

Khaawarij and Murji'ah and their calamity upon Islaam

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In the name of Allaah, the Most Merciful, the Bestower of Mercy

And indeed the Shaytaan caused the majority of the people to fall into error with regards to this issue, and so he made a group (the Murjiah) fall short (and be too lax), and as a consequence they gave the ruling of Islaam on people who are proven to be disbelievers by the texts of the Book (the Qur'aan) and the Sunnah, and the consensus.

And made another group (the Khaawarij) go far beyond (into extreme), and as a consequence they declared people to be disbelievers who are ruled as being Muslims by the Book and the Sunnah together with the consensus.

And thus what a calamity for Islaam there is in these two groups! And what a trial for it in these two tribulations!

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