The Prophet (peace be on him) as a Model for Universal Peace and Justice

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Abstract

This paper focuses on the Prophet Muhammad (peace be on him) as an exemplary model for universal peace and justice. According to the Qur’ān, the Prophet Muḥammad (peace be on him) was, is and will always be a perfect role model for all of humanity. The Messenger (peace be on him) possessed sublime morals, an excellent example for every one who seeks pleasure of Allah and success on the Final Day, and remembers Allah in abundance. Allah endowed him with an exalted standard of character for all mankind to emulate. The Sirah (life conduct) of the Prophet Muḥammad (peace be on him), thus, also presents a modus operandi for implementation of universal peace and justice transcending racial and national boundaries. Evidence from the annals of authoritative Islamic history, Sirah works and the collections of Hadith is drawn upon in this paper to identify from the articulations and practices of the Prophet Muḥammad (peace be on him) the modus operandi for peaceful implementation of universal peace and justice in the present global scenario.

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