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Final Project - Webpage Assignment

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Religion 2356: The Qur'an

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Select a Qur'anic passage (in translation) of compelling interest to you and that is rich in generating multiple and varied perspectives, interpretations, etc. The passage may consist of anywhere between 85-125 words but should be no longer than 150 words. Design a Webpage that explicates and analyzes this passage. Your webpage will begin with framing the major question and/or issue you are investigating in relation to this passage and an overview/abstract discussing the passage generally. Include the text of the Qur'an passage. Relying upon at least one primary source and four types of secondary sources (see below), the webpage should **critically annotate key words, terms and concepts in this passage,** using hyperlinks and numbered endnotes, each cited properly. The majority of your annotations should reflect your own critical thinking, your own words and research. Lastly, you should establish a "Works Cited" page in which you cite and briefly describe each source used in the annotations.

Research Sources: You are required to use **4 to 5 sources** for the Evaluative Annotated Hyperlinked Pages:

1.) one primary source relating to the Qur'an and/or early Islam (e.g. tafsir, Hadith, Ibn Ishaq's Sira)
2.) at least one article or entry from a reference source with expertise in the Qur'an, (e.g., *Encyclopaedia of the Qur'an*, *Dictionary of Qur'anic Terms and Concepts)*
3.) one article from a reference source with expertise in Religion and/or Islam in general (e.g. *Oxford Islamic Studies Online, The Encyclopedia of Religion, The Encycloapedia of Islam, Encyclopedia of Islam and the Muslim World, Encyclopedia Judaica*)
4.) one scholarly article from a peer-reviewed journal
5.) one scholarly and/or academic book

Librarian Chris Nolan will conduct a session on information literacy that will assist you with this research. Librarian Jeremy Donald will conduct a session on information technology that will assist you with the setting up of the website.