



Religious Tolerance

As mentioned in Al-Quran

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

AlBaqarah-02:256. No Compulsion in the Religion

There shall be no compulsion in the religion. The right path has indeed become distinct from the wrong. So whoever disbelieves in false deities, and believes in Allah, then certainly he has grasped the most trustworthy handhold with no break in it. And Allah is All Hearer, All Knower.

لَا إِكْرَاهَ فِي الدِّينِ لَقَدْ تَبَيَّنَ الرُّشْدُ مِنَ الْغَيِّ
فَمَنْ يَكْفُرْ بِالطَّاغُوتِ وَ يُؤْمِنُ بِاللَّهِ فَقَدِ
اسْتَمْسَكَ بِالْعُرْوَةِ الْوُثْقَىٰ لَا انْفِصَامَ لَهَا وَاللَّهُ
سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ

AlAnam Chapter-06:108 Do not Insult False Deities

And do not insult those whom they (disbelievers) call upon besides Allah, lest they insult Allah in enmity without knowledge. Thus We have made fair seeming to each people their deed. Then to their Lord is their return, then He will inform them of what they used to do.

وَلَا تَسُبُّوا الَّذِينَ يَدْعُونَ مِنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ فَيَسُبُّوا
اللَّهَ عَدْوًا بِغَيْرِ عِلْمٍ كَذَلِكَ زَيْنًا لِكُلِّ أُمَّةٍ
عَمَلُهُمْ ثُمَّ إِلَىٰ رَبِّهِمْ مَرْجِعُهُمْ فَيُنَبِّئُهُمْ بِمَا
كَانُوا يَعْمَلُونَ

AlHujrat Chapter-49:13 The Divine Gift of Diversity

O mankind, indeed, We created you from male and female, and We made you into nations and tribes so that you may come to know one another. Indeed, the most noble among you with God is the most spiritually conscious of you. Indeed, God is All knowing, All Aware.

يَا أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ إِنَّا خَلَقْنَاكُمْ مِنْ ذَكَرٍ وَأُنْثَىٰ وَجَعَلْنَاكُمْ
شُعُوبًا وَقَبَائِلَ لِتَعَارَفُوا إِنَّ أَكْرَمَكُمْ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ
أَتْقَىٰ إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلِيمٌ خَبِيرٌ

AlMaidah Chapter-5:48 Many Lanes on the Divine Pathway

For each among you, We appointed a divine law and a clear way. And if God had willed, He would have made you one nation. But that He may try you in that which He has given you. So race one with another in good deeds. To God you will return all together, He will then inform you of that in which you used to differ.

لِكُلِّ جَعَلْنَا مِنْكُمْ شِرْعَةً وَ مِنْهَاجًا وَ لَوْ شَاءَ اللَّهُ
لَجَعَلَكُمْ أُمَّةً وَاحِدَةً وَ لَكِنْ لِيَبْلُوَكُمْ فِي مَا
آتَاكُمْ فَاسْتَبِقُوا الْخَيْرَاتِ إِلَى اللَّهِ مَرْجِعُكُمْ جَمِيعًا
فِي يَوْمٍ تَخْتَلِفُونَ

AalImran Chapter-3:64 There is but One Creator of all Mankind

Say: “O People of the Scripture, come to a word equitable between us and you that we shall not worship except God, nor shall we associate with Him anything, nor shall one of us take others for deities other than God.” So if they turn away, then say: “Bear witness that we are those who have submitted.”

قُلْ يَا أَهْلَ الْكِتَابِ تَعَالَوْا إِلَى كَلِمَةٍ سَوَاءٍ بَيْنَنَا وَ
بَيْنَكُمْ أَلَّا نَعْبُدَ إِلَّا اللَّهَ وَ لَا نُشْرِكَ بِهِ شَيْئًا
وَ لَا يَتَّخِذَ بَعْضُنَا بَعْضًا أَرْبَابًا مِنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ فَإِنْ
تَوَلَّوْا فَقُولُوا اشْهَدُوا بِأَنَّا مُسْلِمُونَ

AnNisa Chapter-4:136 Believing in All Divine Books and All Messengers

O those who believe, believe in God, and His messenger and the Scripture which He has sent down upon His messenger, and the Scripture which He sent down before. And whoever disbelieves in God, and His Angels, and His Scriptures, and His Messengers, and the Day of Judgment, then indeed he has gone far strayed.

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا آمِنُوا بِاللَّهِ وَ رَسُولِهِ وَ الْكِتَابِ
الَّذِي نَزَّلَ عَلَى رَسُولِهِ وَ الْكِتَابِ الَّذِي أَنْزَلَ مِنْ
قَبْلُ وَ مَنْ يَكْفُرْ بِاللَّهِ وَ مَلَائِكَتِهِ وَ كُتُبِهِ وَ رَسُولِهِ وَ
الْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ فَقَدْ ضَلَّ ضَلَالًا بَعِيدًا

Fussalit Chapter-41:34. Response to the Message of Hate/Enmity

And not equal are the good deed and neither the evil deed. Repel (the evil deed) by that which is better, then he between you and him there was enmity (will become) as though he was a devoted friend.

وَ لَا تَسْتَوِي الْحَسَنَةُ وَ لَا السَّيِّئَةُ إِذْفَعِ بِالَّتِي هِيَ أَحْسَنُ
فَإِذَا الَّذِي بَيْنَكَ وَ بَيْنَهُ عَدَاوَةٌ كَأَنَّهُ وَلِيٌّ حَمِيمٌ

