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## 17. MOHAMMED AND FAITH

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**PILGRIM 1:** In His form, was there a similar [Inaudible] by the disciples of Mohammed in interpreting.

**ERUCH:** Yeah, Yeah, they made.

**PILGRIM 1:** Misinterpreting the.

**ERUCH:** Misinterpreting, yeah.

**PILGRIM 1:** Misinterpreting the order whatever.

**ERUCH:** They started trying to bring home to them the truth through sword and violence.

**PILGRIM 1:** What did Mohammed mean when He talked about, you know the sword.

**ERUCH:** He fired their consciousness, you see with the height of sublimity, you see. By saying that except faith, is the only recourse without that you see there is total damnation. And they picked on that and they thought that hook or crook you should accept this. Because even if you are slaughtered, even if I were to cut somebody you see and put to death, you see, it will be in the name of the Allah and he will benefit by it. So that's how it all began, started. And then of course aggression and violence flared up.