

Federal Data: U.S. Annually Admits Quarter Of A Million Muslim Migrants

The number we had been hearing for years is 100,000 per year. [grown](#) enormously, including 16-fold increase in Saudi students since 9/11. [Arabic is now the most common language spoken by refugees](#), and [91.4 percent](#) of recent refugees from the Middle East are on food stamps.

The large-scale importation of Muslim migrants from nations that do not share Western values has posed a series of assimilation difficulties for the United States. For instance, the importation of immigrants from predominantly Muslim countries has now [put half a million girls](#) in the United States at risk of enduring a traditional anti-Western, anti-woman practice known as Female Genital Mutilation (FGM). This means that there are more girls in the United States at risk of lifelong sexual disfigurement than there are in Uganda and Cameroon.

Moreover, the importation of Muslim immigrants through the nation's refugee program has led to the development of pockets of radicalized communities throughout the United States— as evidenced in [Minneapolis, Minnesota](#) and [provided](#) by the Senate Immigration Subcommittee— confirms the terror threat posed by our federal immigration policy of issuing large numbers of visas to majority-Muslim countries:

A refugee voluntarily admitted from Uzbekistan and “living in Idaho was arrested and charged with providing support to a terrorist organization, in the form of [blow up a Christmas tree lighting ceremony](#) in Oregon.”

An immigrant voluntarily admitted from Kazakhstan “with

lawful permanent resident status [tried to join ISIS and wage jihad](#) on its behalf after having been recruited online.”

An immigrant voluntarily admitted from Bangladesh, “who applied for and received U.S. citizenship, [trying to join ISIS](#). He was also charged with attempting to illegally buy firearms to try to shoot American military personnel.”

Yet even as the United States struggles to properly screen and assimilate the large numbers brought in each year, many Republican presidential candidates say that number should be even greater. GOP presidential hopefuls John Kasich,

Sen. Lindsey Graham (R-SC), Jeb Bush, and Sen. Marco Rubio (R-FL) have all expressed support for admitting more Syrian migrants.

“I would be open to that if it can be done in a way that allows us to ensure that among them are not people who are part of a terrorist organization who are using this crisis,” Rubio [declared](#) he will be in first place by February— would import even more immigrants – some Muslim – by lifting green card caps for foreign students and tripling the number of foreign workers admitted on visas. This bill is central to Rubio’s campaign platform of creating [“New American Economy”](#) would have multiple benefits for America such as fewer English speakers, more diversity and lower wages that will allow corporations to increase their bottom lines.

Rubio’s effort to create a [and Lindsey Graham](#) have both explicitly said that the United States needs to take in more more refugees because a poem written by Emma Lazarus now displayed on the pedestal of the Statue of Liberty. The poem, entitled “The New Colossus,” reads in part:

*Give me your tired, your poor/ your huddled masses
yearning to breathe free,/the wretched refuse of your
teeming shore./Send these, the homeless, tempest-tost to
me,/I lift my lamp beside the golden door!*

According to the [symbol](#) of “Liberty Enlightening the World,” which is why the only text originally included on the statue was the year 1776 written in Roman Numerals.

Yet even when Lazarus’ poem was later added to the statue in the early 1900s, it was understood that the poem was not meant to represent the nation’s federal immigration policy—a detail underscored by the fact that shortly after that poem was added, then-President Calvin Coolidge enacted a nearly five-decades-long immigration pause to allow the influx of European immigrants to better assimilate and allow middle class wages to rise.

Ironically, the Statue of Liberty— so often invoked by advocates for large-scale immigration— was a gift from the nation of France. Yet of the one million green cards handed out last year, very few were given to the Thomas Jefferson’s [added](#) more than ten times more immigrants on green cards from the Muslim countries of Pakistan, Bangladesh, Iran and Egypt (48,507) than we did from the nation France (4,425).