

# Why is the U.S. Backing the Most Barbaric, Violent, Extreme Muslims ... And Overthrowing Moderates?

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Salafis are the most violent, crazed fundamentalist Muslims. For example, both [ISIS and Al Qaeda are Salafis](#).

ISIS and other salafi terrorists represent a very small percentage of Muslims. PBS estimates Salafi jihadists constitute [less than 0.5 percent](#) of the world's 1.9 billion Muslims (i.e., less than 10 million).

As we've been warning for more than a year - long before the old crazies re-branded as "ISIS" - Saudi Arabia, Qatar and other American allies have been [supporting the crazed extremists who are persecuting Christians](#).

Indeed, the majority of the world's Salafis are from [Qatar, UAE and Saudi Arabia](#). Salafis [make up](#):

- 46.87% of Qatar
- 44.8% of the United Arab Emirates
- 22.9% of Saudis
- 5.7% of Bahrainis
- 2.17% of Kuwaitis

These are the closest allies of the U.S. in the Middle East. In other words, we are [backing the most violent, extremist Muslims in the world ... and overthrowing the more moderate Arabs](#).

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