

## Surah 90 . Al-Balad (The City)

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

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

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1 . No! I swear by this city.

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2 . And you shall be made free from obligation in this city;

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3 . And the begetter and whom he begot.

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4 . Certainly We have created man to be in distress.

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5 . Does he think that no one has power over him?

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6 . He shall say: "I have wasted much wealth.

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7 . Does he think that no one sees him?

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8 . Have We not given him two eyes,

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9 . And a tongue and two lips,

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10 . And pointed out to him the two conspicuous ways?

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11 . But he would not attempt the uphill road,

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12 . And what will make you comprehend what the uphill road is?

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13 . The setting free of a slave,

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14 . Or the giving of food in a day of hunger

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15 . To an orphan, having relationship,

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16 . Or to the poor man lying in the dust.

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17 . Then he is of those who believe and charge one another to show patience, and charge one another to show compassion.

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18 . These are the people of the right hand.

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19 . And Those who disbelieve in our communications, they are the people of the left hand.

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20 . On them is fire closed over.