also that which they have left behind. We have PRESERVED EVERYTHING in an open BOOK.

(Quran 36:12)

No government, no organization can pull down this divine website. We would all be in for a shock when we come face to face with our OWN book...our own record of life. And you thought that your "recordings" were so wonderful. So you blogged, uploaded to Youtube, texted even though you had nothing of substance to say. The final status update: **Heaven or Hell! The Voice of Justice speaks** clearly: This record of Ours speaks about you in truth; for We were transcribing what you were doing. (45:29) So you live a double life. A Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde personality seems guite common in modern society. When we read the statistics in books like Pornified, we can only be horrified at the pervasiveness of people watching pornography; the person next to us in the grocery store line (or God forbid, next to us in the prayer line) might return home only to settle in for a night of internet-fueled porn. That pretty girl in the library (or university graduate) will after dinner go off to her bedroom only to switch on her laptop & webcam & do a strip for thousands of leering men. Too many people are hiding things. What secrets do you hide on your cell. Wives often know little about their "upstanding" husbands, and men may have far more secrets than women, who undeniably have their own share. Whether you reveal or conceal what is in your selves, God calls you to account for it. (2:284)

An accounting you cannot get away from.

"It is all alike to God whether you conceal your thought or bring it into the open, and whether you seek to hide your evil deeds under the cover of night or walk boldly in the light of day"

he computer has become the Achilles' heel of the secret keepers. They have to use it, and they depend on it, not only to hoard their secrets but to monitor & spy on the rest of us. The inherent weaknesses in the system are now enabling whistleblowers & hackers to bring some of their dark secrets to light. Until now, the defenders of the Empire used the secrets as they wished. Former vice-president Dick Cheney, for instance, had no qualms about using classified, top-secret information in removing Valerie Plame, the CIA agent. This was a retributive act against her husband, Joseph C. Wilson, who wrote a New York Times Op-Ed on the false information that Cheney & Bush were promoting about sales of nuclear materials from Niger to Iraq. So when it suited him, Cheney used his own "wikileaks," but now that the ball's in the other court, suddenly they're crying, "Foul."

So leaks can obstruct justice, and leaks can redress wrongs – a double-edged sword, indeed. It is good to see them squirm & scurry, as they feel, in their cockroach shadow lives, the light of the sun beginning to penetrate their subterranean worlds.

The Quran has its own "leaks" & clearly demands utter transparency. The Pharaoh's private conversations are recorded as well as the hidden statements of the Prophet's enemies, not to mention some of the family intrigue in the Prophet's own household. People with integrity have nothing to hide. Their transparency is their shield.

When the pious Filipino historian & Quran scholar Cesar Majul was dying, he remarked to his son, "I want you to know, I have never done anything in my life that you would be ashamed of." Now that's a real deathbed confession of a saint.

We are born naked because we are without sin, but we are raised naked because we will be without secrets. The Prophet (p) lived an utterly transparent life. Even his bathing habits are described by his wife. Nothing about his life is hidden from us. No split in his personality, no shadow developed by keeping unspeakable secrets, for he is the transparent man. No shameful Wikileaks necessary in his

government or family life. God meant for his life to be an open book, as he is an exemplar for leaders until the end of time. Leaders are the servants of the people, and they should never fear public opinion or the light of day. They should be concerned only about doing what is right & lawful. No secrets. In all secrets there is a kind of guilt, however beautiful or joyful they may be, or for what good end they may be set to serve. Secrecy means evasion, and evasion means a problem to the moral mind.

The Prophet (p) wanted to keep private an opinion he had shared with Zaid, his ward & companion, about Zaid's difficult marriage that the Prophet (p) had facilitated. However, the Quran revealed the confidential statement he had made to Zaid: "Remember how you said to the one God had blessed & you had favoured, 'Keep your wife & be conscious of God,' then you kept to yourself what God would reveal, as you feared the people, though God is more worthy of your fear." (33:37) The Prophet (p) did nothing sinful in wanting to conceal the conversation he had with Zaid. He was concerned that people would attack his character if they learned of his impending marriage to Zaynab, who was married at that time to his "adopted" son (through a pre-Islamic form of adoption that the Quran would later proscribe). People were unaware that Zaid & Zaynab's marriage was an unhappy one because Zaynab wanted to be wed to the Prophet (p) and had only accepted the marriage to Zaid due to the Prophet's request of her to do so. So the Prophet (p) had kept the matter quiet for fear that if people knew, it would detract from and undermine his essential spiritual message to the people. However, the Quran "leaked" this private conversation to the people through the very source of the conversation. Aishah said about the above verse, "Had the Prophet hidden anything from his revelation, it would have been this verse due to the heavy impact it had upon him." This "leak" was clearly designed to reveal the utter sincerity of the Prophet (p) & his complete & total truthfulness & transparency about his own personal life as well as everything revealed to him.

The Day of Judgment is the day when nothing is concealed. All secrets are to be revealed. The Quran informs us that a "book" (kitab marqum) contains all the actions of the evildoers in perfect order, and another "book" contains those of the righteous. Everyone on the Day of Judgment will have a full trial, but before the actual reckoning, we will all have to endure the review of one's entire life with nothing omitted except those actions for which we repented & for

in light of what will be revealed on that day. Tyrants will see all of their dastardly deeds, hoarders must carry all they hoarded, liars will be exposed, and traitors will have flags of treachery on them announcing their vileness. Hypocrites will come to understand why Hell has been specially tailored for them. What a day of striking disclosures!

At the other end of the spectrum – of the hidden

which the repentance was accepted. Wikileaks is nothing

At the other end of the spectrum – of the hidden agendas of governments – is the lack of subtlety in places of public, which is part & parcel of the decadence of modernity. When people feel it is their duty to stand on public platforms & announce obscenities for the sake of sincerity, or similarly artists feel obligated to create works that mirror their own depraved minds in the name of so-called originality & self-expression, these elements can have a powerfully detrimental effect on society as a whole. Seriously, you will be ashamed of the "depraved" music, movies, songs & literature that you felt you had the "right" to produce. And sell.

Julian Assange will have everything leaked about him for all of humanity to witness. As will all American presidents...Fox News will not be able to twist the facts on that Day. O yes, you & I will have all our secrets out in the open too. So an understanding of this should encourage us to repent of all wrongs of the past & right NOW make a Resolution, not for the New Year, but for Life. A Resolution of obedience to God. Start with this supplication...O Allah indeed You are the Pardoner, and You love pardon, so pardon me.

The Truth About Diplomacy: Craig Murray is one voice that should be heard on this issue. He was a former British Ambassador to Uzbekistan who made a name for himself in exposing intelligence from Uzbekistan related to al-Qaeda as entirely unreliable, due to the methods of torture used to get the information (such as boiling people alive). This intelligence was passed to the CIA and MI6, which Murray said was "factually incorrect." When Murray expressed his concerns with the higher-ups in the British diplomatic services, he was reprimanded for talking about "human rights." The British Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) told Murray that he had one week to resign, and was threatened with possible prosecution or jail time for revealing "state secrets." He was subsequently removed from his ambassadorial position & has since become something of

Zamals Software Co.; 6 Dowding St. Kitty

shamalz2007@yahoo.com; Brochures on zamalsgy.com

Please Donate: Call Shamal 225-9031