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"Most powerful Blackman in America." Reader's Digest
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According to countless mainstream news organs, Elijah Muhammad, by far, was the most powerful black man in America. Known more for the students he produced, like Malcolm X, Louis Farrakhan and Muhammad Ali, this controversial man exposed the black man as well as the world to a teaching, till now, was only used behind closed doors of high degree Masons and Shriners. An easy and smart read. The book approaches the question of what and who is God. It compares the concept held by religions to nature and mathematics. It also explores the origin of the original man, mankind, devil, heaven and hell. Its title, Message To The Blackman, is directed to the American Blacks specifically, but addresses blacks universally as well.


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The Message To The Blackman in America was my first encounter with a Real Powerful Black man dedicated to God (Allah) who was successful in life at bringing us together for the establishment of a Righteous, Peaceful, Equal and Harmonious civilization right here on earth NOW! With that said, Islam - means "Peace" and the only way to have peace and to affect peace into this world is through - Submitting your Will to do the Will of God (Allah). By aligning our Mind and Will with the Will of God all things become possible. The Nation of Islam (NOI) does not teach "Arab Culture" as
Arab Culture for some strange reason has become identified with Islam. So do not pick up this book expecting to learn about Arab Culture. The Hon. Elijah Muhammad nor Min. Farrakhan teaches Arab Culture and many who claim Islam are angry with them and their followers for this reason alone. It teaches Islam as defined by God (Allah) and the Holy Quran. The Hon. Elijah Muhammad said he met with God (the Supreme Being) in the Person (or physical appearance) of Master Fard Muhammad. That He (Master Fard Muhammad) proved clearly to him that he was indeed who he said he was, God. Now, if The Hon. Elijah Muhammad has indeed met with God (Allah) and submitted his Will to do the Will of God (Allah), then he should be successful in the Mission that God (Allah) has given him, which The Hon Elijah Muhammad says is to uplift Black people in America. Which means to me, waking them up to who they really are and showing them by example what the can have here and now. Once that is done, to take what we have and give it to humanity for the establishment of peace.

Although I am an admirer of many things The Honorable Elijah Muhammad stood for, such as the economic development of Black communities and his anti-imperialist stance, many of his teachings are to be sharply criticized on logical grounds. I attended Mosque #1 in Detroit, Michigan for almost a year, have read all of Elijah Muhammad’s book, and listened to most of his speeches released on audio cassettes, so I believe I am qualified to speak on the Nation of Islam. Elijah Muhammad’s first mistake is that he presupposes that the Bible and Qur’an are true, so he quotes them with authority to “validate” what he’s saying. Did it ever occur to him that the credibility of both books relies simply on “faith”, and the dependability of the existence of many characters in the Bible is called into question? So before he even quotes the Bible or Qur’an, it’d be nice to see him substantiate them. Second, the Yacub myth is utter nonsense, and no scientist in the world corroborated this version based on what Fard said, and nothing more. While it’s a confirmed fact that human origins lie in Africa, the means by which all other races were "created" cannot be said to have been done by a genetic experiment by a big headed scientist named Yacub with his thousands of followers, also to have been predicted 8,400 years in advance by 24 other scientists (where is the proof for that?). Apparently Elijah Muhammad is not aware why different people have different physical features, based mostly on climate. For example, curly hair and dark skin is advantageous for people living in hotter climates, while lighter skin and additional body hair is beneficial to people in colder areas. But to the mind of Elijah Muhammad, he manufactures a correlation to these differences to make one good and the other evil.

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