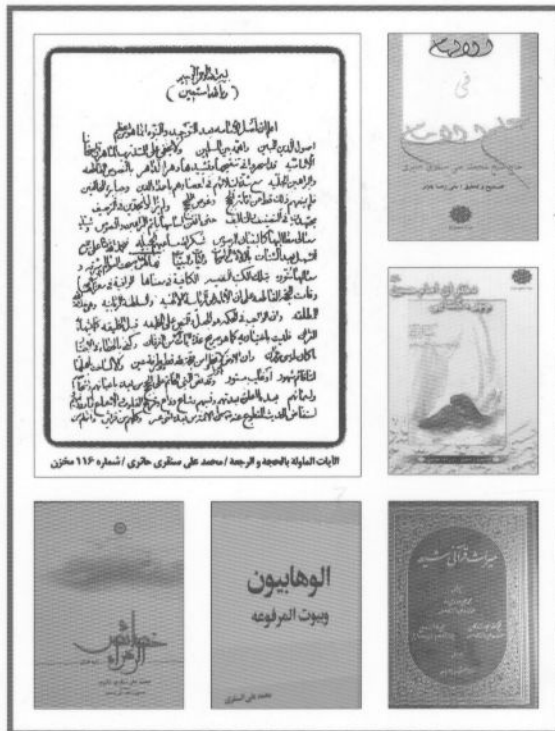


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## **The necessity of investigating the juridical-legal dimensions of the Day of Ashura A look at**

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## **Ashuralogy: An investigation into the goal of Imam Husain [peace be upon him (A.S)]**

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This article gives a short report about the contents of the book “Ashuralogy: An investigation into the goal of Imam Husain (A. S.)” and deals with a few important methodological issues about the book. The main idea of this study is that the book author has paid attention to and has properly emphasized the dual role of history and theology in understanding and interpreting the incident of Ashura. Showing another angle and dimension of the issue, this article emphasizes the necessity of simultaneous attention to the three dimensions of history, theology, and jurisprudence. The current study, presents a list of the juridical – legal issues which play roles in understanding the Day of Ashura. It shows that juridical fundamentals and issues related to Ashura also play a decisive role in accepting or rejecting the experts’ theories about the goals of Imam Hussein’s (A. S.) uprising.