

The Future (Kayam Submission) – Ahmed Masri

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Darkness surrounds the world.

A time of great peril, a time of great danger.

A time of injustice, a time of deception.

A time of treachery, a time of depression.

The pen has become extinct, the book, a myth.

The firearm has become standard-issue.

The innocent dead, the guilty thriving with smirks on their faces, mocking and belittling
“those who lost”

Mourn the dead, move on.

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An Earth, stripped of God’s provisions.

An Earth, stripped of God’s blessings.

The beautiful discovery of technology is used for evil things.

To break tides.

To begin bitter rivalries.

To end people, to end nations.

A time when human rights are dreamt of.

A time when unity is unheard of.

Although not all is lost.

Earth’s citizens are beginning to acquire knowledge.

Earth’s citizens are slowly beginning to realise the power of unity.

Some have a dream, a dream that the firearm becomes extinct, the book and the pen become
standard-issue.

A dream that Earth’s citizens can overcome the barriers set in place by those who aren’t
human although live on Earth.

Those who aren’t civilized enough to be classified as human.

Those evil creatures, not those that are forced to impose evil, it is the puppet masters who pull the strings.

A dream, that one day, all of Earth's citizens can be graced with unity once more.