

FREEDOM OF EXPRESSIONS II

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By Tun Dr. Mahathir Mohamad

1. We are often lectured by the West, their leaders and journalists on freedom of speech, of expression, freedom of the press and media. These are part of human rights which Governments, and certainly Governments which accept democracy and the accompanying rights must respect and uphold.

2. Yet this is an area which the West displays the greatest degree of hypocrisy, of double-standards. We know of many instances when Western Governments regulate and control their media. We know that the press often self-regulates in their wish to uphold Government policies or practices.

3. But the most blatant example of control over public expression is with regard to the protection of the Jews. Not only will any criticism of the Jews be condemned, but laws have been enacted in many European countries which makes it illegal for anyone to dispute any aspect of the Holocaust. No one may question the claim that 6 million Jews were killed in the Holocaust.

4. Thus when David Irving a British historian doubted the 6 million figure, he was arrested and jailed in Austria even though his opinion was not expressed in that country. Since then no one has dared to openly question the veracity of the claim on the number of Jews killed by the Nazis. And David Irving himself has not been heard to question the legality of his arrest and incarceration for all the beliefs in freedom of expression. This extra-territorial enforcement of a country's law is most unusual although we are seeing now such extension of the laws of powerful countries to other countries in the world.

5. The action of the Austrian Government and the existence of such a law forbidding free expression not only in Austria but elsewhere is a blatant example of total negation of free speech. And there are many other examples.

6. The American press is extremely good at investigative reporting. They will go to great length to expose the truth about any scandal or event.

7. One of the most newsworthy event of the last century is the 9/11 destruction of the World Trade Towers in New York. Such an event would have been thoroughly and repeatedly investigated, analysed and reported in the media even after years have passed. But very little has been reported about this event except for the first few weeks.

8. The results of investigations by private individuals and organisations have never been published in the media. The peculiar manner of the building collapsing on itself, the similar collapse of a third building which was not hit by the aircrafts; the total absence of debris where planes were said to have crashed into the Pentagon building and in the open field where the fourth plane was said to have crashed into the ground, the total absences of reports and recovery of the black boxes which all these planes must have carried; all these seem not to be in keeping with America's talent for investigative reporting. There seems to

be a conspiracy of silence. And this silence negates the loud claim of press freedom by the West.

9. And yet when an American spent large sums of money to produce a film to insult the Muslims and denigrate their Prophet in the most insulting manner; when the producer of the film knows full well that there would be violent reactions to the screening of this film; their deliberate provocation of the Muslims is defended by the American Government as a manifestation of the freedom of expression.

10. The reaction to this film by Muslims, including the killing of United States diplomats is condemned as extreme and indefensible. Muslims should understand that the film producer was only exercising his rights.

11. If that is so then why are there laws in many Western cities banning any adverse comments against the Jews. Why was David Irving arrested and jailed for doubting whether 6 million Jews were killed in the holocaust? Was he not also exercising his freedom of expression!

12. The West condemns the lack of restraints among Muslims to such puerile provocation. They are asked to be rational and not be violent.

13. Should not they also advise their own people to exercise restraint regarding provoking the Muslims. If they expect the Muslims to be rational, shouldn't they request their own people to be rational as well? Better still if they can pass laws regarding the sensitivities of the Jews, surely they can legislate similar laws regarding insulting the sensitivities of the Muslims.

14. But instead of restraining their people, at the very time when Muslims reacted violently over the insult to their Prophet, the Europeans published cartoons to insult and provoke the Muslims further.

15. Truly the hypocrisy of the great advocates of freedoms of all kinds is beyond compare. Such people should not take the high ground to lecture the world on anything.

34 Comments

sentinel5October 29, 2012 at 8:59 pm | [Permalink](#)

Tun,

Izinkan diberikan sedikit ruang untuk menjawab The Hidden Secret.

Bravo The Hidden Secret, you have made both Uncle Sam's and George Soros blush from embarrassment for defending the US style of freedom of speech and the holocaust.

Salam Tun.

BotakOctober 29, 2012 at 10:00 am | [Permalink](#)

IF SOUTH KOREA OR JAPAN

NOT ALLOW AMERICA MILITARY BASE IN THEIR LAND

I AM SURE THEY CAN MAKE GOOD BILATERAL BETWEEN

THEIR GOOD NEIGHBOR NORTH KOREA

AMERICA MILITARY BASE ARE TO CURB
AMERICA ECONOMIC INTEREST AGAINST CHINA, GERMANS
AS THESE NATIONS ARE DEVELOPING INTO A MORE BETTER
TECHNOLOGY
IF ALSO SAUDI,KUWAIT,TURKEY,ETC THE PRO AMERICA
IF NOT TO ALLOW BRITISH & AMERICA PRESENCE
I AM VERY SURE THEY WILL HAVE A GOOD TIES WITH IRAN,IRAQ.LIBYA,SYRIA,ETC
ECONOMIC,WEALTH,PEACE WILL BE RESTORED

IT IS BRITISH, AMERICA THAT DIVIDES THE WORLD MAP
TO SUCH THEY DESIGN A BORDERS THAT CONFLICTS BETWEEN
NEIGHBOR THAT DOE NOT KNEEL TO THEIR AGENDA
IT IS THEM THAT DIVIDES THE WORLD INTO CONFLICTS
IN BETWEEN GOOD NEIGHBOR

BotakOctober 29, 2012 at 1:52 am | Permalink
TO RESTORE PEACE IN MIDDLE EAST
IS TO SHUT UP
THE VOICE OF NATO TO TOPPLE THEIR SAID REGIME

THE PEOPLE OF THE NATION
HAS THE RIGHT OF VOICE

NATO, AMERICA HAS NO RIGHT OF VOICE
AND THE VERY CAUSE OF ARAB SPRING

DOUBLE STANDARDS OF UNITED NATION
IS THE VERY CAUSE OF THE WORLD UNCERTAINTESS NOW
THAT AFFECTS NOT JUST MIDDLE EAST
BUT ALSO WESTERN AND WORLD ECONOMY

THESE HAS TO BE PUT A STOP

Kal-ArOctober 28, 2012 at 3:10 pm | Permalink
There were rumours said that Hitler of the Nazi's is a truely hater of the Jews...because of the holocaust doing by
the Nazi's back in 1940's..and there were said that he didn't kill all the jews..because he want the world to see the
evil of jews if they were left..so someday..everyone in the world will appreciate what the Nazi's has done to the jews
in the past...

But there were also rumors that said that Hitler of the Nazi's exactly is a jews himself but in other races of Jews call
themselves a Zionist. Under the disguise of the Jews hater, Hitler exactly have planned to wipe off a good Jews and
just leave the Zionist behind so this leftovers will act as innocent being but someday will influence great powers to do
as their bidding. This is all part of Zionist plan to dominate the world.

But I didn't know which rumours were true or both maybe false..but one thing certain..now I already witness the evil
of Zionist and one day they will pay all of their discrete crime with their own blood..

Sesungguhnya firman Allah S.W.T itu adalah benar. Amin..

BotakOctober 28, 2012 at 4:03 am | Permalink
ADAKAH TIDAK MUNGKIN MALAYSIA,INDONESIA,BRUNEI
SEBAGAI NEGARA YG MELAMBANGKAN NEGARA ISLAM
MEMAINKAN LANGKAH YG BERANI DAN LUAR BIASA
MEMAIN PERANAN MENGAMANKAN TIMUR TENGAH
MELALUI PBB ATAU TERSENDIRI ?

TIDAK PERLU HANTAR TENTERA ATAU SENJATA
HANYA MENGUMPULKAN ULAMA BERSAMA PEMIMPIN KITA
**MELANTANGKAN SUARA SUPAYA MEREKA BERHENTI BERPERANG SAUDARA
**MELANTANGKAN SUARA SUPAYA MEREKA FIKIR AKAN MASA DEPAN DEMI KESATUAN
UMMAH
**MELATANGKAN SUARA SUPAYA MEREKA BUANG YG KERUH AMBIL YG JERNIH DEMI
KEPENTINGAN ANAK CUCU MEREKA SENDIRI.KALAU IA BERTERUSAN MAKA ANAK CUCU
MEREKA
AKAN MEMBUNUH SAMA SENDIRI

MUNGKIN INI HANYA HARAPAN DAN USAHA KECIL
DAN AKAN DIKETAWAKAN ORANG SEPERTI JOASHE
NAMUN DENGAN USAHA KITA TIDAK SEBERAPA
BOLIH MEMBAWA MUAFAKAT,KEBAIKAN DAN KEJAYAAN

TIDAK ADA MASALAH YG TIDAK BOLIH DIHURAIKAN
HANYA PERLU KESEFAHAMAN,KEIKHLASAN DAN KESABARAN

SAUDARA KITA DI TIMUR TENGAH SEBENARNYA KELIRU
SAUDARA KITA SEDANG DIUJI
SAUDARA PERLU BANTUAN KITA
KITA BERTANGGUNG JAWAB MEMAINKAN PERANAN MUNGKIN INI JUGA HARAPAN MEREKA

TIDAKKAH KITA SEDIH LAGI PILU
MELIHAT,MENDEGAR PEMBUNUHAN,BOM MENGEBOM
SEHARIAN RAMAI SAUDARA KITA YG MATI
SEHARIAN SI IBU, MENANGIS KEPILUAN

ADAKAH KITA TIDAK BERUPAYA ?
ATAU KITA TAKUT PADA NEGARA BARAT ?
BUKANNYA KITA NAK PERPERANG

BotakOctober 27, 2012 at 4:28 pm | Permalink
YES THE WESTERN, AMERICANS HAS PLAYED THE MAJOR ROLE OF THE CAUSED OF ARAB
SPRING
IT IS EVIDENCE, IT S VERY CLEAR
THEY IGNITE, THEY FLAMES THE CIVIL WAR

SOVIET WAS ACCUSED OF SUPPLYING WEAPONS TO THE SYRIA GOVT BUT NONE WAS PROVEN
THE WESTERN, FRANCE AMERICANS HAS ADMIT GIVING WEAPONS TO THE REBELS IN THE HOPE
TO TOPPLE THE RULING GOVT NOT REGIME
THEY WANT PEACE FOR SYRIA YET THEY PROVIDE MORE WEAPONS TO KILL REGARDLESS OF
WHO WILL BE KILLED
IT,S NOT THEIR CONCERN ANYWAY

UNITED NATION HAS THE SOLUTION FOR SYRIA PEACE
FOR ARAB SPRING
BUT REFUSE TO IMPLEMENT AS SUCH IS NOT THEIR AGENDA
BY SUPPLYING MORE & MORE WEAPONS THEY KNOW IT WILL BE MORE & MORE KILLINGS
THEY CAN STOP IMPORTING OF WEAPONS FROM BOTH SIDE THE REBELS & THE GOVT
IF THEIR VERY INTENTION IS TO RESTORE PEACE

NO MORE WEAPON
THE WAR WILL SUBSIDES BY ITSELF
IT A VERY SIMPLE EQUATIONS TO THE SOLUTIONS
UNITED NATIONS KNOWS THAT

NATO KNOWS THAT

AGAIN I HAVE TO SAY THIS
THE ARABS ARE BUNCH OF DONKEYS WITH NO BRAINS
TO CONSENT THEMSELVES TO BE DRIVEN BY WESTERN
AMERICANS INFLUENCE
FIGHTING & KILLING THEIR OWN BROTHERS

THE WESTERN & AMERICANS WILL GAIN
THEY WILL WALK OFF AFTER THEIR AGENDA IS MET
IT HAS HAPPEN IN IRAQ, LIBYA, NOW SYRIA SOON IRAN

THE INABILITY OS SADDAM, GADDAFI ,OSAMA
THE TALLIBANS OF THEIR INNOCENTS
FOR THE LACKS CAPABILITIES,MEDIA COVERAGE
TO THE WORLD
HAS MADE THEM HELPLESS

NOTES THE WESTERN NEWS COVERAGE THAT
OVERRIDES TRUTH
HAS MADE US WRONG

HBT456October 25, 2012 at 8:50 am | Permalink
Good morning YAB,

76. To Mr Hidden Secret October 20, 2012 at 4:19 pm, he does not even know what is holocaust means, so it would difficult for him to understand such law in general.

77. As Malaysian, I will look out at the state “fatwa” approved and implemented by the state Sultan.

78. Today, Americans have security national and international diplomacy via FBI and CIB policies to protect all Americans including their Presidents to protect freedom of expression.

79. Americans will go to the poll to vote for new President to lead them domestically and internationally.

80. If Americans are denied freedom to choose their lifestyle, they can vote for new President, either from Democrat or Republican, in every 4 years, to protect what the was struggled by the Americans in the name of Freedom and Liberty via Presidency election.

81. It’s time for PM to call for general election to choose the next Prime Minister to represent Malaysians locally and internationally.

Good day, YAB.

IdeaOctober 25, 2012 at 1:30 am | Permalink
Amendment:

We should be careful with any trade agreement initiated by the West.

IdeaOctober 25, 2012 at 1:19 am | Permalink
Dear Tun,

May you always be in good health.

1. They are also strong advocates of free trade.

2. But when free trade begins to hit their industries, they become uncomfortable. They use various measures to protect their industries.

3. Recently, Europe accused China of selling solar panels below a reasonable price. To them, a reasonable price will be a market price in the United States, a country which is no longer competitive. Not following the United States' market price will be a wrongful trade practice. Therefore, it is justified for them to impose taxes on China so as to protect their national interest.

4. Being competitive, China could not enjoy free trade as the West. Free trade seems to be for the West, not for others. We should be careful with any trade agreement.

HBT456October 23, 2012 at 10:22 pm | Permalink
Good evening YAB,

72. <http://www.themalaysianinsider.com/malaysia/article/dr-m-mca-did-not-object-to-islamic-country-declaration/>

73. Yesterday, MCA, as the second major race in the country, has faith, confidence and trust with Dr MM's UMNO.

74. Today, MCA will pull out of BN if UMNO insists Malaysia is an Islamic country.

75. When MCA pull out, Gerakan, SUPP, LDP will pull out.

Goodnight, YAB.

abdulazizomarOctober 23, 2012 at 3:09 pm | Permalink
Salaam Tun,

Hidden Secret post on this topic of Freedom of Speech was very well written.

I believe that besides the Pro-Jewish agendas in the European and some US news media, their laws are still more balance than ours. Our societies in Asia are still shackled by bad and unjust laws that stunted our economic and intellectual progress.

The fact that we see of the obvious bias towards very pro Jewish or Israel in the West is mainly due to the strength of the Jewish lobbies in those countries. The Jews has disproportionate share of the political power in those countries. And also due to the Christians belief in the 'chosen people'. The Muslims should take advantage of their growing demographic number in the Western countries and should begin to exert their potential economic and political power as well to counter the Jewish influence. Throughout history we see that the Christians had not shown any love to the Jewish people. The Jews has always been prosecuted by the Christians and it was the Muslims that had always sheltered them.

Thank you Tun and all.

jollyOctober 23, 2012 at 8:50 am | Permalink
Freedom of expression? If there is freedom of expression, Tun, you wouldn't have censored my post on dark diamond and new Jerusalem.. It is so harmless Tun.

truthseekerOctober 22, 2012 at 7:54 am | Permalink
Salam Tun, I forgot something...

I forgot to say 'so sorry' to MiddleAges for being henpecked by his/her spouse. In psychology, one of the ego defense-mechanisms used by an individual is displacement...

Definition of Displacement- Displacement involves taking out our frustrations, feelings and impulses on people or objects that are less threatening. Displaced aggression is a common example of this defense mechanism. Rather than express our anger in ways that could lead to negative consequences (like arguing with our boss), we instead express

our anger towards a person or object that poses no threat (such as our spouse, children or pets).

In MiddleAges case, instead of letting his/her steam or anger to his/her spouse (the garang one), he/she released the anger to Tun (no threat to him/her)...hehe...fikir2kanlah....

Just imagine, Tun punya freedom of expression pun dia sibuk, whatla you....

truthseekerOctober 22, 2012 at 7:41 am | Permalink
Salam YAB Tun and fellow bloggers,

Thank you for keeping us reminded of the hypocrisy of the west, American especially (tool used by Jews) in almost every aspect of lives. Yes, they let the people demonstrated, shouted, but...in the end, the government made the calls...and it will always be to the Jews' advantages.

But what worries me most is the fact that there is a few of our people who are believers of garbage like anwar, the opportunist who is clearly a representative of the jews in our country. He had shown us how he would handle 'expression of freedom' by threatening, misusing his powers, lying, cheating and all the bad stuffs....and on top of it all, he has supporters. These nincompoops are without brains or what?

The bottomline is, you let anwar wins and sure enough, he will copy-cat all the jews preaching about hypocrisy in freedom of expression..but in reality will punish those who go against him and his cahoots. Have you seen his face when confronting the media people? That is the face of a tyrant. vote BN.

sentinel5October 21, 2012 at 7:56 pm | Permalink
Tun,

While most of the commenters agrees with you on the West hypocrisy and double-standards on freedom of speech and expression, there will always be one oddball who will say to the contrary.

To MiddleAges, he prefers to demonise his country, its leaders, a particular race and religion rather than the West because it is his way of voicing out his frustration and failure in life in this country.

May i suggest to MiddleAges, that being a pacifist, as he claims, he should not stay any longer in this country and migrate immediately to the West so that he can live in the country that he admire in the West.

I also like to suggest to MiddleAges to stop being a pacifist for a while and make your dream of as you quote "if i were in the west" comes true!

Salam Tun.

HBT456October 21, 2012 at 1:28 pm | Permalink
Good afternoon YAB,

55. The missions for 2nd Generation line-ups for UMNO Baru Presidents from Najib, Hisham, Mukhriz and KJ for the position of Prime Minister Malaysia would be locked in for the next 30 years by 2040 when UMNO Baru realized Malaysians, the tax payers, would decide which political coalition fit to be the PM.

57. Malaysia Federal Government can never be declared as Malaysia as Islamic nation since Merdeka in the Peninsula.

58. I hope BN and 1 Malaysia can perform better than 2008 result.

That's all, YAB.

BotakOctober 21, 2012 at 10:47 am | Permalink
I LOVES TO SEE DOCUMENTARY
I SEE KOREA HAS BEAUTIFUL SCENERY
HAD ALSO ITS PEOPLE
I BELIEF NORTH KOREA ARE ALSO AS GOOD
AS WELL AS ITS PEOPLE
CONFLICTS AS WHAT BEING POTRAYED BY AMERICANS

BUT IT,S ALWAYS THE AMERICAN THAT
SPOIL THE RELATIONS IN BETWEEN GOOD NEIGHBOR
WHOM REFUSE TO KNEEL TO THEIR DESIRE
THEY WILL BE BRANDED AS UNDEMOCRATIC
BRANDED AS TERRORISTS,
BRANDED AS A THREAT TO THE WORLD
NOT JUST
NORTH & SOUTH KOREA
JAPAN & CHINA
SYRIA & TURKEY
PAKISTAN & INDIA
KUWAIT & IRAQ
& MANY MORE
IT ALWAYS THE AMERICAN THAT CAUSE MORE STERN WITHIN GOOD NEIGHBORS
THE VERY QUESTIONS IS WHO ARE THE VERY CAUSE OF THE WORLD CONFLICTS.
IT,S ALL THE WAY THE AMERICAN
WHOM PRETENDS TO BE THE MR.NICE GUY
BUT WITH EVIL INTENTIONS

AND THE FACTS WHEN IT,S A CALL AGAINST CHINA
RUSSIA OR NORTH KOREA
THE AMERICAN BALLS SHRINKS

HBT456October 21, 2012 at 10:13 am | Permalink
Good morning YAB,

44. <http://thestar.com.my/news/story.asp?file=/2012/10/21/nation/12204437&sec=nation>

45. For now, GST looks like it is still quite a long journey away.

46. Why?

47. Because the ruling race of the utmost posts in the government sector with those civil servants of age 50 years plus with another few years before they go pension at 60 years old will never want to take such risk in loosing their careers.

48. As long as ruling race is afraid of loosing political power, GST can never be implemented.

49. This ruling race is important, but not that important.

50. Why?

51. Eventually, general expectation from younger educated Malaysians of all races, competition within state governments, property developers and the general private sector with better performances will replace them one day.

52. The 12th general election was the result of Malay and Islam Supremacy under Wawasan 2020 caused all component parties of non-Malay Bumiputra in BN lost KL, Selangor and Penang in surprise.

53. Kalau bagi saya pilih, of course I will buy condominium though it's expensive, even though government low cost flats are cheap.

54. But, one thing for sure is that condominium is worth investing in long run since value of property is always increasing during ups and downs though I have to fork up monthly maintenance and service charge to Management Companies.

That's all, YAB.

MiddleAgesOctober 21, 2012 at 7:49 am | Permalink
Salam Tun,

1. Susah Tun, with the recent increase of temperature in pre-election politics, MCA/BN made bold strong statements that could destory PR with regards to rape of muslims/non-muslims and hudud.

2. UMNO however is hush on this because majority are muslims, and cannot therefore make bold statements without getting torched by PAS (thereby losing muslim voters.)

I have therefore this advise for voters, who are confused.

a) we have two boxes, PR and BN

b) in box PR, we have a discriminatory aspect called Islam introduced by PAS

c) in box BN we have discriminatory aspect called racial, introduced by all components. It also has the Islamic discriminatory aspect although UMNO prefers to play dumb. We voters are not dumb however.

So if what you seek is fairness, justice, equality etc etc, and all the good things in life, you can choose neither. No box for you. Go home.

My advise is then let your conscious vote for you, whatever that is.

I think in default people will vote according to what they are first, whether they are a race first or religion first or nationality first.

And thus all the ruffle of pre-election feathers brings us all back to square one. So perhaps politics is a waste of time after all

Thank You Tun

kuihOctober 20, 2012 at 7:53 pm | Permalink
Tun, always truthful
God is proud of you

The Hidden SecretOctober 20, 2012 at 4:19 pm | Permalink
Peace!

1. Laws against Holocaust denial do exist in Europe in at least 17 countries (and also Canada).

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Laws_against_Holocaust_denial

2. I doubt whether such law do exist in America. I believe that the following are some of the Holocaust deniers in America whom never been arrested under any Holocaust denial law :-

a) Harry Elmer Barnes

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Harry_Elmer_Barnes

b) David Hoggan

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/David_Hoggan

c) Arthur Butz

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Arthur_Butz

d) Willis Carto

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Willis_Carto

e) Mark Weber

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mark_Weber

3. There are at least two (2) institution/committee which support Holocaust denial in America :-

a) Institute of Historical Review (IHR).

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Institute_for_Historical_Review

b) Committee for Open Debate on the Holocaust (CODOH).

<http://www.codoh.com/>

As such, to conclude that “the West displays the greatest degree of hypocrisy, of double-standards” is not 100% true.

4. America has the “First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution”, which protects freedom of speech in the United States. The U.S. Supreme Court has interpreted the First Amendment as invalidating government restrictions on blasphemy since 1952 and hate speech since the mid-1970s. In March 2011, the Court reiterated its position on hate speech by a 8–1 majority: “As a Nation we have chosen a different course—to protect even hurtful speech on public issues to ensure that we do not stifle public debate.” This is the reason why America does not advise their own people to exercise restraint regarding provoking the Muslims. “Innocence of Muslims” was produced in America, not in Europe or Canada. In 2002, the 18 years old Joseph Frederick was suspended from school after he displayed a banner reading “BONG HiTS 4 JESUS”. He sued his school and he won in his suit. There are lots of videos produced in America (available in YouTube) which insult GOD, insult GOD’s revelations, insult GOD’s messengers/prophets (in particular Adam, Moses, Jesus and Muhammad).

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/First_Amendment_to_the_United_States_Constitution

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Freedom_of_speech_in_the_United_States

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Morse_v._Frederick

5. It is true that Western Governments regulate and control their media but this also happens in Malaysia. Malaysian Government do regulates and controls the mass media in Malaysia. The main reason why Tun started to blogging was because when Pak Lah was in office, the mass media in Malaysia refused to published Tun’s statements. Malaysian Government is no different from the Western Governments. As such, same like the Western Governments, Malaysian Government also practice double standard. Same like the Western media, the mass media in Malaysia will choose what news to be published, what news not to be published.

6. To say that “an American spent large sums of money to produce a film to insult the Muslims” is also NOT TRUE.

Most probably, Innocence of Muslim cost the producer between USD 50,000 to USD 60,000 only to produce the film. Steven Spielberg spent USD 77 million producing “Munich”.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Innocence_of_Muslims

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Munich_\(film\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Munich_(film))

7. To say that “their deliberate provocation of the Muslims is defended by the American Government as a manifestation of the freedom of expression” is NOT TRUE also. Sam Bacile, the producer of Innocence of Muslims has been arrested and put into jail without bail on September 27, 2012, with the judge citing probation violations

including lying to probation officials, “danger to the community”, and “lack of trust in the defendant” .

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nakoula_Basseley_Nakoula

Rgds.

tahir757October 20, 2012 at 12:36 pm | Permalink
Assalamualaikum Tun,

Your reminders to us all about the Jews is always refreshing and useful as well as important. As all in Malaysia have been made to be aware that Anwar Ibrahim and his party are getting financial aids from the Jews in order to topple the present government and to be replaced by someone who is so friendly to the Jews and will hug and kiss those Jews for the help he is getting from the Jews all this while. Its no secret about Anwar's affiliation with the Jews.

So to all Malays and Muslim, if you choose Anwar and PR as the next government, be prepared to be led from the unseen hand of the Jews thru Anwar. This is NOT A JOKE. And also be prepared to be treated as 2nd CLASS CITIZEN in your own country. Na'uzubillah. May ALLAH forbid this from happening in this land called Malaysia.

Learn from Singapore history.
Look at Indonesia. The economy is in the hand of the minority.
The Jews were in this region more than a century ago.
Its not a coincidence.

Malays you no choice but UMNO.
Dont worry, UMNO can always be corrected and improved all the time, InshALLAH.
Terima Kasih TUN.
May ALLAH provide TUN long life and in good health. Ameen.

mubarakchanOctober 20, 2012 at 12:33 pm | Permalink
Tun

Your comments are factual and your Blog stimulates deep thoughts. There are no vulgarities or profanities or curses. We do all this for Humankind in a civil manner.

And some of your readers from what I discerned just wished the vile anti-Islamic political pornographic film produced in Hollywood, CA, USA just did not happen. But then it did with a purpose.

There is not a single day in our human history that the humankind had not been fighting or quarreling even in the best of times. A human being is a very complex creature.

The United Nations Universal Declaration for Human Rights in Clause 2 states that human rights are to be respected by all and yet when acts were performed in the interests of a nation even the most respected leader would keep a blind eye to the wrong doing – hence, the hypocrisy.

But in this particular case, it was deliberately done to cause hurt to the 1.1 Billion Muslims, a group of people who happened to be suppressed or bullied by others or sometimes by their own kind for over 500 years. And the irony of this is the vital source of energy, petroleum is located where they live ! But the slow realization of the importance of this vital petroleum located in the Muslim world is only of recent origin, maybe from the turn of the 20th century.

If only modern thought and action had taken place centuries ago and not the mind-set of imperialist conquerors who were only interested in material gains, the turmoil, the despots, the poverty, the disunity, etc of the Muslims would not be with us today. The thinking of the United States and the West is archaic because they consider human rights and freedom of expression only in their very own image !

Tun, you are right to point out all these unpalatable points (unacceptable to some) to us. It is the utter neglect of the general world Muslim populace who should have a proper place in the sun and not to destroy each other for minor differences.

The wealth of the Muslims is in the oil resource which is actually siphoned off to the West for its very survival. And to the West, their very survival is non-negotiable. But then, the oil (belongs to the Muslims who should be the ones governing the utilization of such a precious resource) which is being depleted every day, should also be non-negotiable. The poverty of the Muslims arises from the riches which did not accrue in the production lands to benefit the local populace in an equal socio-economic manner giving rise to political stability and peace and modern progress as befitting a civilised people who own such an important world resource. Their very survival and future were just taken away to benefit others. Hence, we see phantom moves to create disunity and instability amongst the Muslim to weaken them by using minimum means for maximum effect. Such action is also archaic.

My view is that the riches of the Muslims be used to up-lift all the socio-economic needs of the producing countries first wherever they are and to the benefit of whoever requires this vital commodity later. Without an estoppel, there will always be disorder and destabilization created by the outside vested interests amongst the people who happened to be living on top of this vital resource. But the world requirement for this important commodity should also be taken care of and recognised as such – that all nations are entire to survive and progress because of oil.

It is reasonable to single out petroleum and gas to be treated as vital to the needs of humankind. The United Nations should be the final arbiter of a fair price for the producer and the user. With such an arrangement, the need to conquer an oil rich territory for future energy needs is obviated -bullets and guns for oil are defused.

The money so saved on arms could be channeled by these developed countries for the socio-economic and eventual political development of an oil producing country. And best of all, the people on the ground will benefit from this new arrangement which will take at least 50 years to bear fruit.

And Tun, you are the right person to propound this new thinking to the world – A United Nations Universal Charter for Energy Rights to be supervised by the UN sponsored ‘Organisation for Energy Rights of Nations’.

Why must superpowers go to wars and denigrate their opponents through subversive means to safeguard their vital commodity for survival which is oil ? This is pre-21st century thinking. All old stuff.

Surprisingly, with all the brains in this world no one in the Western think tanks has come up with a radical idea like this ! Do it by negotiation to put petroleum and gas on a pedestal and not by war through conventional means, kill, kill, bang, bang ! – wars for oil is therefore defused and with this move – the Islamic Civilization will flourish.

Tun, the time is ripe for you to suggest a complete overhaul of the world’s economic system through an international conference, like the miniature Bretton Woods conference in 1944 !

Such a conference could take a long time or a short time depending on the interests of the participating super-powers. Whichever way you look at the shattered world economic system through its deep and imperfect faults, there is no way out anytime soon during which the developed nations could repair the damage. Hence, there is a vital urgency to re-balance all the deficiencies of the world’s economies by turning petroleum and gas into a non-negotiable and urbane commodity in the interests of all concerned – a radical thought because oil is the final arbiter of Humankind existence today and the future. And, the reluctance to shut-down nuclear power stations and some eagerness to build new ones, etc.

The second tier of engagement would be for the portion of petroleum and gas outside the requirements of the nations to remain as it is ie. a free market with the participation of state of independent oil companies which will be rewarded handsomely if new discoveries are made.

My ideas are at best rudimentary and elementary.

But without a complete overhaul of the world’s financial and economic systems, the super-powers will just carry on with their ‘war war bang bang’ policies on the weaker nations which fortunately or unfortunately have huge reserves

of oil. And who suffers ? The innocent men, women and children. And because of this, the West is always seen to practise hypocrisy. In this milieu, the practise of fair and reasonable human rights is just well nigh impossible or unattainable.

Tun with your statesmanship, you are the right man in the whole world for the call.

Vote BN always for good leadership, statesmanship, and governance in everyone's interests and well-being.

MiddleAgesOctober 20, 2012 at 1:28 am | Permalink
Salam Tun,

Regardless of ones personal opinion on Islam or Christianity, or Racial religions, the peace pack between Manila and BangsaMoro and the latter gaining autonomy, facilitated by Malaysia has to be seen as a good solution as it saves lives.

Congratulations Najib and team. It certainly is not easy pacifying two warring parties i think, and so i believe Najib and crew deserves a thumbs up.

Sadly Syria is perhaps out of our range, pictures of war torn Syria is not pretty. People fight when they have no other choice or when political solutions do not work or both.

BangsaMoro can perhaps grow well and in peace if not influenced by outsiders. I think they must quickly try and catch up with the rest of civilization.

Thank You Tun

HBT456October 19, 2012 at 10:11 pm | Permalink
YAB,

28. Have mercy on others is to have mercy on ourselves.

29. To be or not to be, Malaysians will decide in every 5 years via general elections in the name of mankind.

30. Malay Dictatorship is no longer relevant today.

31. Why?

32. Because Malaysia belongs to the people, not BN nor PR.

Goodnight, YAB.

HBT456October 19, 2012 at 9:56 pm | Permalink
P.S. KJ: Put gun on my head, I will admit myself as bangsa Malaysia baru Melayu, lol.

NikmatOctober 19, 2012 at 9:53 pm | Permalink
Salam
YAB Tun Dr Mahathir,

1. 'West' rasa dia pandai sangat

2. 'West' nampak orang lain bodoh sangat

3. Ternyata dalam Asia Tenggara ada bangsa yang sudah lebih pandai dari 'West', mereka sedang dan terus meniti kebijaksanaan dan menguasai kemahiran dalam banyak bidang.

4. Ternyata 'West' membina kehinaan dan di sepak terajang oleh bukan 'West'

TuntuahOctober 19, 2012 at 8:11 pm | Permalink

Are we free to say all the things that we want? Definitely not.

DAP, PKR, PAS, BERSIH complaining the freedom of speech mmg tak de. Why? Utusan, tv3 etc etc sibuk cerita keburukan about them.

They forgot. Harakah, malaysia kini etc etc also talking bad about the government.

So what freedom that we want? You all crap lah...

ROZALI BIN AYEDOctober 19, 2012 at 6:51 pm | Permalink

Assalamualaikum WBT YBHG Tun,

Freedom of Expression II

Kebebasan pengucapan itulah lebih kurang pada tanggapan saya maksud "Freedom of Expression". Ada ketikanya memang berlaku double standard atau boleh juga disebut hipokrasi dalam kebebasan pengucapan yang diamalkan di barat, ianya juga sudah menjadi ikutan dan amalan dikalangan orang, individu atau organisasi di Malaysia atas alasan kebebasan bersuara. Tidak semua yang ditiru dari barat boleh mendatangkan kebaikan dalam konteks negara Malaysia. Kita juga tidak boleh menolak amalan-amalan yang difikirkan bersesuaian dari barat untuk diaplikasikan di Malaysia.

Negara kita juga pernah dijajah oleh barat suatu ketika dahulu dan masih ada lagi amalan-amalan penjajah yang didapati masih bersesuaian yang kita terus amalkan di Malaysia. Mana-mana negara di dunia yang pernah dijajah dilihat masih terus menggunakan sesuatu amalan yang ditinggalkan penjajah. Contoh paling ketara kita menggunakan perantaraan Bahasa Inggeris dengan meluas (dalam aspek pembelajaran, perniagaan, penulisan dan perhubungan harian) yang mana Tun sendiri amat menyokong Bahasa Inggeris digunakan dalam pembelajaran sains dan matematik di sekolah kerana ianya amat bersesuaian bagi meningkat pencapaian ilmu sains dan matematik yang masih banyak boleh diperolehi dalam Bahasa Inggeris.

Hipokrasi barat terhadap Islam amat tidak bersesuaian menjadi ikutan rakyat Malaysia yang terdiri dari berbagai kaum, anutan berbagai budaya dan kepercayaan agama yang berbeza. Tetapi malangnya sudah ada dikalangan rakyat Malaysia dengan begitu ketara mengamalkan sikap hipokrasi antara agama di Malaysia. Contoh paling mudah kedudukan agama Islam yang termaktub dalam perlembagaan juga dipermainkan dan dipolitikkan oleh pihak-pihak tertentu. Mungkin Tun cuba memberi peringatan kepada rakyat Malaysia sebagai bekas Perdana Menteri Malaysia ke 4 supaya tidak secara bulat-bulat meniru amalan "Freedom of Expression" yang diamalkan di barat. Yang lebih relevan rakyat Malaysia seharusnya membentuk peradaban sebagai orang timur, lebih-lebih lagi bagi rakyat Malaysia yang beragama Islam yang telah tersedia ada peradaban mengikut syariat Islam yang sepatutnya diamalkan dengan sepenuhnya.

Tepuk dada tanyalah selera kita sebagai umat Islam. PRU ke 13 akan menjelang tiba pada bila-bila masa sahaja. Kita seharusnya menggalas tanggungjawab bagi memilih kerajaan yang benar-benar boleh deliver bagi menjamin kesinambungan kesejahteraan yang telah dan sedang kita rasai semenjak negara kita Malaysia mencapai kemerdekaan 55 tahun yang lalu. Politik secara hipokrasi diantaranya tidak harus menjadi pilihan. Politik yang membawa unsur-unsur dan elimen-elimen dari luar negara yang bertentangan dengan sosio budaya, nilai-nilai murni amalan keagamaan di Malaysia seperti LGBT tidak harus diterima dan diberi sokongan untuk menerajui kepimpinan negara Malaysia. Politik yang memperjudikan agama dengan cara songsang bagi meraih sokongan juga harus ditolak untuk menjadi salah satu komponen kepimpinan negara Malaysia. Politik yang bercorak cauvinis (hanya mementingkan sesuatu kaum) juga amat tidak sesuai diberi sokongan. Gambaran-gambaran di atas adalah cerminan amalan politik pakatan pembangkang (PKR, DAP & Pas) yang sedang dimainkan oleh mereka bagi meraih sokongan rakyat pada PRU ke 13.

Sama-samalah kita fikirkan.

Terima kasih dan salam hormat Tun.

momotarojaroo October 19, 2012 at 3:11 pm | Permalink

Salam. Tak salah rasanya mengulas lagi tentang keburukan “freedom of expression” yang dijaja oleh barat kerana itulah yang termampu Tun lakukan untuk warga Malaysia Muslim sekarang ini. Jika Tun masih PM, mungkin Tun boleh menegur mereka terang-terangan di persidangan antarabangsa dll. Mungkin ada yang masih keliru, masih pro-Barat membuta tuli dan akhirnya tersedar dengan coretan Tun ini. “Sampaikanlah ilmu walaupun 1 ayat”. Di sinilah tempatnya. Kalau ada idea/komen yg bernas, kemukakan untuk dikongsi bersama.

HBT456 October 19, 2012 at 9:41 am | Permalink

Good morning YAB,

16. <http://thestar.com.my/news/story.asp?file=/2012/10/19/nation/12196593&sec=nation>

17. Steve Job told the board of directors in the 80s that i-pad technology can replace the keyboard.

18. What did the board of directors said?

19. Steve Job is naive.

20. Politicians want votes, work for it.

Good day, YAB.

wajaperak October 19, 2012 at 8:38 am | Permalink

Assallammualaikumwarahmatullahiwabarokatuh...

Semoga Tun sudi mengizinkan ruangan...)

Terima kasih Crazy Diamond..

Tun..dah banyak kali dah Tun melakukan kebaikan seperti mewujudkan Yayasan Perdana Global yang menganjurkan flotila untuk rakyat Palestin..Untuk orang muslimin Myanmar,untuk rakyat Islam selatan Thai dan terbaru perjanjian damai MILF tetapi Tun tak sebut pun bahawa ianya ‘di dalangi’ masterminded oleh Tun sendiri.. Yang Amat Berbahagia Tun..

Memang amat baik menyorokkan kebaikan tetapi ada masanya kebaikan perlu di peringatkan untuk kepentingan kaum muslimin secara menyeluruh..Ini di namakan bertawassul..

Adalah Abu Bakar As Siddiq r.a menderma hartanya secara terang-terangan sebanyak 40,000 dinar dan menyembunyikan yang lain-lain..

Tun perlu ‘menonjolkan’ sesetengah dari amal baik Tun secara terang-terangan kerana ini adalah sunnah juga..

Tun..

Ribuan terima kasih...)

MiddleAges October 19, 2012 at 12:17 am | Permalink

Salam Tun,

Point taken, but what is the purpose of these points. To highlight that the west is unfair and unjust. ? And does it mean we, our system is fair and just ? I think not too.

Is it then to be able to argue against the West, with good points, and these arguments and points will earn us respect ? I think not too.

If we end up judging each other and others as bad or unjust, it means we busy our lives with judging people. Will this bring about plenty of profits for us ? i think not too.

Maybe you are educating the Malays how to stand up against “superior” western powers, but i think there is a long long way to go and the value system of the Malays must change first.

And that is to begin with not being preoccupied with judging others, but being preoccupied with useful activities and

knowledge seeking, rather than adopting 'blaming the west' as a hobby.

We learn plenty from the west, we buy lots of technology from them, and now we want to eat them ?

If i were in the west, i know very well how to welcome such ungrateful humans. I think we need to consider how we can live together on this planet in peace and harmony.

I am a pacifist Tun. I hate to see people fighting. I think it is stupid.

I think we humans have been given the faculty of mind not to fight but to use it for our own survival, against nature, not against each other. And to understand better so many things in life and in nature so that we can benefit from them.

So why choose to demonize the west Tun ? Revenge ? Is revenge a noble value to pursue ?

Thank You Tun

crazy diamond October 18, 2012 at 7:34 pm | Permalink

Thanks Tun for keep reminding us about the hypocrisy of the West. Clearly you are the true mujahid, not the one that exist in Afghanistan or Pakistan. Unfortunately, there's still a lot among us who can't see this, blinded by their egoism and hatred against you. As a result they became the enemy of their own people.

To me these are the breed of "bodoh sombong" that exist among Malays – I hate to say this though I am know that I also Malay and I am stupid too. But at least I am trying not to be "sombong".

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