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A Medium Multi-Role Combat Aircraft (MMRCA), the need of which was desperately felt in the Kargil war in 1999, is finally going to be a reality. By next month or so, we expect that half squadron strength of Rafale will be flown out by the IAF from France to some part of India in the coming months. The Defence minister having received the first aircraft in France in Sep 19 and the IAF chief having resurrected "The Golden Arrows" No. 17 Squadron, the stage is set for the Rafale to be operational in the near future. The officers of the squadron, both pilots and maintenance staff are presently being trained in France for the last few months. It is certain that the Rafale aircraft is finally coming.

Twenty long years of wait that saw some very well-intentioned efforts and some not so transparent acts on part of the various govts, is finally materialising. The file was moved in 2001, Request for Proposal (RFP) was prepared by the IAF and the global tender for 126 aircraft could only be issued in 2007 due to various reasons, one being the advanced means of working out the total life time cost worked out jointly by the IAF and the finance ministry in the preparation of RFP. Apart from Rafale, the other five contenders were the Boeing F/A-18E/F, Eurofighter Typhoon, Lockheed Martin F-16, RSK MiG-35 and Saab Gripen. An extensive flight and technical trials started in 2009 that concluded in 2011 with Rafale & Eurofighter having met the IAF requirements. Then came the lull. A tug of war in the govt itself, the licensed production by HAL was in jeopardy for two reasons...OEM wary of certifying HAL production schedules and HAL demanding 2.7 times of OEM man-power requirement. HAL and Dassault just could not resolve the issues relating to the manufacture of the 108 aircraft in India for over three years. Some speculations were also rife that Defence Minister succumbed to pressure from 'the family of influence' bringing in the Bhandari-Vadra factor that played the spoil sport, demanding their own share of the pound of flesh. Whatever be the reason, the deal could not go through and the IAF suffered in the hands of the insensitive UPA govt, unable to sign the deal. The situation for the IAF was precarious in 2014-15 when some urgent measures had to be adopted. The think-tanks in IAF and the MoD under the Modi govt got together to work out the solution.

Any decision on procurement of high budget defence equipment in past, have been marred by corruption & scams and the Modi govt that came on the electoral plank of being clean and transparent, did not want to dirty its hands. Negotiations started again for Rafale. French Dassault unyielding to the HAL issues as above, and urgency of the IAF demanding some immediate solution, an alternate formula was worked out. Procure 2 squadron of aircraft, all in fly-away condition but with new weapon...the newly developed "Meteor" missile, an active radar guided beyond-visual-range air-to-air missile (BVRAAM).It offered a multi-shot capability against long range manoeuvring targets in a heavy electronic countermeasures (ECM) environment, with a range in excess of 100 km. In addition, some Indian specific enhancements and upgrades that were considered essential in view of the advancements the world over in the decade that went by during the long procurement process, were also sought to be incorporated that were not in its 2007 RFP. These included customized add-ons, the so-called India Specific Enhancements in the form of helmet mounted-display sights (HMDS), a new electronic warfare package, infrared search-and-track sensors as well as a cold weather engine start up field-gear for operating from high-altitude airfields.

With the above add-on specifications, the two heads of States were able to agree in principle in 2015 to the purchase of lesser (36) numbers of aircraft under Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA), at the same cost quoted as quoted for 126 aircraft in 2008 (+ escalation of the number of years) and adding part of the development cost of the BVRAAM and India specific Enhancements that had to be worked out by the price negotiating teams later. It was a win-win for both govts.

Following a series of meetings by the two govt over more than a year between the Dassault and the IAF, the price was negotiated and the deal signed in 2016 for the delivery of all 36 aircraft in fly-away condition. The delivery was to

commence in Sep 2019 and completed by 2022. Thereafter lot of storms were created by Rahul Gandhi through numerous allegations created on daily basis during the 2018 elections in MP/Rajasthan/Chhattisgarh. In fact Rahul Gandhi found it a suitable platform to fabricate a series of lies on Rafale price and selection of the Offset partner by the OEM (known those days as #PappuLies in social media) along with a slogan of "Chowkidar Chor Hai". Modi govt had no firm answers to the unfounded allegations and lost elections in all those 3 states. It was sheer luck for Modi govt that the Supreme Court verdict on Rafale came before the Lok Sabha election 2019 that gave a clean chit to the Modi Govt. This paved the way for a clean sweep for him. However, all said and done, Rahul Gandhi truly tormented the Modi govt during 2019 LS election with those "#PappuLies" and "#PappuPollPromises" and kept BJP busy explaining. One such explanation on tweeter is displayed here. Thanks to Modi govt who did not buckle under the pressure of the opposition on the issue of Rafale purchase. Should they have agreed for a JPC on "Rafale" its procurement would surely be delayed indefinitely if not cancelled...and in the process, IAF would have suffered the most in its defence preparedness.

There are however, some issues though which the IAF, the MoD and the Fin ministry have intentionally or unintentionally failed to address. These include the followings:-

1. We know most of the emergent/urgent procurement of the aircraft in past have been 2 Squadrons strength? However, why not cater for the losses & attritions bound to take place in the coming years? The IAF aircraft accident rate in recent years have been 0.25 to 0.6 per 10,000 hrs of flying. This important variable should have been catered for in the purchase.
2. Having already paid the developmental cost of the BVRAAM and India specific Enhancement, why not negotiate with OEM to buy additional aircraft which will cost much lesser? These additional units can be manufactured in India under license, ToT or Make in India pgm.
3. We know HAL is sluggish in manufacture as well as in the maintenance of aircraft. Why not enhance their capabilities of quality and quantity? Why not address the issues that Dassault were unhappy, unyielding to HAL, unwilling for manufacture in India?

Under the IGA for the high-end purchase, there is no middlemen involved, so no chance of corruption. One can be assured that the tax-payers' money is going to right place, the OEM. Every penny is accounted for. Dassault, the OEM has started timely delivery of the aircraft. The OEM will also ensure at least 75% serviceability of the aircraft at all times during its maintenance contract which will be beneficial in the IAF operations. So not very far in time, we should see the Rafale flying in the Ambala sky....as the Pride of IAF and a scare to the enemies. **Wishing the IAF and my erstwhile units No. 17 Sqn and No. 101 Sqn the very best of the flying. May they "Touch the sky with glory" !**

#### #PappuLies & Dis-information:

- **चौकीदार चोर है** : Pappu lies...SC confirmed 'no scam in Rafale deal'...It was amusing as Rahul & Sonia Gandhi, on bail for chori & fraud, are making such allegations.
- **मोदी-सरकार ने विकास पर कुछ नहीं किया** : A lie.. Max Dev in Modi's 4.5 yrs.
- **BJP किसान विरोधी है** : A lie..., govt done most for farmers...
- **BJP दलित विरोधी है** : When the facts are otherwise...
- **BJP युवा विरोधी है** : When the fact is otherwise...
- **मोदीजी ने रफाल का ३०००० करोड़ अम्बानी को दे दिया** : A factual Lie...
- **BJP के आने से बेरोज़गारी बढ़ गयी** : A Lie...>13 Cr self-employment
- **BJP संविधान को समाप्त कर रही है** : A blatant Lie..
- **फसल बीमा का पैसा मोदीजी ने अम्बानी को दे दिया** : A Pappu Lie...
- **मोदीजी सिर्फ बड़े बड़े उद्योगपतियों का कर्ज़ माफ़ किया**: A pure Pappu lie...
- **देश की अर्थ-व्यवस्था चरमरा गयी है** : A Lie.. Ind highest growing economy

## The Troubled Indian Elections...

Come the state or union elections in India, a very significant change comes in the air, environment, the society, the people and worse, the polity of India. All these happenings give an indication that there is a war of perception, battle of survival, a competition of one-upmanship.

The environment is filled with some new expectations as if something new is going to take place. New posters, banners, pamphlets start being seen. The decibel levels of noise goes up. The number of motor vehicles plying on the roads multiply, decorated with banners and party flags. Numerous flags of various colours are visible. It is so difficult to remember which flag belongs to which party. However, one distinction is kept discrete....the Hindu leaning parties have dominance of saffron colour whereas the Muslim appeasing parties keep Green colour a prominence in appearance. There was a time before Modi's BJP came to power in centre....that most of the political parties mulling 'vote-bank' politics used to paint themselves in a colour seemingly appearing Muslim appeasing but of late, there is a change in perception...some political parties are trying to be seen as the champions of the cause of Hindu. This is significant in the recent years. Earlier, anyone having spoken the concerns of the majority Hindu, were painted as being communal to who no Muslim should vote. But of late, even the champions of the Muslims are seen making a bee-line to the famous temples, prominently putting on "*Janeu*" the sacred thread and sporting '*tilak and chandan*' on their foreheads.

It has been known in the Indian politics that strange bed-fellows come together to test the taste of power game. However, very few ***Pre-poll alliances*** as commitment were known. Bharat Ratna Bajpayeeji in late 1990s demonstrated that coalition politics is possible. BJP for the first time, had a broader political pre-poll alliance with 24 parties in 1999. ***More the numbers of the alliance partners, better were the chances of winning elections.*** Those parties will bargain hard to get, at times giving impression of being at the brinks, to get as many seats in the alliance. A party that had won 1 seat in the previous election will bargain for 10 and it becomes an uphill task to thrash out the differences. Then the political parties with similar agenda will come together, work out a common minimum program and go to the election on those common agenda.

Next comes ***the distribution and sale of party tickets***. Some party have strict eligibility criteria of giving party tickets others frame their rules to suit themselves, for maneuvering if required. There enters the corruptions. Many political parties of the likes of Mayawati's BSP, Kejriwals' AAP have been alleged to have sold their tickets at anything between rupees 1 Cr to 5 Cr each. However, it is not only the party ticket that has a cost, the money power can be seen talking at all stages of the election.

***Selection of candidates*** on religious, caste, winability criteria. Although all political parties aim to have candidates who can win as many seats, considerations are also given on the target voter populations. If there is a constituency with >70% Muslims, more often than not, the political parties will try to field a Muslim candidate. In such locality a non-Hindu candidate of even Muslim appeasing parties is unlikely to win. It is however, different in a Hindu majority constituency where even a Muslim or the others may be elected. In general however, in any constituency predominantly of a particular ethnicity or caste, a candidate of similar identity is preferred.

***Making of the party manifesto***, promises and freebees. This used to be a non-issue in the elections before year 1999 when it was understood that the parties make false promises. For the first time Bajpayeeji led NDA made some promises in 1999 Lok Sabha elections that he tried to fulfill. For the first time his govt made India look up in most aspects, be it development, economy, defence, education and so on. However, the coalition compulsions clearly curtailed his efforts. Yet, the progress was distinct. This made his NDA to put a slogan of 'rising India' in 2004 election. However, Sonia Gandhi and Rahul Gandhi combination mounted a massive '*lie campaign*' against him as a result he lost the election to the Congress led UPA. This was another demonstration that Indian elections can be won without agenda, by just criticizing the achievements of the previous govt by bundle of lies. The UPA govt performance from 2004-2009 was disastrous. They knew they had no hope. Hence, the '***politics of freebees***' started thereafter. UPA made the last ditch effort of the



farmer's loan waver and a near-free ration distribution to the BPL. These populist measures made them to win election in 2009. However, the numerous scams of the govt, their non-performance, rising inflation and the cost of living made their status untenable. Shri Narendra Modi was declared the Prime Ministerial candidate for BJP who had already provided a development model governance for Gujarat. He made the poll promises of Development and corruption-free govt as the main plank and won the 2014 election with thumping majority. None were sure how Modi won, was chosen for his promise of Development on Gujarat model, for his Hindutva image during his 3 tenures as CM to get rid of scam-ridden Congress.

**Preparations for electioneering** involves substantial expenditures in making materials in the form of the banners, life-size posters, hand-outs, pamphlets and so on. Then comes the nominating big wicks to larger electioneering campaigns and meeting while the lower ranks continue doing the canvassing at the family, society, village levels. Politicians often resort to the hiring of the 'non-party cadres', targeting to influence the floating electorates who have not made-up their minds. The dirty electoral politics have made some electorate also corrupt who wish to sell their votes for cash or kind.

**Managing the digital media and influencing the voters through it** is a big task that most of the political parties try project themselves as an alternative to the current govt. It has become a trend for the parties in opposition to hit their new low on morality to show the govt down. They level false allegations, trend lies. One such elections were the 2018 MP/Chhattisgarh/Rajasthan poll. All poll pundits were convinced that BJP will win hands down. The achievements of BJP at both the centre and to some extent in those states were so overwhelming that it was an uphill task for anyone to dent their image. Then came the #PappuLies as it was known in social media Twitter. Rahul Gandhi went on offensive manufacturing several lies, his best being 'Chowkidar Chor hai'. He had set-up a team of highly abled media handlers led by Surjebala to fabricate the lies. Every other day some lies were fabricated and narrated in the media and the debate would start. And the best was the follow-up of those lies with the entire congress support brigade of the likes of Surjebala, Singhvi, Tiwari, Sibbal, Priyanka...you name it. The narratives of the lies day & night, echoing on almost all media, were very effective as the govt was kept busy clarifying without credible evidence to counter the allegations. Before a clean chit was given by the Supreme Court in December 2018, elections in those 3 states were lost. In 2004 election when Sonia Gandhi adopted similar method of hit and run with lies & allegations against Bajpayee govt, Rahul Gandhi was unmatched in his art of making false allegations and lies in 2018. The digital media has lot at stake when it does carry out the opinion polls. There are allegations of biased and paid media projecting a particular political as possible winner. Such projections do influence the votes of the fence-sitters.



After Narendra Modi brought the concept of the **reaching the electorate through social media** both before and during elections, the roles of these media have changed. These media platforms were very effectively managed by Rahul Gandhi led Congress in 2018 and 2019 elections too, fabricating and supporting #PappuLies. **Modi was extremely lucky that Supreme Court Verdict came much before the 2019 Lok Sabha elections with a clean-chit given to him.** Even then,

Congress raised enough storms....**by undermining the institutions of democracy**...the Supreme court, the Reserve Bank of India, The Central Bureau of Investigation, the Central Vigilance Commission, the Central Bureau of Investigation, the Election Commission....and so on. Such manipulation of media are ever increasing.

#### Congress demeaning prestigious Estts:

- Questioned & denigrated **Chief Election commission** time & again.
- Abused Ex-CJI raised false impeachment.
- **Abused PM Narendra Modi** with false allegation, called him "Chor".
- **Dragged the CBI office** in bribery issues.
- Demeaned the **Chief Vigilance Commissioner** with false allegations.
- Called **Army Chief** "Sadak ka Gunda"...demeaning his high office.
- Questioned credibility of **Supreme Court** in verdicts incl Loya, NRC, Rafale.
- Abusing **Income Tax Deptt** being caught for frauds in National Herald case.
- Calling the **Air Force Chief** a "Liar" in SC judgement on Rafale.
- Almost brought HAL management in confrontation with the Defence...

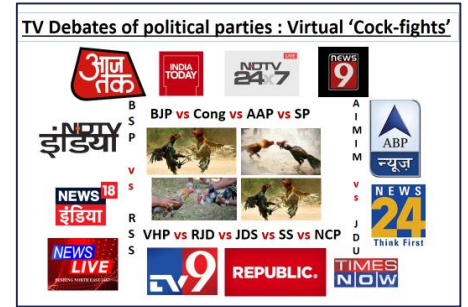
There are daily wars between the warring political parties in media. It virtually seems like **cock-fights** with the TV anchors shaping the fights. Political party representatives have come to blows in some such TV discussions and debates.

In **the mocking game**, the opposition parties do not spare anyone...be it the govt of the day, the Election Commission, the bureaucracy, the CM, the PM, the NGOs, various other organisations and the worst, even the Armed Forces having some laudable bravery acts during the tenure of the govt of the day....all are in the firing line, none are spared. If RSS chief speaks anything, it becomes an issue.

The languages against the men of repute often become highly objectionable but swallowed in the name of the “freedom of speech”. War of perceptions are created. What is **the fact on ground, becomes inconsequential but how it is perceived, becomes important** for them. For example, the LPG connections to the >6 Cr poor women under Modi govt “Ujjwala” scheme were mocked as a farce by Congress party only because a few of the poor either could not afford a re-fill cylinder or preferred their traditional fuel of readily available straws, wood and cow-dung over the LPG. **Gone are the days when the elections used to be fought on the party principles**. These days, the elections are fought to win at any cost...साम, दाम, दंड, भेद ....all means adopted. Hardly any political party refrains from naming and shaming the adversaries. Some have even hurled abuses, shamed the family. Antecedents of the adversaries are looked in with magnifying glasses and discussed in public meetings to extract some mileage out of anything. Decencies in the talks have been forgotten far behind in the battle for electoral wins. PM Narendra Modi’s suit, his parents, his wife, Rahul and Sonia Gandhi’s parents among numerous others have been dragged in to the controversies in the election rallies.

The EVMs will be blamed by all parties who fear to loose but when called by the CEC to demonstrate any kind of tampering, they will refrain.

**During the elections, there seems to be a fight for survival**...between India & Pak, between nationalists & anti-nationalists, between chors & police, between the good & evils as if the third world war has started. The prevailing battle noise indicates as if the heavens have fallen. The moment voting process is over, an anxious calm prevails of unease, of expectations. The TV media again becomes hyperactive with various Exit-polls which many a times do predict the mood of the voters but sometimes, falls flat too. After the results are declared, the losers put the blame on the EVMs. This is Indian elections.



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## Jamia Firing by a juvenile: allegiance to Bajrang Dal?

It is absolutely ridiculous how Shaheenbagh and other anti-CAA protests are inciting anger against the seemingly anti-govt, anti-national and anti-Hindu Communal protest. Anti-govt protests, as long as it remains peaceful, is Ok, our fundamental right. Slogans against CAA too, may be Ok but calling it undemocratic, is not Ok because this act has come after it has been democratically voted by the majority in both houses of the Parliament. Calling it unconstitutional by the ignorant politicians and Muslims citizen may be Ok till the time it can be proved in the court of law, not on Shaheenbag road drama. The protesting Muslims' dirty communal agenda are in full public views as they are asking citizenship rights for the Muslims of Pak/Afghan/Bangladesh who were citizen of those Islamic nations partitioned for the Muslims only, on Communal basis. They can never be persecuted for their religion. This is not acceptable to the nationalist Indians.

The most popular PM of Indian History is compared to Hitler and there are chants of killing him. This is not OK. The chants of Azadi....of Jinnah or of Kashmir, is just not acceptable. And these chants are promoted and initiated by the same groups of Muslim Radicals, their Congress supporters and Communist goons who bear allegiance to the "Tukde-Tukde" gang. The high numbers of Muslims joining the anti-CAA protests are worrying. It seems they want the non-Muslims of erstwhile India to continue religious persecution in those Islamic states. This is the mindset of Indian Muslims who are on roads for Muslim cause in Islamic nations....for none of these issue pertain to any Indian citizen. Although not all Muslims have this mindset, but it is surely difficult to guess who among the Muslims are not with the fanatics, joining anti-CAA protests.

It is certain that the CAA is for the non-Muslims (the erstwhile Indians) persecuted in the 3 Islamic nations adjoining India and has nothing to do with our citizen. In that sense, any one protesting, are seemingly supporting the Human Rights violation by those Muslim states. It is also the fact that growing percentage of Muslims in India, at the rate of almost 150% of others, are concern for Hindu because it will surely lead to situations when they will become minority and may have to flee from own lands... just like what happened in Kashmir, Kairana, Muzaffarnagar, Merut and Muslim dominated areas in Bengal. All these only have reconfirmed that Muslims have intolerance towards Hindu as well as other non-Muslims the world over.... Be it Pak, Afghanistan, Bangladesh; Yezdis in Iraq; Christians in Egypt, Syria...and so on.

Changing religious demography of India in which Muslims have grown from 9% in 1951 to nearly 16% by now and Hindu have reduced almost by same margin, is a matter to be worried about. So the reaction against changing religious demography among the Hindu of India are genuine. This is also true that Muslim population continue growing at 150% of the others. They often have more than one wife, none keen for small family norms or family planning. Then....ISIS giving a call for global caliphate by their sheer numbers and radical approach assisted by global jihad as one of the seven tenets of Islam, are all visible. "Jihad" widely followed by the radical Muslims are showing ugly faces all over the world. It is so **difficult to make distinction among 170 odd Islamic Jihadi organisations** the world over. In view of all these, the unease of growing Muslim population in India having several radical groups such as SIMI, PFI, JeI and the terror group of Pakistan like LeT, JeM and others finding its recruits among Indian Muslims, are matters of Hindu unease. It is natural that such unease causes some reactionary response among Hindu (like the formation of Bajrang dal) which essentially are sensitive to Muslim expansionism and radicalism as well as conversions of the Hindu by both Muslims and Christian clerics. They have indulged in conversion related violence on churches and 'ghar wapsi' of some of the recently converted Muslims.

**Approx. 170 Islamic Radical & Terrorist Org have one common factor: They all work on "Jihad" as one of the seven tenets of Islam**



So, coming to the firing at Shahhenbagh, did the juvenile youth brandishing a local made pistol, reacted to the CAA-protestors for their anti-Hindu and anti-national acts as described above? Even if he did, it is not justified, condemnable...and if Bajrang dal is involved, it is highly condemnable and cowardice act. If Bajrang dal is really working to safe-guard the cause of Hindu anxiety and unease as described above, they should really start behaving like a Pak/Afgh Taliban group as so often alleged by the pseudo-secularists of our nation.....and then the Govt must also treat them how Pak/Afgh govts are treating Taliban, rendering a politico-social status. However, the cowardice acts of brandishing local made country pistol by one odd activist is not the answer to the Hindu anger. Just like what Taliban does with the non-Muslims in Islamic States, whom they call “Kafirs”, for furthering the Islamic causes, the cadres of Bajrang dal should be able to do the same to the Muslims whom they often call ‘Katuas’, who are harming the interest of the Indian Religions and its ideologies.....

The Shaheenbagh protest is no longer against CAA. It is bringing out the ugly face of the Communal Muslims in India. Muslims whether in India or in non-Islamic States elsewhere, will remain communal, Islam centric, intolerant to other religions and faiths and ready to revolt against other religions. They will not hesitate to join “Jihad” as and when any such calls are made by the Mullahs or other radical Islamic groups. So the present CAA protest may fade away. But the moment Uniform Civil Code, a smaller family norm, an anti-terror laws are enacted, the dirty face of the Communal Muslims will be seen again, revolting against own nation, own citizen. They may not hesitate to kill numerous other ‘Niraj Prajapati’ of Lohargadda for showing allegiance to such acts. Then either the State has to act against these ‘jihadis’ with firm hand or the organisations like Bajrang dal will try to behave like the Taliban of the Islamic nations. It is very possible that in the next Shaheenbaghs, their may be a reactionary nationalist group out to take law in their own hands, actually intending to shoot the anti-nationals. Then the current slagan of “Goli maaro...” will actually become a real possibility that any sane Hindu will be ashamed of. That will be the beginning of Hindu Taliban...that we do not want. We just hope that the Muslims of India bear allegiance to Vedic principles of peace and harmony. That they do not show any sign of the Islamic radicalism and terrorism in India. That they bear in mind the majority Hindu apprehensions of them and be sensitive to it. That they do not fall prey to the political vulturism on the ‘vote-bank’ politicians. That they do not indulge in the acts of mob violence what happened in CAA protests.

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### "भाई-चारा"

From the chief editor's desk



जब से बीजेपी सत्ता में आयी है, मुस्लिम, कांग्रेस, सीपीएम, टीएमसी..और जाने कितने पार्टियों के नेताओं के द्वारा कहा जाता है कि मोदी ने हिन्दू और मुस्लिम को डिवाइड कर दिया है। मैं भी बहुतों की तरह आज सोचने के लिए बाध्य हो गयी हूँ कि क्या पहले ये साथ-साथ थे? क्या ये अलग-अलग नहीं थे? अगर सरसरी निगाह भी डालो तो पाओगे कि शायद इस्लाम के अनुआयियों के साथ अन्य कोई भी धार्मिक समुदाय कभी भी सुरक्षित नहीं थे! हिन्दू भाई-चारा बनाये रखने के लिए मजबूर थे और मुसलमान अपने हिन्दू-भाइयों को येन-केन-प्रकारेण लूटने, अपमानित करने, उनकी सम्पत्तियों पर कब्जा करने, उनके धार्मिक स्थानों को दूषित करने, उन्हें मानसिक रूप से दुःखी या प्रताड़ित करने, दंगा-फ़साद करने के लिए स्वतंत्र थे। विभिन्न आतंकी संगठनों का संरक्षण मुसलमानों को प्राप्त था। लव-जिहाद, मेडिकल-जिहाद, हिन्दू या अन्य धार्मिक समुदाय की औरतों का रेप, कन्वर्शन आदि शांतिपूर्ण ढंग से करने के लिए, आतंकियों को मौन समर्थन देने के लिए, उनका मनोबल बढ़ा हुआ था।

काँग्रेस सरकार सेक्युलर के नाम से इसका संरक्षण करती थी तथा जहाँ कहीं, जिस प्रखण्ड में मुस्लिम अधिकारी उच्च पोस्ट पर या वहाँ के लोकल नेता होते थे, वो अनैतिक, अधार्मिक, और अत्याचारों वाली कार्यवाही को चुपचाप प्रोत्साहित करते हुए, कम्प्लेन दर्ज करने, सुनवाही करने से भी आँख मूँद लेते थे। शायद हिन्दुओं को चुपचाप सहते रहने देने वाली सरकार ही भाई-चारे की भावना को सलामत रखती थी क्योंकि सिर्फ गरीब हिन्दू-समुदाय ही पिसते थे। मुस्लिम और अन्य अल्पसंख्यक समुदायों को खुश करने के लिए बहुसंख्यक हिन्दू और उच्चजाति के समुदाय को निरंतर उपेक्षित किया जाता रहा। अथक परिश्रम के बाद भी मूंगफली के कुछ दाने की तरह कुछ मूलभूत सुविधाएँ ही हिन्दू समुदाय के लोगों को मिलती रही है। धीमी गति तथा सुनियोजित तरीके से हिन्दुओं का धर्मांतरण, हत्याएं तथा उन्हें स्वयं की जमीनों पर से भागने, उनकी सम्पत्ति को औने-पौने दाम पर बेचने के लिए मजबूर किया जाता रहा है।

कश्मीर में पाकिस्तानियों ने नहीं, कश्मीरी पण्डितों के साथ भाई-चारा का सम्बन्ध रखने वाले उनके क्रूर मुसलमान भाइयों ने ही उनका कत्लेआम किया था, उनकी औरतों को अपमानित कर उनके साथ बदसलूकी की थी, उनके घर, जमीन और सम्पत्तियों से बेदखल करने वाले लोग भी उन्हीं के पड़ोसी, मित्र और क्रूर-जिहादी मुस्लिम भाई ही रहे थे। शायद उस समय के गृह-मंत्री, मुख्यमंत्री तथा किसी-भी लोकल सरकारी अफसर, नेताओं, काँग्रेसी, कम्प्यूनिस्ट के नेताओं को अलगाव वाद की भावना नहीं दिखाई दे रही थी और न ही कोई विभेदीकरण दिखाई दे रहा था क्योंकि हिन्दू-बहुल देश में हिन्दुओं को लूटा-मारा और बेघर किया जा रहा था। इसे आवाम की क्रांति का नाम देकर मुस्लिम के लोकल नेताओं, अलगाववादियों, कट्टर पंथियों ने आँख बन्द कर मौन धारण कर हिन्दुओं पर होने वाले अत्याचारों से उनके पलायन को बढ़ावा ही दिया था। सैकड़ों उदाहरण काँग्रेस सरकार में भाई-चारे के अनैतिक कारनामों से भरे पड़े हैं जिसमें भाई-चारे शब्द का अर्थ ही अनर्थ को परिभाषित करता है। यह विशेष समुदाय द्वारा विशेषाधिकार के तहत या पर्सनल लॉ के रूप में क्रियान्वित कर इस्लाम के अलावे अन्य धार्मिक-समुदायों को मुश्किलों में धकेला जाता है।

शायद भाई-चारा दिखाते हुए ही गोधरा के ट्रेन में रामभक्तों को जिंदा जला दिया गया और सेक्युलर कहलाये जाने वाले नेताओं को कोई फर्क नहीं पड़ा। भागलपुर में हिन्दुओं का कत्लेआम या दंगा-फ़साद, बॉम्बे में अब्दुल कसाब, अफजल गुरु तथा अन्य आतंकियों का हमला, सीरियल बॉम्ब ब्लास्ट, दिल्ली के दंगों में सरदारों का कत्लेआम या जिंदा जलना मामूली बात थी जिसकी चर्चा काँग्रेस नहीं करना चाहती है। बड़ी ही चालाकी और शान्ति पूर्ण ढंग से हिन्दुओं को घाव मिलते रहना, आम गरीब जनता का मुस्लिम या क्रिश्चियन में धर्मांतरण होते रहना, मुस्लिम और क्रिश्चियन समुदाय को टैक्स के पैसे से विभिन्न प्रकार का फायदा पहुंचाते रहना तथा कथित भाई-चारे के समर्थकों के लिए आम बात थी।

खालिस्तान की आग में भड़के पंजाब में भी आये दिनों हिन्दुओं को सिख समुदाय से अलग बता कर दंगे में मरवाना भी शायद भाई-चारा बनाये रखने के समर्थन का ही प्रतीक था। हिन्दू भावुक होते हैं, विश्वास भी नेताओं पर आसानी से कर लेते हैं। परिणाम स्वरूप वे धोखाधड़ी और जालसाजी के शिकार आसानी से हो जाते हैं। आत्म चिंतन, विश्वशान्ति, अहिंसा एवं त्याग के पाठ को प्रायोगिक रूप से व्यवहार में कार्यान्वित करने के चक्कर में वे इन बातों से अनभिज्ञ रहते हैं कि सामने वाले खूँखार कसाई के हाथ में तलवार है जिन्होंने आत्मचिंतन, अहिंसा या त्याग का पाठ नहीं पढ़ा है।

उन्हें बचपन से ही ऐसे संस्कारों में ढाला जाता है जहाँ अन्य धर्म के प्रति नफरत, हिंसा, क्रूरता, धोखाधड़ी, अनैतिकता एवम व्यभिचार का पाठ धार्मिक एवं सामाजिक कर्तव्य के रूप में पढ़ाया जाता है।

सबसे मजेदार बात है कि भाई-चारा, जिसे बहुत से इस्लामिक देशों में 'ब्रदरहुड' के नाम से जाना जाता है, वस्तुतः कट्टरपंथी और आतंकवादियों का ऐसा खतरनाक समूह है जिसे इजिप्ट ऐसे इस्लामिक देश में भी मजबूरी में बन्द (बैन) किया गया है। सऊदी, ईरान, कतर एवं बहुत से ऐसे कट्टर इस्लामिक देश में जो 'ब्रदरहुड' या भाई-चारे का गाना गाते हैं, वे भी अन्य देश के मुस्लिमों को नागरिकता आसानी से नहीं देते हैं। ब्रदरहुड का नारा लगाने वाले ये संगठन जहाँ-जहाँ भी मौजूद हैं, भाई-चारा या इन्सानियत मात्र एक व्यंग्य और एकतरफा ही है।

आश्चर्यजनक बात ये है कि यज़्दियों के कत्लेआम को कभी किसी मुस्लिमसमुदाय ने फ़ासिस्टवाद का नाम नहीं दिया। न ही किसी भी देश के मुस्लिमसमुदाय ने कहीं भी कोई प्रदर्शन ही किया था। जिस अमेरिका में सारे भगौड़े मुसलमानों को आश्रय मिलता है उसी अमेरिका के जाने कितने जर्नलिस्टों को पंक्तियों में बिठा कर उनका गला रेटा गया, आतंकियों के समूहों ने उनका कत्ल करवाने का विडिओ भी जारी किया परन्तु किसी भी देश में किसी भी एम्बेसी के सामने, मुस्लिमसमुदायों ने इसके खिलाफ रैली नहीं निकाली थी। क्या यूनाइटेड नेशन के मेम्बर्स के लिए ये सोचने का विषय नहीं है?

लोहरदग्गा में नीरज प्रजापति को मुस्लिम समुदाय ने पत्थरों से घायल कर दिया, अस्पताल में इनकी मृत्यु हो गयी। क्या सी.ए.ए. का समर्थन करने वालों पर हमला करना, पत्थर बरसाना, मुस्लिमसमुदाय का भाई-चारा है? क्या यह आतंकवाद ही नहीं है? यदि इस तरह की कार्यवाहियों को भाई-चारा कहा जाता है तो गुण्डागर्दी किसे कहते हैं? कहाँ गए ये सेक्युलर और उदारवादी पत्रकार! क्या ये मुस्लिम भाइयों के गुण्डागर्दी और अमानवीय कुत्सित व्यवहारों पर प्रकाश डालने की कृपा कर सकते हैं? आखिर कब-तक ये झूठे सेक्युलरिज्म एवं भाई-चारे का नकाब पहन कर मुस्लिम, कांग्रेस, कम्युनिस्ट या कोई भी व्यभिचारी समुदाय हिन्दुओं की सहनशीलता का नाजायज़ फ़ायदा उठाते रहेंगे? कब तक ये झूठे बयान-बाज़ी करते रहेंगे कि बी.जे.पी.ने अलगाववादी भावना पैदा कर दी है? जबकि सच्चाई यह है कि भाई-चारे का अर्थ इस्लाम में इतने तक ही सीमित है कि मुसलमान मनमानी करते रहें, धमकी देते रहें, जिहाद के नारे लगते रहें, मन्दिरों में मूर्तियाँ तोड़ते रहें लूटपाट, पत्थरबाजी, गुण्डागर्दी, अमानवीय एवं घृणित कृत्य बेरोकटोक, पर्सनल लॉ की आड़ में करते रहें तथा हिन्दू उसे भाई-चारे के नाम पर बर्दास्त करते रहें ?

कांग्रेसी और उसके समर्थक तथा उनकी इटालिया अम्मी उसके घृणित कृत्यों को भूल, उसे पुचकारते, मनाते, विशेष सुविधाएं प्रदान करते रहते हैं। अगर मुस्लिम की बेटियाँ पढ़ाई के लिए स्कॉलरशिप पाती है तो ब्राह्मणों की बेटियों को भी क्यों नहीं यही सुविधा मिलनी चाहिए? यदि इमाम और मस्जिद में काम करने वालों को सरकार तनखाह देती है तो यही तनखाह मंदिर और गुरुद्वारों के पुजारियों और वहाँ के अन्य कर्म चरियों को भी क्यों नहीं मिलनी चाहिए।

चार-चार बीबियाँ, बारह-बारह बच्चों के अलावे भी उनके रिश्तेदार रोहिंग्या, पाकिस्तानी, विभिन्न आतंकी संगठन और गुण्डे भाइयों को भी टैक्स के पैसे से खिलाते रहने वाली सेक्यूलर कहीं जाने वाली सरकार किस शान्ति एवं समानता पूर्ण व्यवहारों की वकालत करती है यह समझ से परे है। मुस्लिमों को विभिन्न प्रकार की सब्सिडी देना, सिर पर बिठा कर रखना, दंगाईयों को सुरक्षा देते रहना, आतंकी कैदियों को मुक्त कराने के लिए अपहरण का नाटक खेलना ही शायद भाई-चारा और समानता का व्यवहार है जिसे स्वार्थी नेताओं की सरकार आजतक इस्तेमाल करती रही है।

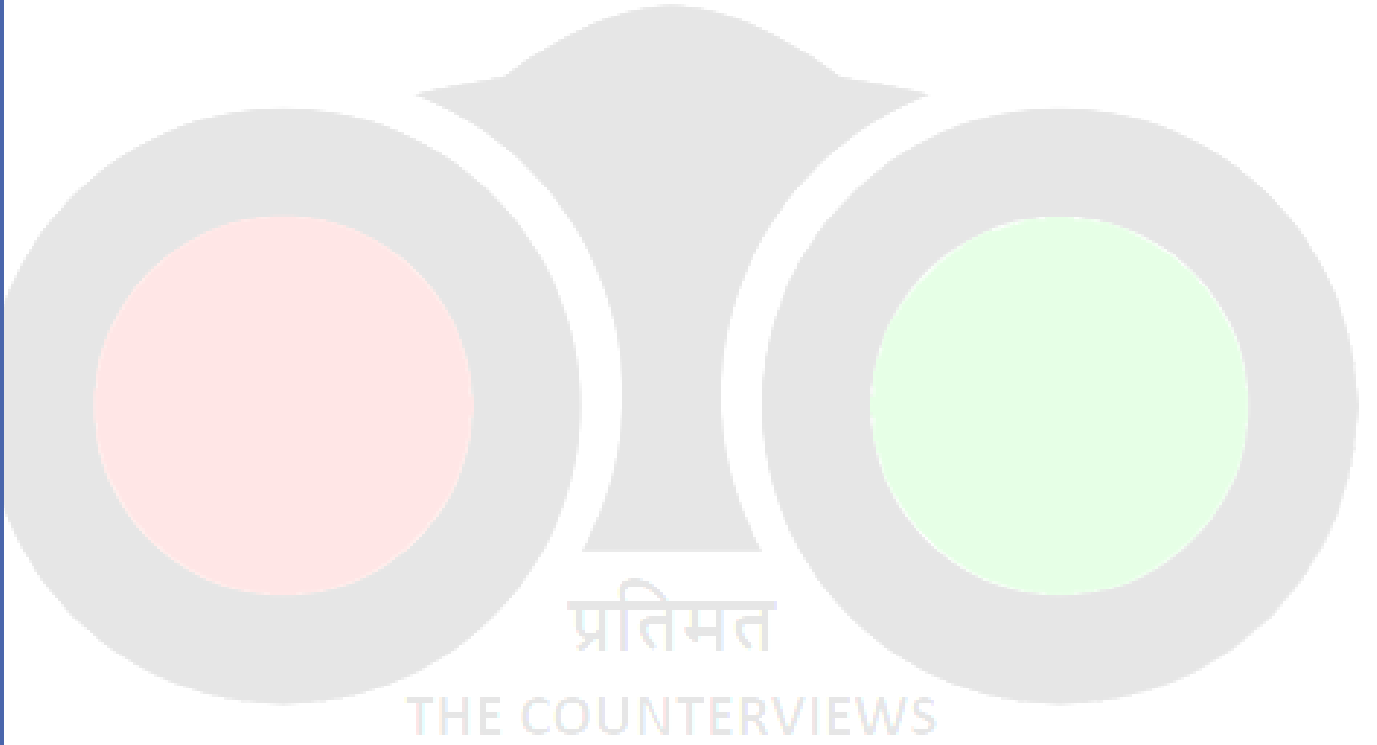
आये दिन झूठे बयानबाज़ी, नारेबाजी, तोड़फोड़, गोलीबारी को बढ़ावा देना ताकि उनको मुस्लिमसमुदाय का वोट मिलता रहे, कांग्रेस सरकार यही करती रही है। परोक्षरूप से इस्लामिक जिहादी एवं तुष्टीकरण की भावना की पोषक कांग्रेस ने धीरे-धीरे दीमक की तरह देश को खोखला कर दिया है। हिन्दुओं को उनकी ही सरजमीं से सनातन धर्म से विलग कर अन्य धर्मों को अपनाने के लिए बाध्य करते चले आये हैं। बाज आईये कांग्रेस, कम्युनिस्ट, तृणमूल और अन्य ऐसे पार्टियों के छद्मपूर्ण बयानबाजियों और मुस्लिम के इस भाई-चारे वाली धोखे से परिपूर्ण शब्दावलियों से।

नीरज प्रजापति को मार डाला गया और क्रूरता के इन पुजारियों ने फ़ासिस्ट वादी का ठीकरा मोदी के जिम्मे डाल निरन्तर उन्हें बदनाम करने की कोशिश करते रहे। चार बीबियाँ चौबीस बच्चे मुस्लिम समुदायों के होते हैं और बेरोज़गारी की जिम्मेदारी मोदी को सौंपते हैं ! कमाल है !

इतिहास में जाईये तो आप पाएँगे की हिंदुस्तान में इस्लाम का आगमन और विस्तार की आधारशिला ही धोखा धड़ी, अमानवीयता और क्रूरता है। चाहे आप राणाप्रताप के युद्ध के पत्रों को पलटें या पृथ्वीराज चौहान के या फिर स्वर्णमंदिर के म्यूजियम जाएँ, यह मुस्लिम समुदाय आतंकियों के संगठनों को मूक समर्थन देने के साथ-साथ धोखे और क्रूरता के लिए जगत प्रशिद्ध हैं। सत्ता के लिए बेटा बाप को कैदी बनाता है, उसकी हत्या भी करने में भी सँकोच नहीं करता है।

यद्यपि यह दुःखद है परन्तु कटु सत्य है कि मुस्लिम समुदाय इस्लामिक देशों में भी जनसँख्या विस्फोट, कट्टर अलगाव वादी मानसिकता, क्रूरता, अनैतिकता से स्वयं ही त्रस्त हो लड़ते हैं और दूसरे देशों की ओर पलायन करते हैं। जिन देशों में शरणार्थियों की तरह जाते हैं वहाँ जब तक

अल्पसंख्यक रहते हैं, शान्त रहते हैं। ज्यों ही इनकी तादाद बढ़ती है, ये मुस्लिम पर्सनल लॉ, जिहाद, आतंक, बर्बरता को प्रोत्साहन देते हुए अन्य देशों में अशान्ति पैदा करते हैं, वहाँ के मौलिक वाशिन्दों को ही धोखाधड़ी का शिकार बनाते हैं, उनके परिवारों, स्त्रियों को परेशान कर येन-केन-प्रकारेण उन्हें ही द्वितीय स्तर के नागरिक बनने के लिए बाध्य कर देते हैं। किसी भी देश के लिए यह आतंकियों का समुदाय कैसर या कॉरोना वायरस से कम खतरनाक नहीं है। सारी दुनियाँ को मानवता, शांति, स्त्री-सुरक्षा के लिए इस विशेष समुदाय की कट्टरपंथी विचारों से अत्यंत सावधानी बरतते हुए दृढ़ता से निबटना आवश्यक है। आज सिर्फ हिन्दुओं को ही नहीं वरण सम्पूर्ण विश्व के लिए यह सोचना आवश्यक है कि इस्लामिक-संगठन कितना खतरनाक, आतंक-उत्प्रेरित, इन्सानियत-विरोधी और अशान्ति का पोषक है। अन्यथा "वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम्, "पृथ्वी एवं वनस्पति: शांति, विश्वशान्ति, अहिंसा परमोधर्म: या सर्वे भवन्तु सुखिनः आदि इन्सानियत को जिन्दा रखने वाले मंत्र, जिसके लिए "सँयुक्त-राष्ट्र-संघ" का भी गठन हुआ है, निरर्थक और मानव-कल्याण से परे ही रहेंगे।



## “गद्दारों को गोली मारो”

From the time Muslims invaded India, leaving a few exceptions, they have just thought of themselves, their community and their religion by being subservient to the cause of Islam. The original natives and religions of India, be it Hindu, Buddhist or Jains are no longer a matter of their concerns. It was mostly the cruel rulers and their courtiers & army who committed the grave atrocities on us that the scars are still prominent even after centuries. But Not that all Muslims are bad. There are some, who are exceptionally good and logical in their expressions on the happenings in the likes of Salim Ali, Arif Mohammed Khan, Nazma Heptullah and so on...

The protesters of Shaheenbagh shouted a slogan to equate the PM and HM to Hitler with a vow to kill. They openly showed their allegiance to the radical Muslims of Pak/Afgh/Bangladesh who have been persecuting the non-Muslims in those nations that made them to flee and seek refuge in India. They do not want the Indian govt to confer citizenship to them. They possibly want them to go back and face religious persecution. There are several others who have spoken from the Shaheenbagh platforms to teach Hindu a lesson, of freedom of Kashmir, of breaking the state of Assam and so on...There should be no inhibition in terming them the traitors...Gaddars... of the nation.

On 01 Feb 2020, State minister of Finance shri Anurag Thakur chanted a slogan “गद्दारों को गोली मारो “ that had raised storms among the anti-nationals and their supporters alike. Some were also debating if Mr Thakur meant the law & order agencies to shoot the traitors or did he want the public to take law in own hands. Congress and Communist party leaders instantly felt as if they were being labelled as the traitors and were up in arms. They were upset as to why should anyone shoot the traitors? Afterall traitors in India have important roles to play. They are the conduits of the enemies. They are the ones who support the extremists, terrorists and secessionists. They were quick to reach the CEC with complaints and also approached the court of law. Not satisfied, the Parliament was rocked on 03 Feb 2020. They were shouting “Goli marna band karo...”. Some onlookers among the citizen in the streets of Mumbai were complimenting the opposition slogan with their own sarcastic chants...“Gaddaron ko gaddi do...”. What a parody our country has become? The appeasement politics of the Congis & Commis are appalling. They prefer to stand with “Desh ke Tukde-Tukde” gangs, speak the words & phrases that Pakistan finds it appropriate to quote at the international fora to name and shame India and also join hands with the purely Muslim Communals protesting at many of the Shaheenbaghs shouting “Jinnah waali Azaadi and Kashmir ki Azaadi...” With which these Congis and Commis seem to be at comfort. Their netas frequented visiting, praising, encouraging and supporting them, lending their voice too.

Before the chant of *Goli maaro* was made, an AAP leader having allegiance with the CAA-Protestors, were seen sporting a pistol / revolver among them. However, after the chant, one juvenile waved a country made gun and did fire at a protester trying to overpower him. The next day, a scooty rider was alleged to have fired in air at the Jamia area for which the regional police chief has been removed.

I wonder why netas like Anurag Thakur should make such slogans. In that way, hardline Muslims are better - they don't shout slogans of *goli maaro*... but quietly eliminate the leaders... be it Kamlesh Tiwari of *Hindu Mahasabha* in the past or Ranjeet Bachchan of late. Congis & Commis are okay with it - no protest or condemnation there. So should the proud nationalists, the patriots too form a wing of persecutors to eliminate the traitors quietly, without much ado? Well, no civilised person, group or state will condone such action. Then how do we counter the *gaddars*?





Our nationals clearly are divided as to what should be done with the anti-national slogans and the 'Desh ke Tukde' gangs. We know shouting slogans alone may mean nothing but that does have a divisive tendency, of a mind-set just like the naxals and subversive elements within the country. However, some political outfits like the Congis and Commis go hand-in-hand with the "tukde-tukde" gangs. They spew venom and utter such words against the nation that our enemies (like Pak) find it convenient to shame us on the international fora. This is unacceptable. I wonder how political leaderships having made 'anti-India speeches' post abrogation of art 370 and CAA, were left unscratched. The law is for everyone. If the likes of Kanhaiya can be booked, why not Rahul Gandhi, D Raja or for that matter Sidhu and many others too for their anti-national comments? Are they the traitors? Not really. They represent a mindset in which they are under political compulsions of criticising the govt and their immaturity makes them cross the red-line. For such people, *goli maaro* may not be the answer but they surely deserve to be put behind bars or at least be tried in the court of law. No nation will allow anti-national sentiments to be aired by any of its citizen and India should be no exception. The same holds good for JNU too. Throw out the "Tukde-Tukde" gang. They don't deserve to live in our land.

Coming back to the topic of "गद्दारों को गोली मारो" traitors, Congis, Commis and most of the radical and extremist Muslims in nation feel that the slogan is meant for them. Even the hard line Muslims, political leaders like Asaduddin Owaisi are expressing on the TV and various other media that the slogan was for them. But why do they feel they are the traitor, the gaddars? Is it because of what they say and do, that qualifies as anti-national? And if such thought does come in, why do not they mend their approach in the national interest?



## Is there an effort to polarise India?

There is a narrative being constructed by the Congress, Communists, RJD, SP and other Islamic political parties day & night stating that there is an effort to polarise India on the religious and communal lines. It is more of the Muslim expression and the 'vote-bank' politicians of India. They are the poster boys of the vote-bank cum communal politics, practicing the politics of appeasement. Their 'vote-bank' made substantial impact on the Indian polity since independence. Then what has gone wrong now? Are they no longer a 'vote-bank'? Has the Modi govt stopped the earlier policy of appeasement? Possibly Yes. That is why they are unhappy. It has happened for the first time in independent India that their votes do not go en-mass on the dictates of their religious leaders / clerics. The Muslims of India as a religious community have started realising the true colours of the polity of 'vote-bank'. They have realised the work of the present govt who is non-discriminatory, works for all irrespective of the religion whether awarding the free LPG connection under 'ujjwala', houses under PM Awaas, free medical treatment under Ayushman Bharat or numerous other schemes. Yet, there are sizable numbers of the Muslims who express that Modi govt is trying to curtail their rights. Such feeling, fears or expressions have invariably been induced by the politicians who have traditionally been practicing the communal politics.

This is a bitter truth of the politics and the vote-bank politicians today, they just can't digest it. On top of it, Modi govt has been instrumental in passing 3-Talaq act against which the male Muslims fought tooth & nail. They also abrogated constitutional act 370 which was largely for the Kashmiri Muslims and Indian Muslims surely did not like it, further came the Ayodhya verdict that large section of the Muslims had to gulp reluctantly because it came from the Supreme Court. And then came the CAA... which with adequate mis-information by the Congis and the Commis, became indigestible and led to Muslim anger of loot and arson on the roads even though it involved no Indian Muslims. Thus is the cry of polarisation.

Polarisation... an attempt to push two groups of individuals far apart, to the two ends of socio-cultural norms... seen and perceived as a different groups. Being pushed to a corner has been in Indian history for centuries and millennia. It is a common belief that when being pushed far on social, cultural and religious norms, there is a revolt or transformation. Transformation on the caste lines among the natives of the ancient India although not documented very well, is obvious when new faith, took its root... that Gautam Buddha became the saviour of the downtrodden with Buddhism taking its origin in 543 BC. There must have been enormous dissatisfaction among the people in those times as soon after, another faith took its root... Bhagwan Mahavir laying the foundation of the Jainism in the year ... BC. We are still fresh in our memory how Sikh faith got its origin just a few centuries back.

There were deep divisions among Hindu, mostly on the caste and cultural lines. That is why the Muslim rulers were able to overpower the numerous kingdoms who mostly fought in isolation, not united. There are inscription in the history of India that when the Muslim ruler defeated the Sindh king, the lower caste people came out on roads with some sort of joys...expressed by the beating of drums and dancing. There must also have been enough polarisation of the groups of individuals in the erstwhile Punjab when the Sikh religion took birth. Same is the history of Christians and Islam, both having dozens of sub-sects of disgruntled lot, each unwilling to tolerate the others.

In the history of India, Muslims have been openly communal on most issues. They attacked India in the medieval period in the name of the so called god in Mohammed, for the spread of Islam. They have carried out the most heinous crimes against all Indian religions on communal basis. They have desecrated the temples, Buddhist Stupas & Pagodas, Sikh Gurudwara and so on. Khilji did the inhuman acts of destroying Nalanda, the centre of intellects of Buddhism. None were spared. And those beastly community took pleasure in destruction in the name of Islam. *Leave the medieval period. Even in 21<sup>st</sup> century, the Islamic atrocities on non-Muslims around the world are shame on the Human Rights Charters of the UN few of which enumerated here.* In independent India too, one seldom hears anything that a Muslim does for other community. Their concern is for islam, islam and islam... a sheer communal agenda... seeing themselves sitting on the other end, at the other pole of the humanity called "inhuman". So what we see happening at the Shaheenbaghs, are nothing new. Leaving exceptions, Muslim as a community was always polarised. They have seldom done anything for others. They were, are and will remain polarised in future too. If anyone expects they will change their behaviours, they are mistaken...for that will never happen. The Editorial of this issue "*Bhai-Chara*" deliberates it at length.

How could this polarisation would have been avoided? Continue 3-Talaq oppressing the women? Continue with article 370 which is obstructing the development and full integration of J&K in to India and also promoting the terrorism? Annul the Ayodhya verdict and continue playing with Hindu sentiments about their holiest of all, *Ram Janmbhoomi*? Or annul the CAA so that the non-Muslims who fled Pak/Afgh/Bengladesh owing to their religious persecution, continue languishing in the camps. Will these actions calm the Indian Muslims? It is shame on all of us and those who have such mindset.

#### **Islamic atrocities of the recent years**

- 1990** – 1.5 lakh **Kashmiri Pandits vanished in "Ralive, Tsalive ya Galive"**, we Indians seem to have no regrets at all.
- 2003** – 3 lakh **Assyrian & Iraqi Christians** annihilated
- 2004** – 2.5 lakh **Yezidies annihilated in Iraq, their women forcibly made sex slaves** by the beastly Islamists.
- 2005-18** - **Ethnic cleansing of 1 lakh Sikhs & Hindu** in Afghan
- 2012** - **Ethnic cleansing of 7 lakh Syrian Christians**
- 2013-17** - **Ethnic cleansing of 5 lakh Coptic Christians** in Egypt
- 2017** – **70k Non-Muslims vanished overnight** from Marawi (Philippines) in ISIS take-over.

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## Works to all Indian Hands: Is the govt unable or unwilling?

There is a saying “where there is a will, there is a way”. Modi Govt in 2014-15 had shown it had the will...to enable its poor and unemployed with livelihood through MUDRA scheme. It is believed >16 crore people availed the surety-free loans and started earning their livelihood. Loans were sanctioned anything from Rs 10K to 200K. There were “*Thela wala*” vegetable and fruit vendors & sellers to a “start-up” company who set-up their small time business and in many cases providing job to the other unemployed too. So much of effort have also gone in to “Make in India” in which international business houses are setting-up their manufacturing hubs with the Indian workers. Skill India program too is making some impact but it is slow. Infrastructure push have been massive but it has mostly given jobs in unorganised sectors. Its impact on the boost in raw material seems to be less than moderate. So what next?

We know that the successive govts in free India have failed to create enough industries and public sectors. As a result the govt jobs are limited, just about 2.96 crores overall incl all state & union govts in the year 1980s that remains static by and large. Thanks to the private sectors and the IT boom that brought additional jobs which is of the tunes of almost 1.7 crores by now. All remaining employment...mostly temporary, were in the unorganised sectors....the daily wages, labourers, businessmen, handicraft workers, hotel, restaurants, hawkers, roadside vendors, Buses, Taxy, auto, rickshaw, household workers, salesmen...you name it. People also fell prey to the black jobs...pick-pocket to private army of the musclemen, black-marketing, loot & theft, Hawala operators,

Finance Minister Mrs Sitharaman had sought suggestions from almost all quarters and it is believed that she had lot many suggestions. But what came out in her budget presentation, is far short of reassuring of any magical economic recovery in the period of the global slow-down. I am no economist. But I believe that if India has to become a 5 trillion \$ economy by 2024, the govt has to put all Indian hands to work....in govt sector, private sector, unorganized as well as self-employment. I feel the agriculture sector can be a big platform to provide works to many hands. A non-profit set-up can be started, may be with some govt assistance. At all Panchayat levels, an assistance centre with latest farming tools like few tractors, a cultivator, a few thressors, few pump sets, a borewell driller, the drip irrigation, high produce seeds, fertilisers, the saplings of high produce fruits & vegetables and so on, may be provided by the govt for which the farmers can pay at subsidized cost. All these facilities will employ at least 70-100 people. Every farmer and their families will have option to participate in the sowing of seeds, weeding the grass or other allied works that will be required in the field for which they can earn their own wages too. The “*Kisan Samman*” assistance of every farmer could be utilized for the farming and whatever be the remainder of the costs, can be met after the produce is prepared. Even a temporary Mandi can be set-up or made available to the panchayats. Panchayats can also set-up cold storage, food processing units in the areas where the perishable vegetables and fruits are in plenty.

On the similar lines as that of the agriculture, numerous other sectors are open to expansion and employment. Service sector is one such area. There is shortage of services in all fields be it automobile, electronics, audio-visuals, electrical products, household goods, household jobs...you name it. Skill India is already imparting training. Start-up companies with some assistance from the govt may render a huge employment. There is a huge shortage of such skilled task force abroad... esp Europe and America. Our trained work force can grab the opportunity the world over.

The legal system in our country is paralysed....with 10s of lakhs of cases pending in each state. Why a sub-judicial system comprising of legal experts cannot be created under supervision to bring the cases to some stage where the judiciary may be able to manage it. Why the meritorious graduates and post-graduates not start teaching in the schools and colleges if they wish to do so?

A similar approach may be adopted in most departments of the governments. Let there be an open entry of the apprenticeships and trainees...in administrative services, police force, security force, labour force or wherever



employment takes place....both in organized and unorganized sectors? Let every Indian citizen chose where he or she wants to work and accordingly join the apprenticeship training....at some fixed scholarships/remunerations...of Rs 5000 or 8000 pm that could support their families too. Let the supervisors monitor their aptitude and progress....if suitable, let them continue to prove themselves, if unsuitable, ask them to join other fields...with some recommendations. Almost 8-10 apprentices could work in the salary of one permanent employee. It may sound to be a communist model of work, but let it sound so if it provides works to all Indian hands.

Manufacturing hubs too can have similar approaches. There was a lull in the sales of motor cars mainly because the BS-VI norms. But what about other vehicles? Cycles have largely disappeared from the roads. The battery operated motorised cycles can hardly be seen. There is a huge market for it. The electrical vehicles are coming on to the road but where are its charging points? That is needed at each home, every 5-10 kms on all road, highways. The number is staggering. Where is the manufacturing of such chargers? The repairs, service & maintenance support for the motor vehicles in forms of garages, service centres are very less whether in villages, cities or highways. These are only few of the examples. There could be numerous such ventures that can provide works to all Indian hands. The govt of the day has to help the citizen do it by themselves, through self-employment, but is apparently unwilling.

### “Works to all Indian Hands....”

- For the Engineers & Diploma holder Technicians:
  - 10 lakh new **food processing plants, cold storages** in villages & cities for fresh produce.
  - 2.5 lakh **Farm Assistance Centres (FACs)** at Panchayats, having farming eqpt, drip irrigation, high yield seeds, Fertilisers, insecticides, nurseries for saplings, Mandi, Cold storage, food processing.
  - 1 lakh **Mfr units for farming eqpt**
- Doctors, technicians, nurses, pharmacist : 1 lakh **rural Modicare centres, generic drug pharmacies.**
- Agriculture graduates & assistants be **employed at FACs**
- Professional graduates/PG : **Permit interns/trainees/ Apprenticeships** on stipends in all govt deptt.
- **Skilled services**...Electronics, electrical, mechanical, Auto, Mobile, Farm eqpt, new electrical veh Repairs.
- **General graduates & PGs** : Permit all govt depts interns/apprenticeships in Police/ DSC/ Industrial security; Hospitality; Tourism; Art; Culture; Media; Education;
- **Illiterates**.....MNREGA & Infrastructure sectors. Impart skill training, Mudra assisted jobs, Handicraft, traditional jobs, family/ community jobs.

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## Indian Movement of Rural Development

Millions of Indians living in the rural areas of India were unaware of what the Indian Independence meant to them. Their forefathers lived in Islamic India underprivileged that continued in the British period as well as decades of Congress India. If lucky, they had hands to mouth and if not, had to resort to the very basic needs of living. The small hamlets were unapproachable all these years and centuries and remained so after the so called Independence of India. There were hardly any complaints by these large groups, nor were the government ready to listen to them. There were some exceptions though: Kerala, Lakhsdweep, Mizoram, Goa... and few more

The rural areas of Kerala and some other states had the basic needs.....of a better housing, an approachable road and they did see the electricity too, much before other rural areas of the country. These were not because the government had a different plan, but it was because the rural populations too were mostly educated, had some source of income which was adequate for the basic needs. Hence, they could construct houses, compel the government to provide electricity connections and improve the schools for better education.

Now let us go back to the under privileged ones elsewhere in the country. In 2014, there were 18000 villages without electricity, and those which had it, 25% of the villages had <4 hrs of electric supply in a day. A road within few kilometres of the villages were acceptable to them with some make-shift kuchcha track connecting with a road whether metallic or otherwise. Their livelihood were either the meagre land for farming, a daily wages labour or the begging. They did not know what a bank is. For the first time 10s of crores of people have been linked to the bank through a popular Jan-dhan zero-balance account later linked to DBT. The process however, is not complete. Many in the tribal areas are still to be given a bank account.

Thanks to the Bajpayee govt who awakened the people. He for the first time brought the concept of development esp for the rural areas of India. He however, did not have numbers of MPs to implement hard decisions. So after his govt lost in 2004, it was business as usual for the Congress led UPA 1 & 2. However, Modi showed the way in Gujarat. He implemented the development planks of the governance which soon became a model for the other states to imitate. Bihar CM Nitish also adopted a somewhat similar approach in their first phase of governance. State infrastructures of roads were given priority and many in Bihar got a road for the first time. He for the first time, introduced the low cost toilet with temporary plastic roof and sides covered. Such toilets were provided in the villages at a very low cost of Rs 200 or so. But most of these toilets were defunct after the first flood / rains. Nitish model of development had limited impact but nonetheless, it was perceived with positiveness by the people.

Modi led NDA showed their commitment for development esp of the rural India. His govt started electrification of the remotely located 18000 villages in mission mode and also provided free electricity connections to the poor. He made the toilets compulsory, first in all schools and then extended to all homes too, with central assistance. It was a huge task for asking. Within 2 yrs, the 45% toilet in the nation became >95%. The rural roads became the next priority and the most if not all villages of the nation were put on the road map of India. The remote villages too saw the roads for the first time, the electricity lighting their homes and the LPG connections coming free to the poor women....to the tune of >6 crore households. It is true that many such women did not get a refill for want of money or lack of will as they had long been using the other means of fuel incl animal dung, farm straws, household rubbish and so on... that came for free. Many also found it convenient to sell-off (or lease off) their LPG connection to the others at some premium. There were several other measures for rural India that went un-noticed to the elites of our country. The daily wages under MNREGA payments were received for the first time in full, without the middlemen cutting their share, under DBT. The unemployed youth received security-free loans under MUDRA schemes to start own livelihood

through self-employment. The North-East states long ignored, were given due attention through a rapidly growing infrastructures. Numerous villages and towns saw the roads, rail and the electricity for the first time. One can see the electricity lines coming to the fields for connecting the motor for irrigation. The neem-coated urea are no longer being black-marketed. In fact the list of good works of Modi govt in his first terms itself was so exhaustive that every household incl those in rural India were touched with very positive approach. Some such game-changer acts are enumerated in the box here. Modi govt is also trying to increase the income from farming initially to 50% of the input cost and later by 100% by 2022. The govt has also extended a better fasal-beema scheme but somehow, it is not so popular in the rural India. It is a welcome step that a govt is doing so much for the farmers.

The life of the rural mass is changing for good. PM's Ayushman Bharat scheme (Modi-care) saw numerous ailing patients all over India to get free treatment in the impanelled private or the govt hospitals for free. There are some teething problems in this scheme too but nevertheless, it has come as a blessing to the millions of poor. The best for the farmers came towards the end of Modi 1.0. *Thanks to Rahul Gandhi for his much hyped NYAY and loan waver scheme for the farmers prior to the Lok-Sabha election 2019 that compelled Modi govt to adopt the "Kisan Samman" scheme, a freebie of Rs 6000 per year as support to all small farmers and tried to pay it too before election through DBT.* Many did not get it owing to the non-verification of their status and non-linking Aadhar for the DBT but nonetheless, the process continued to ensure payment. However, with the extension of the scheme to all farmers, the process will be easier now. During my recent trip to rural Bihar, I found that the money under kisan-samman is spent for the routines and not for farming. Govt may consider linking this amount to the procurement of seeds, ploughing of field, watering of the crops and mandating the crop-insurance. If so done, agricultural produce is bound to increase and may lead to food-revolution in rural India.

There were many other schemes for the poor and the rural mass which did not come to the limelight. One such measure was the PM rural housing scheme which benefitted numerous but there are also many loopholes in it being exploited by the middlemen. Union govt also mandated mid-day meals in the schools which increased the number of students attending the rural schools. The teacher's quality was attended to and quality of education improved to some extent.

There is no doubt that the benefit of the nation's development has started reaching far and wide in the countryside. For the first time there is a union govt which is trying to extend the fruits of national development to the last man in the queue of the under-privileged. Modi 2.0 Govt has started mandatory pension scheme for the poor, farmers and

#### Successful Game-changer schemes of Modi Govt:

- One Rank One Pension (**OROP**)
- 33.7 Cr **Jan-dhan account** for poor,
- **Beti-Bachao, Beti Padhao** abhiyan.
- "**Swachhh Bharat**" abhiyaan, ODF zones.
- **Note-bandi** to strike parallel economy of black-money, promotes plastic money.
- **GST**, the biggest Tax-reform.
- **Ujjwala** LPG for >6 Cr poor women,
- **MUDRA loans** for self-employment to >13 Cr
- Jobs thru' **Start-ups, Make-in-India**.
- Homes for poor under **PM Awas yojna**,
- **Massive Infrastructure** development,
- **Numerous AIIMs, IITs** for quality Edn.
- **North-East** oriented massive Development,
- **First Corruption-free 5 yr union Govt**
- DBT & Adhar linking saved huge public funds.
- **Electrification of all villages**, far & wide.
- Free **electricity connection to poor** homes.
- "**Ayushman Bharat**" free health insurance for approx. 50 Cr poor.
- **50% higher MSP**, fertilizer plants for farmers.
- **SC/ST act** re-enacted.
- **Highest growing economy** in world for >4 yrs.
- Lowest inflation in 5 yrs.
- Non-appeasement & inclusive policies of "Sabka saath, sabka vikas".
- NRC to identify the illegal migrants.
- **Revolution in Road, Rail, waterways & air travels / communications.**
- Rural oriented admin thru' CSCs
- Many **Women oriented schemes.**
- Massive improvement in **renewable energy.**
- India on global map for Dev, investment.

those in un-organised sectors. There is no visible impact of this scheme as yet. However, the process have just started. The effort in implementing all the schemes by the Modi govt are guge, really huge... of the proportions of 100 times of what other govts have done in the past. If Modiji really want to get the newly announced welfare schemes implement, it has to increase the ministers and departments suitably, maintaining his concept of minimum government-maximum governance for overseeing the mammoth jobs at hand. There large numbers of efficient MPs without much job. They have to be given the task for implementing the schemes....down to the last man in society as per their concept of "Antyoday". Lot more are to be done.

Every poor of the country must be thanking the Modi govt to have initiated a long list of measures to make their life easier, to feel the joy of Independent India.

### गावों में मोदी-सरकार की योजनाओं से लाभ

- मुफ्त "उज्ज्वला" गैस कनेक्शन
- गरीबों को मुफ्त बिजली कनेक्शन
- सभी गरीब घरों में शौचालय
- जान-धन खाते से मुफ्त बीमा
- किसान-सम्मान का DBT भुगतान
- गरीबों को "आयुष्मान-भारत" का लाभ
- भूत-पूर्व सैनिकों को "OROP" भुगतान
- मनरेगा की DBT से पूरी भुगतान
- माध्यम-वर्गों को आय कर में राहत
- गर्भवती महिलाओं को नकदी भुगतान
- हर गावों में बिजली, सड़क, पानी
- कौशलबवकास, मुद्रा-लोन से स्वरोजगार
- फसलों के न्यूनतम-खरीद मूल्य में ५०% वृद्धि
- बेटी-बचाओ, बेटी-पढ़ाओ का आर्थिक लाभ
- PM गरीब-आवास योजना का लाभ
- PM फसल-बीमा योजना का लाभ
- नीम-यूरिया खाद की उपलब्धता सुनिश्चित
- विद्यालयों में बालिका शौचालय, मध्याह्न भोजन
- पंचायतों, विद्यालयों में इंटरनेट

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## "भागते भूत की लंगोटी"

**आस्तीन के साँप:** एक बहुत पुरानी कहावत है, अगर अपने सहभागी ही आपको घाव लगाएँ तो फिर दुश्मनों की क्या ज़रूरत ?

आज अगर बाजपेयी जी होते तो वे भी सोचने को बाध्य हो जाते कि कुर्सी के भूखे ये मेहरबान आखिर किस मिट्टी के बने हैं। क्या आस्तीन के साँप ऐसे ही होते हैं ? इन्होंने जिस थाली में खाया उसी में खूब छेद किये।



**विमुद्रीकरण से काले धन रखने वाले बेईमानों को नुकसान:** वो भी क्या दिन थे जब गली गली, कचरे के ढेर में, नदी नाले में फेके हुए हज़ार हज़ार के नोटों की गड्डियाँ पडी रहती थीं और कोई उधर आँख उठाकर देखने वाला नहीं होता था। आखिर यह कौन सा अपार काला धन था जिसे हमारे बड़े तबके के कुछ ज्यादा ही पढ़े लिखे धनवान 'एलिट' लोग नहीं देख पा रहे हैं या देखना नहीं चाहते हैं। यह तो सिर्फ एक छोटी तस्वीर है। अनुमान लगाएँ कि देश का कितना सारा काला धन कचरे के ढेर में, नदी नालों में या फिर अग्नि देवता के सुपुर्द किया गया होगा। नोटों की ऐसी कितनी ही बोरियाँ देश के चोरों और घोटाले बाजों के घर में होगा। संबित पात्रा टीवी के चर्चे पर शायद ठीक ही कहते थे कि उन काले धन की बोरियों को देख देख कर दशकों से देश का धन चोरी कर रहे लोग रोज सुबह सुबह मोदी जी को जी भर भर कर कोसते होंगे। विरले ही किसी गरीब का शायद नुकसान हुआ हो। विमुद्रीकरण से देश की गन्दगी को साफ़ करने के लिए मोदी सरकार को शत शत नमन।



## चलते – चलाते

### “महसूस”

उम्र के एहसास को महसूस मैं अब कर रही हूँ।  
तर्क और कुतर्क से भी, दूर अब मैं रह रही हूँ।

राजनीतिक तथ्य को, बेकार अब तक थी समझती।  
आज अनजाने उसी में, व्यस्त होती जा रही हूँ।

नहीं करती थी कभी, परवाह मैं उन व्यक्तियों की,  
बोलते थे जो कभी, संविधान के कमजोरियों की।

आज जाने किस तरह! मैं सोचती हूँ, इन्ही सब पर,  
किस तरह लूटा, निरन्तर! हिन्दुओं को, छल-कपट कर।

पूर्वजों की जन्म भूमि, आतंक था घुसपैठियों का।  
प्रताड़ित हिन्दू हुए, धूर्त-बर्बर, मुस्लिमों की, क्रूरता का।

विभाजन भी तो हुआ था, बस धर्म के आधार पर ही।  
फिर क्यों नहीं हिन्दू सुरक्षित, हिंदुत्व के आधार पर ही।

दो थे हिस्से मुस्लिमों के, एक था बस हिन्दुओं का।  
घुसाया किसने यहाँ पर, शब्द सेक्युलर दोगलों का।

पाक जो सेक्युलर बना था, बन गया इस्लामियों का।  
हिंदुस्तान को है क्यों बनाया, धर्मशाला, विधर्मियों का?

प्रताड़ित हिन्दू रहे, धर्म भी बदले गए, विवश ही से वे रहे।  
मरते रहे, पिसते रहे, आत्मरक्षा के लिए, पलायन करते रहे।

मजबूर हो आते गए, शरणार्थी बनते गए।  
मुस्लिमों के देश से, होते पलायित ही गए।

परवाह न की किसी ने, इनकी सुरक्षा के लिए।  
कहाँ थे संयुक्त राष्ट्र, जब सताये, हिन्दू गए ?

हिन्दू सुरक्षित हैं नहीं, इस्लामियों के देश में।  
भारत सुरक्षा दे नहीं, कोंग्रेसियों के वेश में।

संयुक्त राष्ट्र भी भूल जाता, आतंकियों के खेल को,  
गृह-कलह, दुष्कर्म को, यज्ञदियों पर जुल्म को।

कश्मीर, बांग्लादेश ही क्यों, देख लो! अफगान को,  
पूछ लो हिन्दू कहाँ हैं? हिंदुत्व-मूल, हिंदुस्तान को।

धर्म है किसका सुरक्षित, इस्लामिकों के देश में?  
अस्मिता किसकी सुरक्षित? स्त्री हो इस जन्म में!

अभिव्यक्ति की आजादी भी, स्वप्न-सा! इन देश में,  
सत्य को यदि व्यक्त कर, तो! मौत-फतवा, संदेश में।

“मिलिया” का ‘सत्य-कथ्य’ शत-प्रतिशत ही है सही।  
घृणा-बर्बरता-गुलामी-उत्पीड़न, का है! आधार ही।

धर्म के बस नाम पर ही, कर रहा क़त्लेआम है।  
संयुक्त राष्ट्र क्यों न समझे ‘यह’ कर्म से बदनाम है।

बलात्कार कुँआरियों का, करता, धर्म की ही आड़ में।  
अपमान करता है निरंतर, इंसानियत का ही धर्म में।

अपनी बुराई को कभी, करता नहीं स्वीकृत कहीं।  
अधिकार क्या है! बोलने का, हिन्दुओं के देश में ही।

अनगिनत हैं देश क्रिश्चियन और मुस्लिम के लिए,  
क्यों नहीं भारत सुरक्षित, सिर्फ हिन्दुओं के लिए।

ये प्रश्न उठाना है जरूरी! हिन्दुओं के भी लिए भी।  
संयुक्त-राष्ट्र, दे सुरक्षा, हिंदुत्व को हर देश में ही।

हिन्दुत्व है इंसानियत, हर एक मानव के लिए।  
बचाओ, अब हिन्दुओं को, हर धर्म-जाति के लिए।

त्याग-शांति, विश्व-शांति सिर्फ हिन्दुओं ने है दिया।  
वसुधैव-कुटुम्बकम’मंत्र दे, हिन्दुओं ने क्या किया?

सभ्यता और ज्ञान भी है, निहित, वेद-पुराण में।  
इंसानियत और शांति है क्या? देख ले कुरान में।

सुरक्षित गीता यहाँ है, ज्ञान-ध्यान सब दे रहा।  
इंसानियत के धर्म को, हिंदुत्व-ही, समझा रहा।

उदारता की नीति में, पिसता रहा, हिंदुत्व ही,  
पैशाच्य के ही धर्म से, यह है, प्रताड़ित आज भी।

आज भी संयुक्त राष्ट्र यदि चेतना न पायेगा,  
प्रताड़ित, सम्पूर्ण विश्व, पैशाच्य से हो जायेगा।

।।डॉ सुमंगला झा।।