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This is a very important book. No book of its kind, in profundity as well as magnitude of scope and comprehensive grasp of modern intellectual challenges facing the contemporary Muslim World, appeared in the last century. The book deals with the fundamental question of the nature of 'worldview' according to Islam—a question that has never really been raised in our time. The author proposes that the nature of the worldview of Islam is not merely the mind's view of the physical world and of man's historical, social, political and cultural involvement in it, as has been misunderstood in the minds of secular, contemporary Muslim scholars generally, and particularly those preoccupied with the social and political sciences, but it should bear upon the Muslims' ideas about 'change', 'development', and 'progress'.

... is no meaning to the concept of development ...  
 ... to man, to his internal and external well-being ...  
 ... includes his environment. Whether it refers to his self ...  
 ... thing external to these, the ultimate meaning of ...

Internal Virtues

Populance	قويّة
Gratitude	شكر
Patience	صبر
Hope	آمال
Fear	وجل
Zuhd	رهق

← Sole Dut

حيا	Satisfact
حيا	Good Intention
صدق	Sincerity
صدق	Truthfulness
صفا	Vigilance
صفا	Self-Examination
صفا	Mobility

