

Surah 73 . Al-Muzzammil (The One Folded in Garments)

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I begin in the Name of Allah, Hir Rahman Nir Raheem (the Compassionate the Merciful).

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1 . *Ya Ayohal Mozam-Mil!* (O you who are wrapped up in your garments)!

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2 . Rise to pray in the night except a little,

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3 . Half of it, or lessen it a little,

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4 . Or add to it, and recite the *Quran* as it ought to be recited.

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5 . Surely We will make to light upon you a weighty Word.

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6 . Surely the rising by night is the firmest way to tread and the best corrective of speech.

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7 . Surely you have in the day time a long occupation.

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8 . And remember the name of your '*Rabb*' and devote yourself to Him with (exclusive) devotion.

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9 . The '*Rabb*' of the East and the West; there is no god but He; therefore take Him for a protector.

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10 . And bear patiently what they say and avoid them with a becoming avoidance.

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11 . And leave Me and the rejecters, the possessors of ease and plenty, and respite them a little.

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12 . Surely with Us are heavy fetters and a flaming fire,

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13 . And food that chokes and a painful punishment,

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14 . On the day when the earth and the mountains shall quake and the mountains shall become heaps of sand let loose.

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15 . Surely We have sent to you a *Rasool* (an apostle), a witness against you, as We sent a *Rasool* (an apostle) to *Firon* (Pharoah).

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16 . But *Firon* (Pharoah) disobeyed the *Rasool* (apostle), so We laid on him a violent hold.

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17 . How, then, will you guard yourselves, if you disbelieve, on the day which shall make children grey-headed?

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18 . The heaven shall rend asunder thereby; His promise is ever brought to fulfillment.

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19 . Surely this is a reminder, then let him, who will take the way to his '*Rabb*'.

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20 . Surely your '*Rabb*' knows that you pass in prayer nearly two-thirds of the night, and half of it, and a third of it, and a party of those with you; and **Allah** measures the night and the day. He knows that you are not able to do it, so He has turned to you, therefore read what is easy of the *Quran*. He knows that there must be among you sick, and others who travel in the land seeking of the bounty of **Allah**, and others who fight in **Allah**'s way, therefore read as much of it as is easy, and keep up prayer and pay the *Zakat* (Ismgiving) and offer to **Allah** a goodly gift, and whatever of good you send on beforehand for yourselves, you will find it with **Allah**; that is best and greatest in reward; and ask forgiveness of **Allah**; surely **Allah** is *Ghafoor-rur Raheem* (The Forgiving, The Merciful).