

The one who is afraid of reason resorts to force.

Introduction.

Thesis Statement.

The course of reason and force is marked by intricacies and indistinctness. Those who use reason cannot use force, and those who use force cannot use reason. Retrospectively, in the clash between force and reason, force usually prevails.

→ Historical approach to reason and force-

→ The prophets and their companions who were tortured for applying reason.

a. Prophet Ibrahim used his reason for not adoring gods and consequently he was put to fire.

b. The torture of prophet Muhammad for the penetration of the message of God's oneness.

c. The implications of Harriet Bilal for embracing the message of prophet Muhammad.

The philosophers who were put to death or exiled for talking reason.

- a. Socrates executed by Athens's Democracy for using his intellect.
- b. Confucius banned in his homecountry and thus wrote his master pieces in exile.
- c. Aristotle died in exile for using reason by Athens.
- d. J.J. Rousseau banished from his country for his philosophy of liberating people from despotic rulers.
- e. Karl Marx moved to Brussel to avoid torture for his economic philosophy.

Countries and communities who came under force for their genuine cause.

- a. The violence on Palestinians by Israel for their acute demands.
- b. The reasonable cause, and killing of Kashmiris by Indian state.
- c. The demand of Khalistan Sikhs and the emergency imposed on them by Indian state.
- d. The oppression on Uyghur Muslims for their religious practices by China.
- e. Russia invaded Ukraine ~~for~~ because Ukraine demanded self-determination.
- f. The religious communities are tortured. The freedom fighters who are tortured for shaping their future endeavors.

- The long imprisonment of Nelson Mandela for liberating South Africa.
- Jamal Khashoggi assassinated by Kingdom of Saudi for his expression of thoughts.
- Damodar Savarkar sentenced to fifty years jail for revolting against British reforms.
- The incarceration of Baeha Khan for the cause of his community.

The people in Pakistan who come under force for using reason.

- The peasants are generally not heard for their grievances and impose emergency on them.
- The political mandate of the people are taken away by force in current political scenario.
- The educational institutions use force against those who raise voice for themselves.

Conclusion.

Introduction:

The Prophet Muhammad would use to hear completely and answer in a way which can address all the aspects of the question. He would always persuade the person of question and also quote the examples for its clarification. Secondly, Prophet Muhammad preferred to be defensive than offensive. So, very rarely he would resort force otherwise, he believed reason and dialogues. Because of using his reason and avoid force, he is celebrated as a peaceful leader and Islam a peaceful religion. In the line of force, almost all the people who belong to various segments of life across the world have come under force from the powerful. It continues from prophets and philosophers to countries and communities and from politicians to common masses. But obviously, there is no match of powerful and powerless, so at the end powerful prevails and powerless is recorded in the writings as helpless. And this line of conflict is demarcated by reason and force. Those who possess reason cannot resort

force per the implementation of ideas. And there who poses force lack reason to justify their use of force. Moreover, in the current scenario of world stage, those are made silent by force (either kill them or banish) who speak reason. Because the powerful thinks that the person who speaks reason, may pose rebellion for the powerful. which is not always the case, the reason is always raised against the oppression or social/political evil and for their reformation. therefore, the dire need is to establish a sense of understanding between reason and force.

The nature of force is always a threat to human existence. Historically, the reason and explanation to its action has not provided while a sense of explanation is provided to using force - this world is driven by irrationality. The rational ground for this world is discarded. That's why, force and irrationality prevails.

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Abraham offered the greatest of the sacrifices ever made on the planet earth. He had gone against the will of his own father and toppled down the biggest symbols of worship of Atheism. He erected his reason that the things which are worshiped are just pictures and stones. They cannot help themselves then how can it help other people. Thus he killed all the idols and for this he was put to fire. But the fire did not make his body burn miraculously, with the help of God. Hence, the reason and force overlaps. In the context of one religion (Islam) he succeeded while on other hand he was avenged for challenging Atheism. The force (fire) which is applied set forth a medium that those who defy the idolatry will be punished. In a nutshell, the force succeeded to curb the reason of the people and control those who questioned the idolatry.

The prophet Muhammad came under torture from the people of Makkah for his message of God and His commandments. He rationally and experimentally proved that the worships and adoration of the people of Makkah are null and void. But despite that, the prophet Muhammad was tortured along with his companion. The Arab world was much obstinate for their cultural glory and they would feel proud to do evils. And they would sacrifice everything but not their cultural glory. According to a companion of the prophet, Abu Jahl said at his death door step, that Muhammad! you are a true muslim and you are the exponent of a true message but I would never bring Imam on you, because then the people of Makkah would say that he is afraid of the fire of Hell. which is the manifestation of the Arab world on one side and the true message of prophet on the other side. The prophet would preach reason about living, life and earth, but no one agreed to him and resort force to torture and banish him. In a short term force succeeded but in long the prophet succeeded after spreading Islam to the world.

In the line of embracing the message of God and prophet, the companion of prophet Muhammad, Bilal came under severe torture and infliction from the people of Makkah. His inflictions started the day when he entered the fold of Islam. The severe tortures including the warm sand and hot coals laying. But these inflictions never weakened down his strong vision for true reasonable message of the oneness of God. The torture and punishment from his master and people further strengthen his belief on the oneness of God and prophethood. In a short run, the force succeeded in putting a severe punishment on him but in a long term he succeeded to secure a true position in the muslim community. From going from a slave to a complete free man, his using reason won his favour and force is denounced. Which is the clear manifestation that force is temporary and reasonable stance is permanent.

Socrates was killed through a
 cup of poison for using his intellect
 which was against the will of the
 Athenian democracy. He used his reason
 amidst the war between Sparta
 and Athens, and Socrates criticised
 the democracy as a root cause of
 losing war against the Spartans.
 After the war he had committed
 to educate the youth for the best
 and bright future. In short to aware
 the youth about the future road map
 and also make them aware of the
 evil of democracy. His this move is
 not liked and he was first
 incarcerated and then put him
 to death. Since then, till now, democracy
 did not flourish upto the mark,
 the vivid example could be the
 Arab Spring and later hours of
 tumults and chaos in the Arab
 world. But he was not heard
 and his reason and intellect was
 bulldozed before bully realized. So,
 the reason and intellect embraced
 loss while force succeeded to
 strike him down. which is the
 reality of the usual world, the
 reason live short fate and force
 prevails in long life.

Confucius was forced exiled and then he came up with his masterpieces in exile. He used his intellect while a regent of government. But he did not agree with the families who enjoyed full authority in the political domain. He wanted a composed and perfect king with all powers in his/her hand. He never got successful in his mission of changing the political direction so, he was forced to resign from his office. It was the first defeat to his intellect. Apart from this, after leaving his office, he was joined by young people for education and morality. He would teach them the living standards and the social responsibilities. For instance, how to be a good human? what is meaningful life? what is morality? which is the vivid manifestation that after realizing these factors, the youngster will revolt against the existing system for their right. Thus Confucius was forced to exile to draw down his intellect and his scheme of educating youth. In effect, he wrote all his masterpieces in exile. which was a second blow to his reason and the force prevailed to strike him down without realizing the power of his intellect.

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The Athenian parliament charged Aristotle as ~~pro~~-Macedonian and ~~pro~~ Anti-Athens and thus he left for voluntary exile. He acquired his education of logic, syllogism, metaphysics and established a school in Athens to educate the youth on the same line. The youngsters would ask questions in the state which was centered in philosophy and logic. The government was unable to answer them. Because the Athenian democracies were having many evils at that time and the youth would question those evils which the parliament held Aristotle responsible for the questions from the youth. In the line with Socrates, who was unjustly put to death, Aristotle was exiled. The parliament was perplexed by ~~the~~ Aristotle for tutoring Alexander. The parliament argued that Aristotle is plotting against the Athens. Which was not really the case according to books and writings that exist. By the wrong standing of the parliament and false allegations held by it, Aristotle was forced to exile and his reason and logic embraced a tremendous defeat and parliament got victory. Thus the reason failed and force successful. Which is true that the force is resorted by those who cannot reason.

John Jacques Rousseau was banished from his country for writing against religion, state and education. He challenged the role of ~~state~~^{public} religion and believed on private religion, with no concept of revelation. The state and its rulers were challenged through his outstanding book "The Social Contract". And education was also challenged for inculcating the wrong vices in children. In order to make him silent, he was first banished from France to Switzerland. And then chase him in Geneva but he successfully escaped to England which at time enjoyed freedom of expressions. His writings are an attempt to liberate humans from chains of state religion and society. He wanted a free man from these artificial traps which were in power of a limited class. But in the short term he never succeeded to get free man from these traps. The force is used and he was secluded from his home country. which is justified that force works easily than reason. Or else reason works slowly and force is quick in its action.

Karl Marx moved to Brussel in order to avoid torture in his home country. Because in the first phase he challenged the upper class which was capitalist and they were serving in politics. Marx declared the material objects as the root cause of all the worldly conflicts. As the capitalist hold all the material objects and the lower class are just out of the necessary needs of the day. Marx proposed a classless society where the distribution of wealth is based on ability and need. His this move provoked the parliament (who were capitalist) to deport him at any cost. Secondly, Marx deemed religion in society as irksome to change and serve to exploit only poor than treat all the classes alike. He stated that Religion is the opium of the poor - the clergymen charged him with blasphemy and joined hands with the parliament in his seclusion. Marx took shelter in England where people enjoyed freedom of expression. In the short run Marx failed to bring about change and force was successful in bringing him down. But later on, his ideas got practical manifestation when countries became the embodiment of Communism.

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Not only philosophers are struck down but also countries and communities who were having a genuine cause and demands. But the upper authority resort force because they were in some way about to pose a threat for their regime or superiority. That's why force is resorted against them.

The people of Palestine are feeling acute indignations for raising voice against the illegal Zionist occupation. Since 1948, the clashes and skirmishes are taking place where various Palestinian had lost their precious lives against the Zionism. The Palestinians are murdered whenever they raise voice against the illegitimate power over the natural resources. Today the area of Palestine is shrunk because of the expansion of Zionism. And the international organizations declared Palestine as the worst human living prison in the world. The reason is only one and that is the resistance against Zionism. In response, in order to make the people silent, the Zionists resort to continued force.

and as a result damages and humanitarian crises causes. Palestine poses a reasonable ground that the land is ours but no one across the Israel's wall is ready to accept their cause or else head to them. No notice is taken about the Israel inflections and crises which inspires them to resort more force and suffer more and more palestinians. In a nutshell, even today the issue of Palestine is not addressed and suffering the fate of various lost lives.

Kashmiri hold a reasonable cause of self-determination but no power of the world seems to help them pursue their dreams. The day Kashmiri ask about self-determination, the Indian government deploy a high number of troops to make them silent. This process is continued since 1947, with some pause and then continue ahead. The recent atrocities that fall on Kashmiris took place in 2019 when BJP-led government imposed article 370 on Kashmir state. It causes protests and turmoil in effect, the Indian state imposed emergency and arrested and incarcerated their leaders, common people and students. According to the Economist's New Delhi, "

Roughly half of a million Indian troops have become permanent presence. Tens of thousand of Kashmiris have been killed in the process. Millions more are angry about living in what has become the occupied territory which resembles a conflict between reason and force. As this has clearly mentioned in the United Nation Charter that every one across the world preserve the right of self-determination. Secondly, the definition of nation by modern nation states and Montevideo accord provides the criteria for Kashmiris to have their separate homeland. But each time they are killed, arrested and incarcerated because they possess intellect and reason but not force. While Indian state possess force and lack reason. At the present day, the conflict is not yet resolved so it is difficult to decide the winner or loser. But down the history, reason has got the victory in a long run. So, in future, Kashmir can win the right of self-determination.

In the line of atrocities, Indian state is inflicting the same inhumane punishments and behavior on the Khalistani movement of Sikhs in Punjab, India.

Indian state is continuously ~~to~~ baldoning
 their demand for separate homeland.
 various of their leaders were arrested
 and students incarcerated. The reason
 as reported by the Khalistan movement
 leaders is that Indian state in unfair
 in opportunities towards the Sikhs community
 in India. Recently, one of Khalistani leader
 is killed in a foreign land who was
 engineering the independence of Khalistan.
 The Indian state is committed to wipe
 out the Sikh communities which is a
 big security threat to India. But it
 could never be the case, the Khalistan
 movement has never come up with violent
 means and they have always prefer to
 put forward reasonable dialogues. The
 Indian state use the available means
 off force to strike their reasonable
 grounds down. The Khalistan use reason
 for their independence, while Indian
 state apply force for its solidarity.
 The issue is not resolve yet, so
 it is impossible to demarcate between
 the winner and loser. But evidently,
 the Sikhs are active for long
 and propagating their national grounds
 of independence all over the world,
 which can pursue their freedom afterward.
 In a nutshell, India is resorting force and
 Sikhs are propagating reasonable arguments.

The Chinese government is using its utmost force to silence the Uighur community of Uighur Muslims. They are charged with terrorism and hence applied force abortions tactics in order to cleanse or decrease the number of the community. The Uighur was once an autonomous region in Xinjiang that China intervened and abolished their autonomy. Now Uighur is on the rational ground to provide them their religious practices and eradicate the unfair treatment from the government authority. To seek such rights, are the legitimate voice of everyone to raise across the world. But as they raise voice for themselves, they are struck down by the authority. The international community took a serious note of it against the Chinese government inhumane treatment with Uighur Muslims. But they have not reached any collective consent and the Uighur are suffering continuously. They (Uighur) put forward various propositions like practices (religion) and their autonomy but force made them silent. Uighur always come up with rational arguments to resolve the issue on international forum but Chinese government decided to internationalize the issue which is the evidence that China is resorting illegitimate force against rational Uighur.

In relation to reason with force,
The Russian government invaded Ukraine,
because the Ukrainian wanted self-
determination and a west kind of capitalist
social and political system. Ukraine consulted
her people and international community
for this cause of transition from communism
to capitalism. The people along with internatio-
nal community justified their demand.
Because there was no technical mistake
in their demand nor Ukraine wanted
to harm the interest of any one across
the world. Resultantly, Russian resort force
to violate their demand of going out
of communism. Down the history, Ukraine
was a part of USSR and still Russia
claims the autonomy of Ukraine. It has
categorically mentioned in the United Nation
charter that any country can adopt any
kind of political system. But Russian
under Putin greater Russia, did not
realized their reasonable demands
and deployed huge number of troops
with vast and lethal nuclear weapons
to occupy Ukraine and deport those
people who are seeking capitalism
as their political system. The world
has realized the rational demand of
Ukraine except Russia and Russia come up
with force. The temporary victory of ~~the~~ Russia is
sure but not the end victory. Ukraine is supported
and Russia is condemned by world community.

The religious communities face violence from the government and their provisions of laws. Religious persecution is process of suppressing of a community for their belief and practices or their lack thereof. This process is as old as human recorded history, in which a king or superior would seek the affiliation of their subjects and would abolish those people who did not accompanied him/her. In the contemporary world, with the development of modern technology, this process of religious persecution has got a massive impetus. The religious communities manifest their beliefs on social media platform which according to the conservative government, poses rebellion and turmoil in their countries. which could not be the case, as George Bernard Shaw said, after food and cloths, the dire need of body is religious practices which helps to grow healthy body. But no power of the conservative world realizes the reason behind those practices. According to Pew Research center, the report of 2018; Christian faces harassment in 145 countries, Muslim in 139 countries and Jews in 88 countries. which is a blow to the champions of human rights and countries claim as global piling. In a nutshell, the national footing behind religious practices has not explored but came under force every time.

Nelson Mandela was incarcerated for a long life of 27 years for the cause of the liberation of South Africa. He was recognised as the freedom fighter and a solo hero who fought for the rights of humanity but still miserably to make him silent. In effect, he was right so he got success in his goal of liberating the South Africa from a despotic ruler on one hand and on other hand from the dominance of imperialist. He is also celebrated as the first person who challenged the Apartheid system as got success in his cause. In his incarceration, he was offered various negotiations engagement but he refused and said that only free men have the opportunity to engage in negotiations and I am not free. He also renounced evidence to be used for his cause. But he was not realigned and recognised as hero of freedom and rationale and applied force on him. In the last quarter of his life, he got success and saw his long struggle dream come true. And the people who applied force on him seeked for forbidence where he had forgiven. Now he is celebrated as the national hero of South Africa. The life of force is short and reason's life is long. But still unreasonable people apply force than reason.

Jamal Khajshaji was assassinated as reported by The Guardian, London based, by the Crown Prince of Saudi Arabia. Because he would write against the despotism of Crown Prince and attempted to give voice of freedom of thoughts and expressions to the people of the Kingdom. He would write an article in New York Times against the Crown Prince. The Crown Prince plotted to kill him and apply force on making him silent for life. He was called to Turkey Embassy and then to Saudi Embassy in Istanbul. He was a rational person and anticipated a positive response from Saudi Embassy in Istanbul. As there were his several friends and kids who were serving in the same Embassy. He went to the Embassy pretty healthy and expected to finish his work of collecting the marriage documents in a short while. But it never happened and his wife stayed there for long for his coming. At last she returned hopeless. Later it was reported that he was killed and his reasonable voice engraved forever, according to the evidences collected by the Turkey Spy Agency. Force prevailed and did not dare to challenge the reasonable voice of Jamal Khajshaji.

Domadur Savaikar was sentenced
fifty years of jail for revolting against
the inhumane provisions in the
~~Rowlett~~ ^{Mento Morly Reforms} Act. He was an Atheist and
did not believe that state should
be used as a mean for the
purification of soul and forgiveness.
The general provisions of the ~~Act~~ Reforms
of 1919 were harsh and brutal. He
revolted against those provisions that
they would not be used against a
free man. The British government in India
did not tolerate his this move and
sentenced to jail. But the race between
the force and reason was short
and soon force knee down to his
feet. After releasing from his jail
sentence, he started working upon
his Hindu ideology and got successful
in manifesting his idea in the
decolonization of India. So, his rational
mind made a blow to the British
government and its force, which was
used against him without having
solid grounds. Firstly, his incarceration
was his temporary defeat but in
real world he embraced success
in shaping his ideology. Therefore, he is
celebrated as the national hero
of India and a true veer of
Indian freedom.

Bacha Khan (Abdul Ghaffar Khan) was incarcerated for long duration of Thirty Seven years by The British government for the cause of his community. He wanted to see his community people peaceful and educated who were tagged as violent and rebels. For this he established schools in pashtun belt to make his people law abiding citizens. He was not realized nor his reason for giving the services to his community and incarcerated on the false allegation for plotting against the overthrowing of the British rule from India. He was the exponent of non-violent movements under the golden principle of Ahimsa. And secondly, he wanted united India where the rights of all the communities will be secured. He was not realized and named him the blind follower of Gandhi. He put forward the arguments that the people of India lived for centuries under single rule and they have a natural affinity. For one nation. He was not listened and the division of sub-continent took place, which itself is a chapter of dark tragedies. He embraced failure and force prevailed in making him silent under measurement.

The peasant class are the more venerable class in Pakistan. When they take a collective step in order to make the executive aware of their genuine grievances, they were then subject to emergency and force. They are considered not worth to do arguments.

For instance, in the wake of high inflation in Pakistan, the peasant and specially the farmers conducted a protest that the farming is going with nothing with high expenses. The government imposed emergency and several reported injured them. This is not the only case, several attacks were made at the peasants both in military and civil regime alike. Which shows how Pakistan failed being claiming agricultural economy. And also projects the failure and flaws of the government machinery to conduct peaceful dialogues and understand them. So their demands and arguments are valid, so that they may be addressed at the earliest. But not happened since the inception of Pakistan. The force make itself worth to be a part of breaking news and peasants' needs are bulldozed in order to pose a lesson for later peasants not to conduct any protests. This reason is overcame by force.

In the current wake of political turmoil in Pakistan, the ultimate mandate of the people are taken away. which is the violation of modern liberal democracy on one hand and the negation of the teaching of the Prophet Muhammad (SAW) on other hand. who said that every ruler will hold on the basis of mandate of the people. But no such rights are currently observing in Pakistan as the political game of thrones is at its peak. All political activities are banned and no mandate seeking is allowed in Pakistan. otherwise those who are seeking mandate will either incarcerated or will go to jail. which is going to be the dark chapter in the history of Pakistan. It carries several repercussions at its way. As famously said by Malecha Loelhi in her July article that, if politics and economics continue to collide, then a bleak future awaits Pakistan. which is a clear manifestation of how and what portion of role plays a political mandate. which is not out of reason and rationale and that's why people are joining and embracing handshakes in order to take the right of mandate. Force is also used beyond the limits but it has no extended future and polls are announced.

The practice to inflicting harms and silencing students are very common in the wake of popularity of the private sector. The private sectors possess various setbacks and structural flaws which inflicts harm on the students in order to hide those flaws. Every move of the students are discouraged which can be an existential threat for the institutions. Not only private sector, but also public sector applies these measures of inflictions in order to make the students silent. The students are getting aware of the secret that they are facing deception on the famous slogan of educating the nation. The students awareness is a real agent for the change of nation's fate. It drives prosperity and development of the country and needed to be addressed at the earliest. The arguments and protests of the students are valid because they waste money and time which are needed to be placed at the right direction. But this part is hard for the private and public sector to realize and act upon their demands and directions. And thus they come up with force and silence them with using inflictions on them.

In short, the statement, the one who is afraid of reason, resort force, is an antiquated practice. This could be as old as humanity is. But recorded in the written history of mankind. In every sphere of life, force is resorted by those who afraid to won reason. This long list includes prophets and their companions, the philosophers who used reason and who challenged the authority or pointed out the flaws. Furthermore, countries and communities who stand with valid reason and arguments, but were not accepted. And freedom fighters who became a role model for the world after struggle and facing hardships. One thing is pretty constant in all the people who stood against the authority, and it was the sticking and standing by one's arguments. Because slipping and blipping from one's point manifests the weakness of the stance. Moreover, in Pakistan, people like, peasants, students and common masses are also the victims of force without their reason being realized. In a nutshell, it is a common phenomena with a very short future, while the fate and

feature of reason is long live
and also reliable. As history has
witnessed that those who were
talking reason, have changed the
world. After suffering for short
from the higher authority.