بسم الله الرحمان الرحيم

The Amīr/National President Jamā'at Ahmadiyya,

Dear Brother.

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركابيز

The world is gathering under the flag of peace having seen, through Ahmadiyyat, the real and beautiful face of Islām.

Jamā'at Ahmadiyya is spreading the teaching of peace and harmony the world over and is working zealously to this end.

Each Ahmadī ought to make himself a model of Islāmic teachings so that he can adequately fulfil his obligations.

On 11th September 2015, Hazrat Khalīfatul Masīh V (May Allāh be his Helper) delivered the Friday Sermon at Baitul Futūh mosque, London.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: The inner beauty of a person who claims to be a believer will only become manifest when he is firm in his faith and has knowledge of Islām. Faith means to surrender oneself completely to God and to abide by His injunctions, and religion means that while abiding by His injunctions we should protect ourselves from evil deeds and work towards the welfare of others. If the people of the world realize this, then we will see such lasting peace being established in the world that it will become a virtual paradise.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said that in this age Allāh sent the Promised Messiah (to establish the true faith and the true religion. Since we ascribe ourselves to him, it is our responsibility to support him in this mission by teaching people the true meaning of faith and by spreading peace and harmony. Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said that while the Jamā'at as an institution is carrying on this mission, it is also the responsibility of each Ahmadī to model his life upon the teachings of Islām and thus fulfil his obligations.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) spoke about the causes of the conflicts in some countries, the failure to bring about peace, and the attempt by others to vilify Islām. On the other hand, however, there is Jamā'at Ahmadiyya that is working zealously across the world to spread Islamic teaching of love, kindness and peace. As a result, hundreds of thousands are gathering under the flag of peace in order to foster peace and harmony. Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) cited several examples where others saw the true face of Islam through Ahmadiyyat and entered its fold. These examples included other people as well as those who pledged Bai'at and made a commitment to fulfil their obligations to God and His creatures.

A Christian cleric from Benin said, "This was a strange day in his life for I saw Muslims and Christians coming together in one place. There is no doubt that Jamā'at Ahmadiyya has brought us together and I salute Ahmadiyyat for this." Benin's

Minister for Transport said, "Jamā'at Ahmadiyya's service for humanity is not a secret. Jamā'at Ahmadiyya is at the forefront in striving to foster peace and brotherhood in Benin. I salute Jamā'at Ahmadiyya's efforts in the cause of peace and harmony." On the occasion of the inauguration of an Ahmadiyya mosque in Benin, a guest said, "Seeing this mosque I have realized that Jamā'at Ahmadiyya alone is truly serving Islām. Today it has become clear that Jamā'at Ahmadiyya is true and it enjoys the support of Allāh." Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said that today it is through the Promised Messiah (May Allāh be his Helper) illustrated this with several examples.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said whenever the message of Islām reaches any part of the world through Jamā'at Ahmadiyya, pious people accept it. Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) mentioned the fruits that these efforts have borne. A gentleman who had been a Christian clergyman for 33 years accepted Ahmadiyyat. Students from Jāmi'a Ahmadiyya Canada were sent to Guatemala for one month where they distributed a hundred thousand leaflets. In response to this one person said, "What you are doing is like trying to change autumn into spring. But spring will surely come." A man from Switzerland said, "I like your flyer very much. Ahmadiyya Jamat has two principles, 'Love for all, hatred for none', and, 'There is no compulsion in religion.'" If these two principles are followed, peace can surely be established in the earth."

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said that this is the tree of Islām that was planted by God's own hand, and in this age the Promised Messiah has been sent to irrigate it. God Himself will continue to safeguard it to the last day and it will forever remain alive and verdant.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: In order to lead the world towards the path of God's pleasure and to spread peace and harmony, I have mentioned these few examples of how God opens people's hearts and causes others to speak up in our favour. Whether they live in Africa, in Europe, or in America, it has the same impact on them, because there is only one teaching of peace, and only Islām guarantees peace in the world. No matter what its opponents say or do, only Islām will bring peace and security to the world. May Allāh enable us to mould our character to the teachings of Islām and to become the means of its success and witness its progress. $\bar{A}m\bar{\imath}n$.

Please convey these guidelines given by Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) to members of your Jamā'at.

Jazākumullāh. Wassalām,

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