

THE TRUE COLOUR OF LEADERSHIP



Three cheers for Jacinda Ardern who has been deservedly described by the BBC News as “**A Leader with Love Full on Display**”. This courageous leader stood tall in front of her country when tragedy struck 50 Muslims, duly worshipping in their respective mosques and were brutally gunned down

PM Ardern’s earliest communication when the incident was announced stood before the nation and the world and calmly yet solemnly stated, “The person who has perpetuated the violence against us is not Us. There is no place in New Zealand, for such acts of extreme and unprecedented violence which is clear what this act was”

This remarkable leader swiftly put into action the changing of the gun laws in New Zealand "within 10 days" through her parliament, by banning the ownership of automatic weapons to their citizens; she mobilized FACEBOOK to remove over 1.3 million videos from the medium of the heinous act and also got other social media intermediaries to respond in accordance, she engaged world leaders to join in her fight to end global anti racism terrorism, and her most heroic action was the denouncement of the terrorist by declaring to never call his name in public, to heighten his notoriety. She has tirelessly availed herself to the community of Christchurch where the victims and their families resided.

PM Arden’s empathy and respect for these families with her outpouring of compassion, comforting the distressed families including providing financial assistance demonstrates a leader who walks tall amongst her people in mourning. She has won the heart of the world with her bold and decisive actions in the face of crisis – her ability to show the **TRUE COLOUR OF LEADERSHIP**

Her most compelling words were “We represent diversity, kindness, compassion, a home for all those who share our values. Refuge for those who need it and those values I can assure you will not and cannot be shaken this by attack. We are a proud nation of more than 200 ethnicities, 160 languages and amongst their diversity we share common values and the one that we place the currency on right now and tonight is compassion, and the support for the community of those directly affected by this tragedy. Secondly, the strongest possible condemnation of the ideology of the people who did this. You may have chosen us but we utterly reject and condemn you.