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Introduction:

Islam is a noble system, providing guidance to every aspect of life, from managing family to soaring upward mobility in society. In this regard, its social system is its soul, emphasising all activities of life aligned with Quran, Sunnah and teachings of revered Prophet. The social system of Islam is family oriented, respecting poor and highly regarding the value of friends. The answer will explore key elements of the social system of Islam and their relevance today.

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Social System of

Islam — a definition

The social system of Islam is a clear guidance of Allah and its holy scripture Quran in conducting several social aspects of life, including but not limited to family, friend, foes and much more.

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Islam

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Social system of Islam is aligned along the principle of justice as specified by Allah, Quran and the sacred Prophet.

Introduction to Islam by Dr Hamidullah

The respect for women, men, elderly and the conduct of statesmanship, judicial affairs are all included in the social system of Islam, and are wider part of Islamic civilization

Dr Israr Ahmed

Key Features of Islamic Social System

Social System
of Islam

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Social
Justice

Economic
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Defining Social Justice

No one is superior -
no class system.

No Arab is superior
than a non-Arab, as declared
by Prophet defines Islamic
Society.

The noblest in the sight
of Allah is the one
only heedful of him

Al-Hujraat: 13

Elimination of poverty is
its top priority

Poverty is despised and
everyone is obligated to
contribute to its alleviation.

And in their wealth, there
is due share for poor
and needy.

Al-Dhariyat: 19

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The concept of domestic justice:

Women are highly respected, their chastity is valued vastly.

The chastity of women is regarded its central.

Unlike west, where women are commodified.

Do not approach adultery
Al Isra:32

Rights of women are inviolable.

The right of women are inalienable. Prophet said women and men owe themselves rights, inviolable.

And for women, there is share in what their parents and close relatives leave - whether small or large. These are obligatory shares. Al Nisa:07

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Economic justice is at its centre

The system ensures circulation of wealth:

System of circulation is designed to break instruments of concentration, viewed ultra vires to Islamic society.

And for the gains granted by Allah to his Prophet from other people's land are for Allah, Prophet, his close relative, poor and needy travellers to ensure wealth just not circulate within hands of rich. Al Hashar:

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Riba is a curse for the Society of Islam.

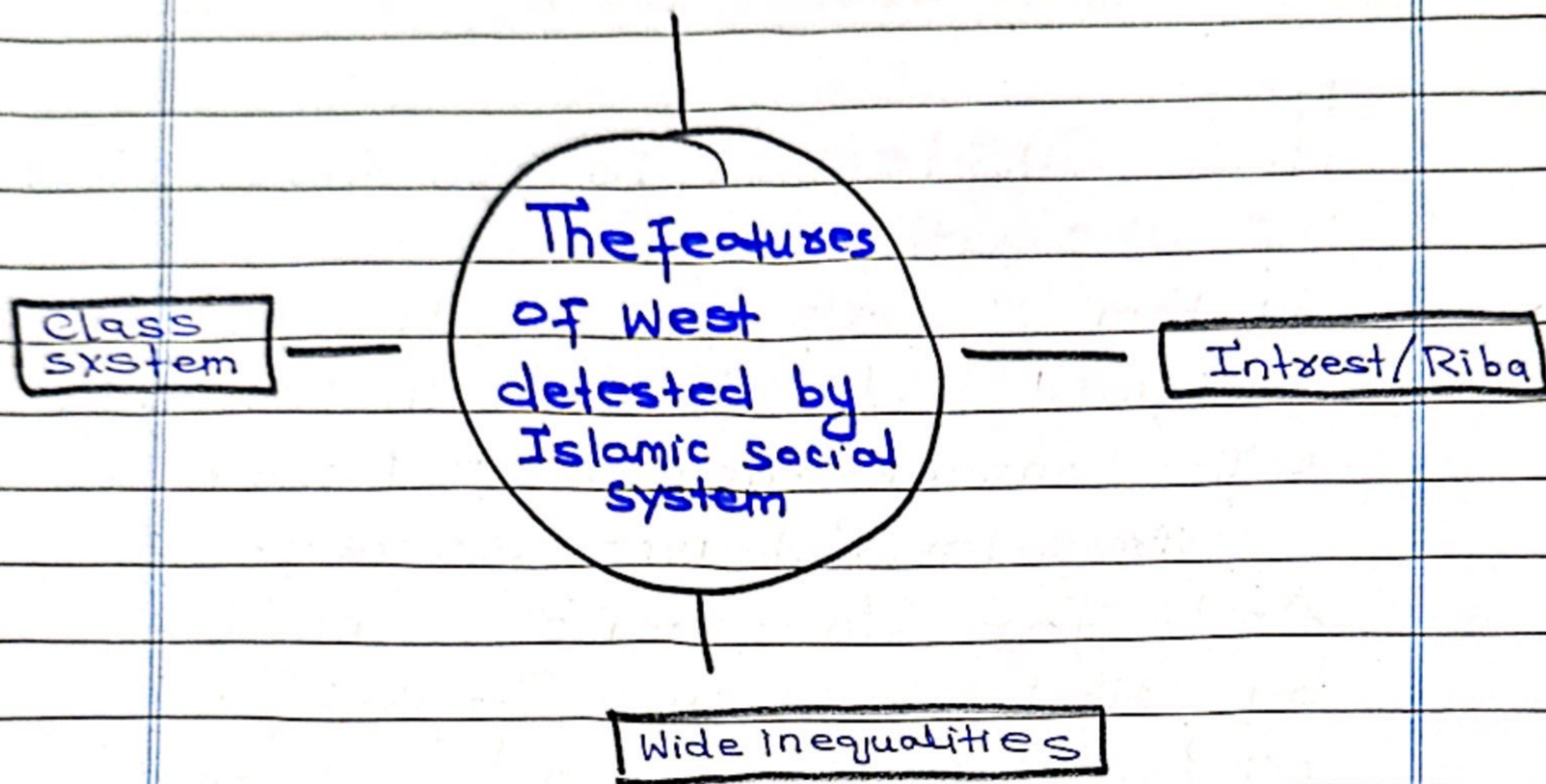
Riba cannot be countenanced as it profits off the lives of vulnerable. It is detested by Allah.

And if you do not, then because of the war against Allah

Al Baqara: 279

A Contrast to West

Adultery



Conclusion: Islam's social system is the best way to lead a life, because it ensures justice and respect for each and everyone beyond color, caste, creed and race. The system of Allah is supreme.

The social system of Islam is best because Allah has designed it.

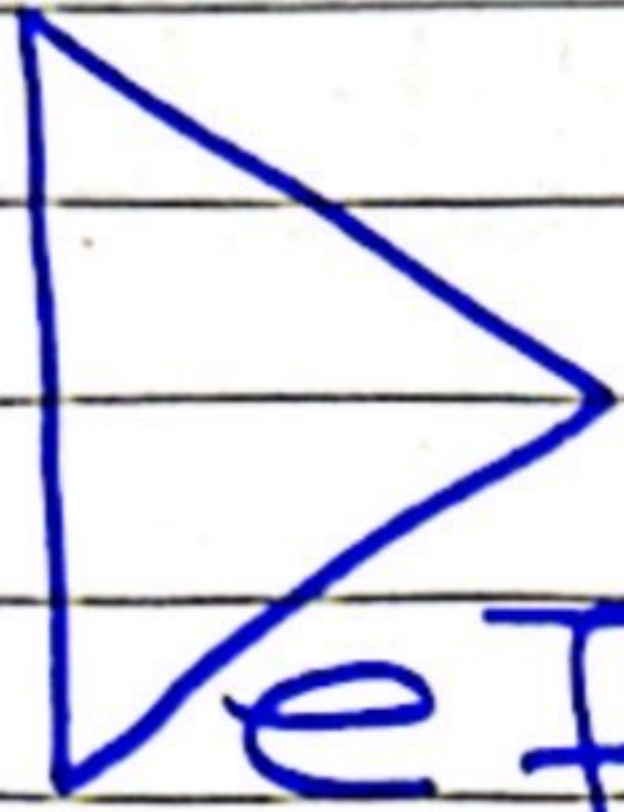
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Question # 01

Introduction:

Following the tragic events of 9/11 in the US, there has been a marked uptick in Islamophobia that dents the image of Islam as well as Muslims all around the world. For too many, the distorted image of Islam an illusion of trepidation, compelling them to pre-empt, risking lives of Muslims world over. Enemies of Islam, such as right-wing Hinduism and Zionist Israel, have played along these fears, hurting the cause of Islam. This needs to be dealt with in accordance to the teaching of holy Quran and sunnah. This answer will expose the manifestation of Islamophobia, culminating in remedial measures to put to rest Islamophobia.

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Defining Islamophobia

Islamophobia is an effort to paint Islam in negative terms, which has been intensified following the events of 9/11

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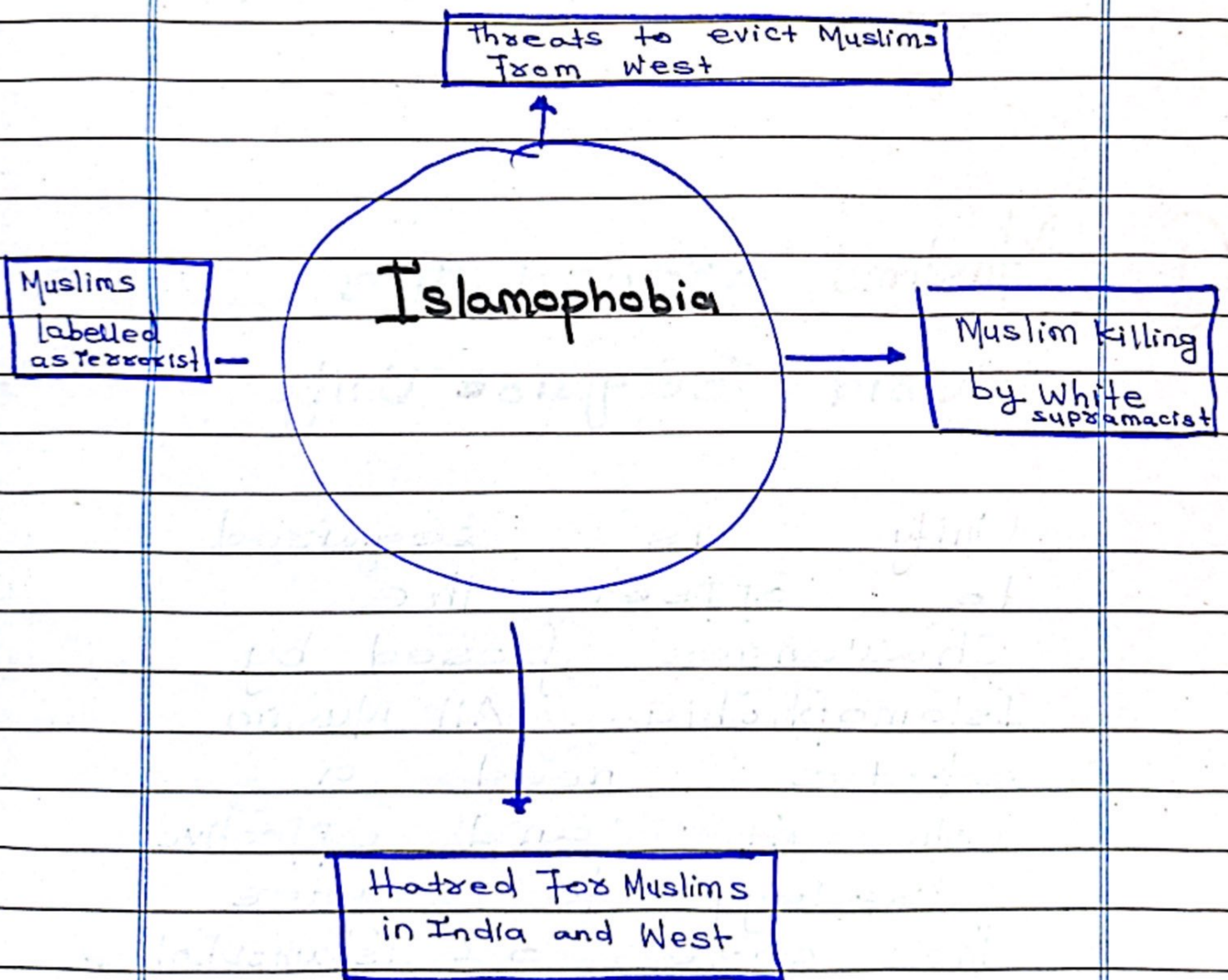
Islamophobia is a fear of Islam and Muslims due to unfounded experiences of Western Society

Mehdi Hasan

Muslims
labelled
as terrorists

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Manifestation Of Islamophobia - A threat



Proposing Solutions to Counter Islamophobia

① Muslims around the
world require unity

Unity is required
to offset the
challenges posed by
Islamophobia. All Muslim
states need a
coherent and effective
strategy to counter
the surge of Islamophobia.

② OIC needs to project the teachings of Holy Prophet:

The role of OIC is very important to protecting Muslims from the fallout of Islamophobia

Indeed, You are of great moral character
Al-Qalam: 04

③ Clear distinctions should be made between Jihad and terrorism

There is need to make distinctions as what qualifies Jihad and what amounts to terrorism

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Digital propaganda

Of Zionist lobby needs digital response

Without winning the online narratives, the threat of Islamophobia would only deepen. Tech-savvy solutions are must.

Muslim world leaders articulate their concerns for Islamophobia in India.

Muslim leaders should make their concerns known to India for its discrimination and whipping up of sentiments against Muslims.

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Academic think tanks
Should be established to
air the peace inclinations
of Islam

Academic think tanks
aimed at tracking and
measuring the impact of
Islamophobia should be
created and words should be
spread.

Indeed, if they incline
towards peace, you should

also incline towards it

Al Anfa' - 61

A multi lateral effort is
indispensable:

A multi lateral effort
is non-negotiable
in this regard.

Writings of scholars should be translated to all languages, countering Islamophobia

The writings of great scholars of Islam should be published and shared with multi lateral and national institutes to share the true and peaceful Shade of Islam.

Conclusion

In its essence, Islamophobia is but a campaign of propaganda. Islam is word translated to peace. It should be told to everyone and everywhere. The technologies should be employed and utilized to win digital sphere.

Islam need image building in today's world
Islam at Crossroads
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