

Exhumation of the Graves of the Martyrs of Islam and the Companions of the Messenger of Allah (PBUH& HP) was one the Mu'awiyah's tradition

Introduction:

Recently, the evil hands of the Wahhabi terrorists, who are the “Khawarij” of our time, exhumed the holy body “Hujr Ibn Adi” (Allah's blessing upon him), of one of the true companions of the Holy Messenger of Allah (PBUP&HP), and transferred him to an unknown place.

Perhaps you are questioning that how a human being can become so evil and inhumane to dig the grave of the companion of the Prophet of Allah (PBUP&HP) and disrespect his body.

We would like to mention that this incident is not surprising nor is it a new phenomenon; on the contrary, there are examples of it in the history.

The first person who committed this evil act of exhuming the grave of the Prophet (PBUP&HP) companions (who were martyrs too!) was Mu'awiyah Ibn Hind (may Allah TWT curse both of them) who exhumed the graves of the martyrs of the battle of Uhud.

The followers of Mu'awiyah obeyed his order and while digging the grave of Hamza, the uncle of the Prophet PBUP&HP, the pickaxe hit the foot of Hamza, peace be upon him, and it bled.

Muhammad Ibn Sa'd in “Al-Tabaqat Al-Kubra” writes:

أَخْبَرَنَا شِهَابُ بْنُ عَبَّادٍ الْعَبْدِيُّ، قَالَ: أَخْبَرَنَا عَبْدُ الْجَبَّارِ بْنُ وَرْدٍ، عَنِ الزُّبَيْرِ، عَنْ جَابِرِ بْنِ عَبْدِ اللَّهِ، قَالَ: " لَمَّا أَرَادَ مُعَاوِيَةُ أَنْ يُجْرِيَ عَيْنَهُ الَّتِي بِأُحُدٍ كَتَبُوا إِلَيْهِ: إِنَّا لَا نَسْتَطِيعُ أَنْ نُجْرِیَهَا إِلَّا عَلَى قُبُورِ الشُّهَدَاءِ "، قَالَ: " فَكَتَبَ: **اُنْبِشُوهُمْ** "، قَالَ: " فَرَأَيْنَهُمْ يُحْمَلُونَ عَلَى أَعْنَاقِ الرِّجَالِ كَأَنَّهُمْ قَوْمٌ نِيَامٌ، وَأَصَابَتِ الْمِسْحَاهُ طَرْفَ رَجُلٍ حَمْرَةَ بْنِ عَبْدِ الْمُطَّلِبِ فَانْبَعَثَتْ دَمًا "

Jabir Ibn Abdullah said: When Mu'awiyah decided to open the stream of his river in the area of Uhud, his agents wrote a letter to him and explained that it was not possible unless they passed the water stream over the graves of the martyrs of Uhud. In response Mu'awiyah wrote: "Exhume the bodies out of the graves!"

The narrator says: I saw people were climbing over each other (to compete in digging the graves)
It looked like they were asleep (and do not understand what they were doing)!

During digging the graves the pickaxe hit the foot of Hamza peace be upon him and it bled.

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