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

**Question:** What do you say about the one who says, "We lose the people with the word Tawheed"?

**Shaykh Bin Baaz** (*May Allaah the Most High have mercy on him*): This is incorrect. Tawheed (the Oneness of Allaah) is that which unites the hearts, and makes the ranks of the Muslims one, and makes the Muslim nation, one nation. We will not be one nation unless we are from those who worship Allaah as One, making our worship sincerely for Him alone. Allaah (Exalted be He) said, (what can be translated as)

['their desire is that you should be flexible: so would they be flexible'.]<sup>1</sup>

Meaning the pagans would love for you to abandon Tawheed (worshipping Allaah as One) and for you not to proclaim your disassociation from polytheism; so they would flatter you and love you. But on the contrary, Tawheed is necessary, and it must be proclaimed and made apparent; and the one who likes it can like and the one who hates it can hate it.

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Soorah al-Qalam [68:9] – سورة القلم 1