

Surah 46. Al-Ahqaf (Winding Sand-Tracts)

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

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

حم (١)

1 . Ha Meem.

تَنْزِيلِ الْكِتَابِ مِنَ اللَّهِ الْعَزِيزِ الْحَكِيمِ (٢)

2 . The revelation of The Book is from Allah, Azeez-zil Hakeem (The Mighty, The Praiseworthy)

مَا خَلَقْنَا السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضَ وَمَا بَيْنَهُمَا إِلَّا بِالْحَقِّ وَأَجَلٍ مُّسَمًّى وَالَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا عَمَّا أُنذِرُوا

مُعْرِضُونَ (٣)

3 . We did not create the heavens and the earth and what is between them two save with truth and for an appointed term; and those who disbelieve turn aside from what they are warned of.

قُلْ أَرَأَيْتُمْ مَا تَدْعُونَ مِنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ أَمْ هِيَ آيَاتُ اللَّهِ أَمْ هِيَ آيَاتُ الْبَشَرِ أَمْ هِيَ شُرَكَاءُ فِي السَّمَاوَاتِ

إِن تُؤْتُونِي بِكِتَابٍ مِنْ قَبْلِ هَذَا أَوْ أَثَارَةٍ مِنْ عِلْمٍ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ صَادِقِينَ (٤)

4 . Say: "Have you considered what you call upon besides Allah? Show me what they have created of the earth, or have they a share in the heavens? Bring me a book before this or traces of knowledge, if you are truthful.

وَمَنْ أَضَلُّ لِمَنْ يَدْعُوا مِنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ مَنْ لَا يَسْتَجِيبُ لَهُ إِلَى يَوْمِ الْقِيَامَةِ وَهُمْ عَنِ دُعَائِهِمْ غَافِلُونَ

(٥)

5 . And who is in greater error than he who calls besides Allah upon those that will not answer him till Qiyamat (the day of resurrection) and they are heedless of their call?

وَإِذَا حُشِرَ النَّاسُ كَانُوا لَهُمْ أَعْدَاءً وَكَانُوا بِعِبَادَتِهِمْ كَافِرِينَ (٦)

6 . And when men are gathered together they shall be their enemies, and shall be deniers of their worshipping.

وَإِذَا تُلِيَتْ عَلَيْهِمْ آيَاتُنَا بَيِّنَاتٍ قَالَ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا وَالْحَقُّ لَمَّا جَاءَهُمْ هَذَا سِحْرٌ مُّبِينٌ (٧)

7 . And when Our clear communications are recited to them, those who disbelieve say with regard to the truth when it comes to them: This is clear magic.

أَمْ يَقُولُونَ افْتَرَاهُ قُلْ إِنْ افْتَرَيْتُهُ فَلَا تَمْلِكُونَ لِي مِنَ اللَّهِ شَيْئًا هُوَ أَعْلَمُ بِمَا تُفِيضُونَ فِيهِ كَفَىٰ بِهِ
شَهِيدًا ابْنِي وَبَيْنَكُمْ وَهُوَ الْغَفُورُ الرَّحِيمُ (٨)

8 . No! they say: “He has forged it. Say: “If I have forged it, you do not control anything for me from Allah; He knows best what you utter concerning it; He is enough as a witness between me and you, and He is *Ghafoor-rur-Raheem* (The Forgiving, The Merciful)

قُلْ مَا كُنْتُ بِدُعَاءِ مِنَ الرُّسُلِ وَمَا أُدْرِي مَا يُفْعَلُ بِي وَلَا بِكُمْ إِنْ أَتَّبِعُ إِلَّا مَا يُوحَىٰ إِلَيَّ وَمَا أَنَا إِلَّا نَذِيرٌ
مُبِينٌ (٩)

9 . Say: “I am not the first of the *Rasools* (apostles), and I do not know what will be done with me or with you: I do not follow anything but that which is revealed to me, and I am nothing but a plain warner.

قُلْ أَرَأَيْتُمْ إِنْ كَانَ مِنْ عِنْدِ اللَّهِ وَكَفَرْتُمْ بِهِ وَشَهِدَ شَاهِدٌ مِنْ بَنِي إِسْرَائِيلَ عَلَىٰ مِثْلِهِ فَأَمَنَ
وَاسْتَكْبَرْتُمْ إِنْ لَمْ يَهْدِ اللَّهُ الْقَوْمَ الظَّالِمِينَ (١٠)

10 . Say: “Have you considered if it is from Allah, and you disbelieve in it, and a witness from among the children of Israel has borne witness of one like it, so he believed, while you are big with pride; surely Allah does not guide the unjust people.

وَقَالَ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا الْوَلَوْ كَانَ خَيْرًا مَّا سَبَقُونَا إِلَيْهِ وَإِذْ لَمْ يَهْتَدُوا بِهِ فَسَيَقُولُونَ هَذَا
إِنْ كُنَّا قَدِيمًا (١١)

11 . And those who disbelieve say concerning those who believe: If it had been a good, they would not have gone ahead of us therein. And as they do not seek to be rightly directed thereby, they say: “It is an old lie.

وَمِنْ قَبْلِهِ كِتَابُ مُوسَىٰ إِمَامًا وَرَحْمَةً وَهَذَا كِتَابٌ مُصَدِّقٌ لِسَانًا عَرَبِيًّا لِيُنذِرَ الَّذِينَ ظَلَمُوا
وَبُشْرَىٰ لِلْمُحْسِنِينَ (١٢)

12 . And before it The Book of *Musa* (Moses) was a guide and a mercy: and this is a Book verifying it in the Arabic language that it may warn those who are unjust and as good news for the doers of good.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ قَالُوا رَبُّنَا اللَّهُ ثُمَّ اسْتَقَامُوا فَلَا خَوْفٌ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا هُمْ يَحْزَنُونَ (١٣)

13 . Surely those who say, Our ‘*Rabb*’ is Allah, then they continue on the right way, they shall have no fear nor shall they grieve.

أُولَٰئِكَ أَصْحَابُ الْجَنَّةِ خَالِدِينَ فِيهَا جَزَاءً بِمَا كَانُوا يَعْمَلُونَ (١٤)

14 . These are the dwellers of *Jannat* (the garden), abiding therein: a reward for what they did.

وَوَصَّيْنَا الْإِنْسَانَ بِوَالِدَيْهِ إِحْسَانًا حَمَلَتْهُ أُمُّهُ كُرْهًا وَوَضَعَتْهُ كُرْهًا وَحَمَلُهُ وَفِصَالُهُ ثَلَاثُونَ شَهْرًا
 حَتَّىٰ إِذَا بَلَغَ أَشُدَّهُ وَبَلَغَ أَرْبَعِينَ سَنَةً قَالَ رَبِّ أَوْزِعْنِي أَنْ أَشْكُرَ نِعْمَتَكَ الَّتِي أَنْعَمْتَ عَلَيَّ وَعَلَىٰ
 وَالِدَيَّ وَأَنْ أَعْمَلَ صَالِحًا تَرْضَاهُ وَأَصْلِحْ لِي فِي ذُرِّيَّتِي إِنِّي تُبْتُ إِلَيْكَ وَإِنِّي مِنَ الْمُسْلِمِينَ (١٥)

15 . And We have enjoined on man doing of good to his parents; with trouble did his mother bear him and with trouble did she bring him forth; and the bearing of him and the weaning of him was thirty months; until when he attains his maturity and reaches forty years, he says: My *'Rabb!* grant me that I may give thanks for Your Favour which You have bestowed on me and on my parents, and that I may do good which pleases Only You and do good to me in respect of my offspring; surely I turn to Only You, and surely I am of those who submit.

أُولَئِكَ الَّذِينَ نَتَقَبَّلُ عَنْهُمْ أَحْسَنَ مَا عَمِلُوا وَنَتَجَاوَزُ عَنْ سَيِّئَاتِهِمْ فِي أَصْحَابِ الْجَنَّةِ وَعَدَ
 الصِّدْقِ الَّذِي كَانُوا يُوعَدُونَ (١٦)

16 . These are they from whom We accept the best of what they have done and pass over their evil deeds, among the dwellers of *Jannat* (the garden); the promise of truth which they were promised.

وَالَّذِي قَالَ لَوْ لِدَيْهِ أُفٍّ لَكُمْ أَتَعِدَا نِي أَنْ أَخْرَجَ وَقَدْ خَلَّتِ الْقُرُونُ مِنْ قَبْلِي وَأَهُمَا يَسْتَعْجِلَانِ
 اللَّهُ وَيَلِكُ آمِنْ إِنْ وَعَدَ اللَّهُ حَقٌّ فَيَقُولُ مَا هَذَا إِلَّا أَسَاطِيرُ الْأَوَّلِينَ (١٧)

17 . And he who says to his parents: Fie on you! do you threaten me that I shall be brought forth when generations have already passed away before me? And they both call for *Allah's* aid: Woe to you! believe, surely the promise of *Allah* is true. But he says: This is nothing but stories of the ancients.

أُولَئِكَ الَّذِينَ حَقَّ عَلَيْهِمُ الْقَوْلُ فِي أُمَمٍ قَدْ خَلَتْ مِنْ قَبْلِهِمْ مِنَ الْجِنَّ وَالْإِنْسِ إِنَّهُمْ كَانُوا
 خَاسِرِينَ (١٨)

18 . These are they against whom the word has proved true among nations of the *jinn* and the men that have already passed away before them; surely they are losers.

وَلِكُلِّ دَرَجَاتٍ مِمَّا عَمِلُوا وَلِيُؤْفَفِيَهُمْ أَعْمَاهُمْ وَهُمْ لَا يُظْلَمُونَ (١٩)

19 . And for all are degrees according to what they did, and that He may pay them back fully their deeds and they shall not be wronged.

وَيَوْمَ يُعْرَضُ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا عَلَى النَّارِ أَلَيْسَ لَكُمْ طَبِيبَاتِكُمْ فِي حَيَاتِكُمُ الدُّنْيَا وَاسْتَمْتَعْتُمْ بِهَا فَالْيَوْمَ
تُجْزَوْنَ عَذَابَ الْهُونِ بِمَا كُنْتُمْ تَسْتَكْبِرُونَ فِي الْأَرْضِ بِغَيْرِ الْحَقِّ وَبِمَا كُنْتُمْ تَفْسُقُونَ (٢٠)

20 . And on the day when those who disbelieve shall be brought before the fire: You did away with your good things in your life of the world and you enjoyed them for a while, so today you shall be rewarded with the punishment of abasement because you were unjustly proud in the land and because you transgressed.

وَإِذْ كَرَّ أَخَا عَادٍ إِذْ أُنذِرَ قَوْمَهُ بِالْأَحْقَافِ وَقَدْ خَلَّتِ التُّدُرُ مِنْ بَيْنِ يَدَيْهِ وَمِنْ خَلْفِهِ أَلَّا تَعْبُدُوا إِلَّا
اللَّهَ إِنِّي أَخَافُ عَلَيْكُمْ عَذَابَ يَوْمٍ عَظِيمٍ (٢١)

21 . And mention the brother of *Ad*; when he warned his people in the sandy plains,; and indeed warners came before him and after him; saying Serve none but **Allah**; surely I fear for you the punishment of a grievous day.

قَالُوا أَجِئْتَنَا لِنَأْفِكَنَا عَنْ آهْتِنَا فَأْتِنَا بِمَا تَعِدُنَا إِنْ كُنْتَ مِنَ الصَّادِقِينَ (٢٢)

22 . They said: Have you come to us to turn us away from our gods; then bring us what you threaten us with, if you are of the truthful ones.

قَالَ إِنَّمَا الْعِلْمُ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ وَأُبَلِّغُكُمْ مَا أُرْسِلْتُ بِهِ وَلَكِنِّي أَرَأَيْتُمْ قَوْمًا تَجْهَلُونَ (٢٣)

23 . He said: The knowledge is only with **Allah**, and I deliver to you the message with which I am sent, but I see you are a people who are ignorant.

فَلَمَّا رَأَوْهُ عَارِضًا مُسْتَقْبِلَ أَوْدِيَّتِهِمْ قَالَ هَذَا عَارِضٌ لَكُمْ لَمَطِرٌ نَابِلٌ لَكُمْ لَعَلَّكُمْ بِهِ تَرْجُونَ
عَذَابَ أَلِيمٍ (٢٤)

24 . So when they saw it as a cloud appearing in the sky advancing towards their valleys, they said: This is a cloud which will give us rain. No! it is what you sought to have on, a blast of wind in which is a painful punishment,

تُدَمِّرُ كُلَّ شَيْءٍ بِأَمْرِ رَبِّهَا فَأَصْبَحُوا لَا يُرَى إِلَّا مَسَاكِنُهُمْ كَذَلِكَ نَجْزِي الْقَوْمَ الْمُجْرِمِينَ (٢٥)

25 . Destroying everything by the command of its '*Rabb*', so they became such that nothing could be seen except their dwellings. Thus do We reward the guilty people.

وَلَقَدْ مَكَّنَّاهُمْ فِيمَا إِنْ مَكَّنَّاكُمْ فِيهِ وَجَعَلْنَا لَهُمْ سَمْعًا وَأَبْصَارًا وَأَفْئِدَةً فَمَا أَغْنَى عَنْهُمْ سَمْعُهُمْ

وَلَا أَبْصَارُهُمْ وَلَا أَفْئِدَتُهُمْ مِنْ شَيْءٍ إِذْ كَانُوا يَجْحَدُونَ بِآيَاتِ اللَّهِ وَحَاقَ بِهِمْ مَا كَانُوا بِهِ

يَسْتَهْزِئُونَ (٢٦)

26 . And certainly We had established them in what We have not established you in, and We had given; them ears and eyes and hearts, but neither their ears, nor their eyes, nor their hearts

availed them anything, since they denied the communications of Allah, and that which they mocked encompassed them.

وَلَقَدْ أَهْلَكْنَا مَا حَوْلَكُمْ مِنَ الْقَرْيِ وَصَرَّفْنَا الْآيَاتِ لَعَلَّهُمْ يَرْجِعُونَ (٢٧)

27 . And certainly We destroyed the towns which are around you, and We repeat the communications that they might turn.

فَلَوْلَا نَصْرُهُمُ الَّذِينَ اتَّخَذُوا مِنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ قُرْبَانًا آلِهَةً بَلْ ضَلُّوا عَنْهُمْ وَذَلِكِ إِفْكَهُمُ وَمَا كَانُوا يَفْتَرُونَ (٢٨)

28 . Why did not then those help them whom they took for gods besides Allah to draw near? No! they were lost to them; and that was their lie and what they forged.

وَإِذْ صَرَّفْنَا إِلَيْكَ نَفَرًا مِّنَ الْجِنِّ يَسْتَمِعُونَ الْقُرْآنَ فَلَمَّا حَضَرُوهُ قَالُوا أَنْصِتُوا فَلَمَّا قُضِيَ وَلَّوْا إِلَىٰ قَوْمِهِمْ مُّذِرِينَ (٢٩)

29 . And when We turned towards you a party of the *jinn* who listened to the *Quran*; so when they came to it, they said: Be silent; then when it was finished, they turned back to their people warning.

قَالُوا يَا قَوْمَنَا إِنَّا سَمِعْنَا كِتَابًا أُنزِلَ مِنْ بَعْدِ مُوسَىٰ مُصَدِّقًا لِّمَا بَيْنَ يَدَيْهِ يَهْدِي إِلَى الْحَقِّ وَإِلَىٰ طَرِيقٍ مُّسْتَقِيمٍ (٣٠)

30 . They said: O our people! we have listened to a Book revealed after *Musa* (*Moses*) verifying that which is before it, guiding to the truth and to a right path:

يَا قَوْمَنَا أَجِيبُوا دَاعِيَ اللَّهِ وَآمِنُوا بِهِ يَغْفِرَ لَكُمْ مِنْ ذُنُوبِكُمْ وَيُجِرْكُمْ مِنْ عَذَابٍ أَلِيمٍ (٣١)

31 . *Ya Qouma* (O our people)! Harken to the one who invites to Allah and believe in Him, He will forgive you of your faults and protect you from a painful punishment.

وَمَنْ لَا يُجِبْ دَاعِيَ اللَّهِ فَلَيْسَ بِمُعْجِزٍ فِي الْأَرْضِ وَلَيْسَ لَهُ مِنْ دُونِهِ أَوْلِيَاءُ أُولَٰئِكَ فِي ضَلَالٍ مُّبِينٍ (٣٢)

32 . If any does not hearken to the one who invites to Allah, he shall not escape in the earth and he shall not have guardians besides Him, these are in manifest error.

أَوَلَمْ يَرَوْا أَنَّ اللَّهَ الَّذِي خَلَقَ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضَ وَلَمْ يَعْْي بِخَلْقِهِنَّ بِقَادِرٍ عَلَىٰ أَنْ يُحْيِيَ الْمَوْتَىٰ بَلَىٰ إِنَّهُ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ (٣٣)

33 . Have they not considered that Allah, Who created the heavens and the earth and was not tired by their creation, is able to give life to the dead? Yes! He has surely power over all things.

وَيَوْمَ يُعْرَضُ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا عَلَى النَّارِ أَلَيْسَ هَذَا بِالْحَقِّ قَالُوا بَلَىٰ وَرَبِّنَا قَالَ فَذُوقُوا الْعَذَابَ بِمَا كُنْتُمْ تَكْفُرُونَ (٣٤)

34 . And on the day when those who disbelieve shall be brought before the fire: Is it not true? They shall say: "Yes! by our *Rabb*! He will say: "Then taste the punishment, because you disbelieved.

فَاصْبِرْ كَمَا صَبَرَ أُولُو الْعَزْمِ مِنَ الرُّسُلِ وَلَا تَسْتَعْجِلْ لَهُمْ كَأَنَّهُمْ يَوْمَ يَرَوْنَ مَا يُوعَدُونَ لَمْ يَلْبَسُوا إِلَّا سَاعَةً مِنْ نَهَارٍ بَلَاغٌ فَهَلْ يُهْلَكُ إِلَّا الْقَوْمُ الْفَاسِقُونَ (٣٥)

35 . Therefore bear up patiently as did the *Rasool/s* (apostles) endowed with constancy bear up with patience and do not seek to haste for them. On the day that they shall see what they are promised they shall be as if they had not tarried save an hour of the day. A sufficient exposition! Shall then any be destroyed save the transgressing people?

Surah 47. Muhammad (The Prophet Muhammad)

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

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

الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا وَصَدُّوا عَنْ سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ أَضَلَّ أَعْمَاهُمْ (١)

1 . Those who disbelieve and turn away from Allah's way, He shall render their works ineffective.

وَالَّذِينَ آمَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا الصَّالِحَاتِ وَآمَنُوا بِمَا نُزِّلَ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَهُوَ الْحَقُّ مِنْ رَبِّهِمْ كَفَّرَ عَنْهُمْ

سَيِّئَاتِهِمْ وَأَصْلَحَ بَالَهُمْ (٢)

2 . And Those who believe and do good, and believe in what has been revealed to Muhammad, and it is the very truth from their 'Rabb', He will remove their evil from them and improve their condition.

ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا اتَّبَعُوا الْبَاطِلَ وَأَنَّ الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا اتَّبَعُوا الْحَقَّ مِنْ رَبِّهِمْ كَذَلِكَ يَضْرِبُ اللَّهُ

لِلنَّاسِ أَمْثَالَهُمْ (٣)

3 . That is because those who disbelieve follow falsehood, and have given them their dowries, taking in marriage, not fornicating nor taking them for paramours in secret; and whoever denies faith, his work indeed is of no account, and in the hereafter he shall be one of the losers.

فَإِذَا لَقِيتُمْ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا فَضَرْبِ الرِّقَابِ حَتَّىٰ إِذَا أَتَخْتَمُوهُمْ فَشُدُّوا الْوَتَاقَ فَإِمَّا مِمَّا بَعْدُ وَإِمَّا

فِدَاءً حَتَّىٰ تَضَعَ الْحَرْبُ أَوْزَارَهَا ذَلِكَ وَلَوْ يَشَاءُ اللَّهُ لَانْتَصَرَ مِنْهُمْ وَلَكِنْ لِيَبْلُوَ بَعْضَكُمْ بِبَعْضٍ

وَالَّذِينَ قُتِلُوا فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ فَلَنْ يُضِلَّ أَعْمَاهُمْ (٤)

4. So when you meet in battle those who disbelieve, then smite the necks until when you have overcome them, then make prisoners, and afterwards either set them free as a Favour or let them ransom, until the war terminates. That; and if Allah had pleased He would certainly have exacted what is due from them, but that He may try some of you by means of others; and Those who are slain in the way of Allah, He will by no means allow their deeds to perish.

سَيَهْدِيهِمْ وَيُصْلِحُ بَالَهُمْ (٥)

5 . He will guide them and improve their condition.

وَيُدْخِلُهُمُ الْجَنَّةَ عَرَّفَهَا لَهُمْ (٦)

6 . And cause them to enter Jannat (the garden) which He has made known to them.

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا إِن تَنصُرُوا اللَّهَ يَنصُرْكُمْ وَيُثَبِّتْ أَقْدَامَكُمْ ﴿٧﴾

7 . Ya Ayohal-Lazeena Aamanoo (O you who believe) ! if you help (the cause of) Allah, He will help you and make firm your feet.

وَالَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا فَتَعْسًا لَهُمْ وَأَصْلٌ أَعْمَاهُمْ ﴿٨﴾

8 . And Those who disbelieve, for them is destruction and He has made their deeds ineffective.

ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّهُمْ كَرِهُوا مَا أَنْزَلَ اللَّهُ فَأَحْبَطَ أَعْمَاهُمْ ﴿٩﴾

9 . That is because they hated what Allah revealed, so He rendered their deeds null.

أَفَلَمْ يَسِيرُوا فِي الْأَرْضِ فَيَنْظُرُوا كَيْفَ كَانَ عَاقِبَةُ الَّذِينَ مِنْ قَبْلِهِمْ دَمَّرَ اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلِلْكَافِرِينَ أَمْثَالُهَا ﴿١٠﴾

10 . Have they not then journeyed in the land and seen how was the end of those before them: Allah brought down destruction upon them, and the unbelievers shall have the like of it.

ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّ اللَّهَ مَوْلَى الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا وَأَنَّ الْكَافِرِينَ لَا مَوْلَى لَهُمْ ﴿١١﴾

11 . That is because Allah is the Protector of those who believe, and because the unbelievers shall have no protector for them.

إِنَّ اللَّهَ يُدْخِلُ الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا الصَّالِحَاتِ جَنَّاتٍ تَجْرِي مِنْ تَحْتِهَا الْأَنْهَارُ وَالَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا يَتَمَتَّعُونَ وَيَأْكُلُونَ كَمَا تَأْكُلُ الْأَنْعَامُ وَالنَّارُ مَثْوًى لَهُمْ ﴿١٢﴾

12 . Surely Allah will make those who believe and do good enter Jannat (garden) beneath which rivers flow; and those who disbelieve enjoy themselves and eat as the beasts eat, and the fire is their abode.

وَكَأَيِّنْ مِنْ قَرْيَةٍ هِيَ أَشَدُّ قُوَّةً مِنْ قَرْيَتِكَ الَّتِي أَخْرَجْتِكَ أَهْلُكُنَاهُمْ فَلَا نَاصِرَ لَهُمْ ﴿١٣﴾

13 . And how many a town which was far more powerful than the town of yours which has driven you out: We destroyed them so there was no helper for them.

أَفَمَنْ كَانَ عَلَىٰ بَيِّنَةٍ مِنْ رَبِّهِ كَمَنْ زُوِّنَ لَهُ سُوءُ عَمَلِهِ وَاتَّبَعُوا أَهْوَاءَهُمْ ﴿١٤﴾

14 . What! is he who has a clear argument from his 'Rabb' like him to whom the evil of his work is made fairseeming: and they follow their low desires.

مَثَلُ الْجَنَّةِ الَّتِي وَعَدَ الْمُتَّقُونَ فِيهَا أَنْهَارٌ مِنْ مَاءٍ غَيْرِ آسِنٍ وَأَنْهَارٌ مِنْ لَبَنٍ لَمْ يَتَغَيَّرْ طَعْمُهُ وَأَنْهَارٌ مِنْ خَمْرٍ لَذَّةٍ لِلشَّارِبِينَ وَأَنْهَارٌ مِنْ عَسَلٍ مُصَفًّى وَلَهُمْ فِيهَا مِنْ كُلِّ الثَّمَرَاتِ وَمَغْفِرَةٌ مِنْ رَبِّهِمْ كَمَنْ هُوَ خَالِدٌ فِي النَّارِ وَسُقُوا مَاءً حَمِيمًا فَقَطَّعَ أَمْعَاءَهُمْ ﴿١٥﴾

15 . A parable of *Jannat* (the garden) which those guarding (against evil) are promised: Therein are rivers of water that does not alter, and rivers of milk the taste whereof does not change, and rivers of drink delicious to those who drink, and rivers of honey clarified and for them therein are all fruits and protection from their '*Rabb*'. (Are these) like those who abide in the fire and who are made to drink boiling water so it rends their bowels asunder.

وَمِنْهُمْ مَنْ يَسْتَمِعُ إِلَيْكَ حَتَّىٰ إِذَا خَرَجُوا مِنْ عِنْدِكَ قَالُوا لِلَّذِينَ أُوتُوا الْعِلْمَ مَاذَا قَالَ آنِفًا أُولَٰئِكَ الَّذِينَ طَبَعَ اللَّهُ عَلَىٰ قُلُوبِهِمْ وَاتَّبَعُوا أَهْوَاءَهُمْ (١٦)

16 . And there are those of them who seek to listen to you, until when they go forth from you, they say to those who have been given the knowledge: What was it that he said just now? These are they upon whose hearts **Allah** has set a seal and they follow their low desires.

وَالَّذِينَ اهْتَدَوْا زَادَهُمْ هُدًىٰ وَآتَاهُمْ تَقْوَاهُمْ (١٧)

17 . And those who follow the right direction, He increases them in guidance and gives them their guarding (against evil).

فَهَلْ يَنْظُرُونَ إِلَّا السَّاعَةَ أَنْ تَأْتِيَهُمْ بَغْتَةً فَقَدْ جَاءَ أَشْرَاطُهَا فَأَنَّىٰ لَهُمْ إِذَا جَاءَهُمْ ذِكْرَاهُمْ (١٨)

18 . Do they then wait for anything but the hour that it should come to them all of a sudden? Now indeed the tokens of it have come, but how shall they have their reminder when it comes on them?

فَاعْلَمْ أَنَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَاسْتَغْفِرْ لِذَنْبِكَ وَلِلْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ مُتَقَلَّبَكُمْ وَمَثْوَاكُمْ (١٩)

19 . So know that there is no god but **Allah**, and, ask protection for your fault and for the believing men and the believing women; and **Allah** knows the place of your returning and the place of your abiding.

وَيَقُولُ الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا الْوَلَا يُرِزُّنَا سُورَةٌ فَآذٍ أَنْزَلْتَ سُورَةَ الْحِكْمَةِ وَذُكِرَ فِيهَا الْقِتَالُ رَأَيْتَ الَّذِينَ فِي قُلُوبِهِمْ مَرَضٌ يَنْظُرُونَ إِلَيْكَ نَظَرَ الْمَغْشِيِّ عَلَيْهِ مِنَ الْمَوْتِ فَأُولَٰئِكَ لَهُمْ (٢٠)

20 . And those who believe say: "Why has not a chapter been revealed? But when a decisive chapter is revealed, and fighting is mentioned therein you see those in whose hearts is a disease look to you with the look of one fainting because of death. Woe to them then!

طَاعَةٌ وَقَوْلٌ مَعْرُوفٌ فَإِذَا عَزَمَ الْأَمْرُ فَلَوْ صَدَقُوا اللَّهَ لَكَانَ خَيْرًا لَهُمْ (٢١)

21 . Obedience and a gentle word; but when the affair becomes settled, then if they remain true to **Allah** it would certainly be better for them.

فَهَلْ عَسَيْتُمْ إِنْ تَوَلَّيْتُمْ أَنْ تُفْسِدُوا فِي الْأَرْضِ وَتُقَطِّعُوا أَرْحَامَكُمْ (٢٢)

22 . But if you held command, you were sure to make mischief in the land and cut off the ties of kinship!

أُولَئِكَ الَّذِينَ لَعَنَهُمُ اللَّهُ فَأَصَمَّهُمْ وَأَعَمَّى أَبْصَارَهُمْ (٢٣)

23 . Those it is whom Allah has cursed so He has made them deaf and blinded their eyes.

أَفَلَا يَتَدَبَّرُونَ الْقُرْآنَ أَمْ عَلَى قُلُوبٍ أَقْفَالُهَا (٢٤)

24 . Do they not then reflect on the Quran? No, on the hearts there are locks.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ ارْتَدُّوا عَلَىٰ أَدْبَارِهِمْ مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا تَبَيَّنَ لَهُمُ الْهُدَىٰ الشَّيْطَانُ سَوَّلَ لَهُمْ وَأَمَلَىٰ لَهُمْ (٢٥)

25 . Surely Those who return on their backs after that guidance has become manifest to them, the *Shaitan* (Satan) has made it a light matter to them; and He gives them respite.

ذَٰلِكَ بِأَنَّهُمْ قَالُوا لِلَّذِينَ كَرِهُوا مَا نَزَّلَ اللَّهُ سَنُطِيعُكُمْ فِي بَعْضِ الْأُمْرِ وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ إِسْرَارَهُمْ (٢٦)

26 . That is because they say to those who hate what Allah has revealed: We will obey you in some of the affairs; and Allah knows their secrets.

فَكَيْفَ إِذَا تَوَفَّتْهُمُ الْمَلَائِكَةُ يَضْرِبُونَ وُجُوهَهُمْ وَأَدْبَارَهُمْ (٢٧)

27 . But how will it be when the angels cause them to die smiting their backs.

ذَٰلِكَ بِأَنَّهُمْ اتَّبَعُوا مَا أَسْخَطَ اللَّهُ وَكَرِهُوا رِضْوَانَهُ فَأَحْبَطَ أَعْمَالَهُمْ (٢٨)

28 . That is because they follow what is displeasing to Allah and are averse to His pleasure, therefore He has made null their deeds.

أَمْ حَسِبَ الَّذِينَ فِي قُلُوبِهِمْ مَرَضٌ أَنْ لَنْ يُخْرِجَ اللَّهُ أَضْغَانَهُمْ (٢٩)

29 . Or do those in whose hearts is a disease think that Allah will not bring forth their spite?

وَلَوْ نَشَاءُ لَأَرَيْنَاكُمْهُمْ فَلَعَرَفْتَهُمْ بِسِيمَاهُمْ وَلَتَعْرِفَنَّهُمْ فِي لَحْنِ الْقَوْلِ وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ أَعْمَالَكُمْ (٣٠)

30 . And if We please We would have made you know them so that you would certainly have recognised them by their marks and most certainly you can recognise them by the intent of their speech; and Allah knows your deeds.

وَلَنَبْلُوَنَّكُمْ حَتَّىٰ نَعْلَمَ الْمُجَاهِدِينَ مِنْكُمْ وَالصَّابِرِينَ وَنَبْلُوَ أَخْبَارَكُمْ (٣١)

31 . And most certainly We will try you until We have known those among you who exert themselves hard, and the patient, and made your case manifest.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا وَصَدُّوا عَن سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ وَشَاقُّوا الرَّسُولَ مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا تَبَيَّنَ لَهُمُ الْهُدَىٰ لَنْ يَضُرُّوا

اللَّهَ شَيْئًا وَسَيُحِبُّ أَعْمَالَهُمْ (٣٢)

32 . Surely those who disbelieve and turn away from Allah's way and oppose the *Rasool* (apostle) after that guidance has become clear to them cannot harm Allah in any way, and He will make null their deeds.

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا أَطِيعُوا اللَّهَ وَأَطِيعُوا الرَّسُولَ وَلَا تُبْطِلُوا أَعْمَالَكُمْ (٣٣)

33 . Ya Ayohal-Lazeena Aamanoo (O you who believe)! obey Allah and obey the Rasool (apostle), and do not make your deeds of no effect.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا وَصَدُّوا عَنْ سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ ثُمَّ مَاتُوا وَهُمْ كُفَّارٌ فَلَنْ يَغْفِرَ اللَّهُ لَهُمْ (٣٤)

34 . Surely those who disbelieve and turn away from Allah's way, then they die while they are unbelievers, Allah will by no means forgive them.

فَلَا تَهِنُوا وَتَدْعُوا إِلَى السَّلَامِ وَأَنْتُمْ الْأَعْلَوْنَ وَاللَّهُ مَعَكُمْ وَلَنْ يَتَرَكُمْ أَعْمَالَكُمْ (٣٥)

35 . And be not slack so as to cry for peace and you have the upper hand, and Allah is with you, and He will not bring your deeds to nothing.

إِنَّمَا الْحَيَاةُ الدُّنْيَا لَعِبٌ وَهَوٌّ وَإِنْ تُؤْمِنُوا وَتَتَّقُوا يُؤْتِكُمْ أَجْرَكُمْ وَلَا يَسْأَلْكُمْ أَمْوَالَكُمْ (٣٦)

36 . The life of this world is only idle sport and play, and if you believe and guard (against evil) He will give you your rewards, and will not ask of you your possessions.

إِنْ يَسْأَلْكُمْوهَا فِي حِفْظِكُمْ تَبْخَلُوا وَيُخْرِجْ أَضْغَانَكُمْ (٣٧)

37 . If He should ask you for it and urge you, you will be niggardly, and He will bring forth your malice.

هَذَا أَنْتُمْ هَؤُلَاءِ تُدْعَوْنَ لِتُنْفِقُوا فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ فَمِنْكُمْ مَنْ يَبْخَلُ وَمَنْ يَبْخَلْ فَإِنَّمَا يَبْخَلْ عَن

نَفْسِهِ وَاللَّهُ الْغَنِيُّ وَأَنْتُمْ الْفُقَرَاءُ وَإِنْ تَتَوَلَّوْا يَسْتَبْدِلْ قَوْمًا غَيْرَكُمْ ثُمَّ لَا يَكُونُوا أَمْثَالَكُمْ (٣٨)

38 . Behold! you are those who are called upon to spend in Allah's way, but among you are those who are niggardly, and whoever is niggardly is niggardly against his own soul; and Allah is Ghane (The Self Sufficient) and you have need, and if you turn back He will bring in your place another people, then they will not be like you.

Surah 48. Al-Fat-h (The Victory)

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

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

إِنَّا فَتَحْنَا لَكَ فَتْحًا مُبِينًا (١)

1 . Surely We have given to you a clear victory

لِيُغْفِرَ لَكَ اللَّهُ مَا تَقَدَّمَ مِنْ ذَنْبِكَ وَمَا تَأَخَّرَ وَيُتِمَّ نِعْمَتَهُ عَلَيْكَ وَيَهْدِيَكَ صِرَاطًا مُسْتَقِيمًا (٢)

2 . That Allah may forgive your community their past faults and those to follow and complete His Favour to you and keep you on a right way,

وَيُنْصِرَكَ اللَّهُ نَصْرًا عَزِيزًا (٣)

3 . And that Allah might help you with a mighty help.

هُوَ الَّذِي أَنْزَلَ السَّكِينَةَ فِي قُلُوبِ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ لِيَزْدَادُوا إِيمَانًا مَعَ إِيمَانِهِمْ وَاللَّهُ جُنُودَ السَّمَاوَاتِ

وَالْأَرْضِ وَكَانَ اللَّهُ عَلِيمًا حَكِيمًا (٤)

4 . He it is Who sent down tranquillity into the hearts of the believers that they might have more of faith added to their faith; and Allah's are the hosts of the heavens and the earth, and Allah is Aleem-mun Hakeem (The Knower, The Wise)

لِيُدْخِلَ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ جَنَّاتٍ تَجْرِي مِنْ تَحْتِهَا الْأَنْهَارُ خَالِدِينَ فِيهَا وَيُكَفِّرَ عَنْهُمْ سَيِّئَاتِهِمْ

وَكَانَ ذَلِكَ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ فَوْزًا عَظِيمًا (٥)

5 . That He may cause the believing men and the believing women to enter Jannat (garden) beneath which rivers flow to abide therein and remove from them their evil; and that is a grand achievement with Allah

وَيُعَذِّبُ الْمُنَافِقِينَ وَالْمُنَافِقَاتِ وَالْمُشْرِكِينَ وَالْمُشْرِكَاتِ الظَّالِمِينَ بِاللَّهِ ظَنَّ السَّوْءِ عَلَيْهِمْ دَائِرَةُ

السَّوْءِ وَغَضِبَ اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَعَنَهُمْ وَأَعَدَّ لَهُمْ جَهَنَّمَ وَسَاءَتْ مَصِيرًا (٦)

6 . And He may punish the hypocritical men and the hypocritical women, and the polytheistic men and the polytheistic women, the entertainers of evil thoughts about Allah. On them is the evil turn, and Allah is wroth with them and has cursed them and prepared Jahannam (Hell) for them, and evil is the resort.

وَاللَّهُ جُنُودَ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ وَكَانَ اللَّهُ عَزِيزًا حَكِيمًا (٧)

7 . And Allah's are the hosts of the heavens and the earth; and Allah is Azeez-zun Hakeem (The Mighty, The Wise).

إِنَّا أَرْسَلْنَاكَ شَاهِدًا وَمُبَشِّرًا وَنَذِيرًا (٨)

8 . Surely We have sent you as a witness and as a bearer of good news and as a warner,

لِتُؤْمِنُوا بِاللَّهِ وَرَسُولِهِ وَتُعَزِّرُوهُ وَتُوَقِّرُوهُ وَتُسَبِّحُوهُ بُكْرَةً وَأَصِيلًا (٩)

9 . That you may believe in **Allah** and His *Rasool* (apostle) and may aid him and revere him; and (that) you may declare His glory, morning and evening.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يُبَايِعُونَكَ إِنَّمَا يُبَايِعُونَ اللَّهَ يَدُ اللَّهِ فَوْقَ أَيْدِيهِمْ فَمَنْ نَكَثَ فَإِنَّمَا يَنْكُثُ عَلَى نَفْسِهِ
وَمَنْ أَوْفَى بِمَا عَاهَدَ عَلَيْهِ اللَّهُ فَسَيُؤْتِيهِ أَجْرًا عَظِيمًا (١٠)

10 . Surely those who swear allegiance to you do but swear allegiance to **Allah**; the hand of **Allah** is above their hands. Therefore whoever breaks (his faith), he breaks it only to the injury of his own soul, and whoever fulfills what he has covenanted with **Allah**, He will grant him a mighty reward.

سَيَقُولُ لَكَ الْمُخَلَّفُونَ مِنَ الْأَعْرَابِ شَغَلَتْنَا أَمْوَالُنَا وَأَهْلُونَا فَاسْتَغْفِرْ لَنَا يَقُولُونَ بِأَلْسِنَتِهِمْ مَا
لَيْسَ فِي قُلُوبِهِمْ قُلْ فَمَنْ يَمْلِكُ لَكُمْ مِنْ اللَّهِ شَيْئًا إِنْ أَرَادَ بِكُمْ ضَرًّا أَوْ أَرَادَ بِكُمْ نَفْعًا بَلْ كَانَ
اللَّهُ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ خَبِيرًا (١١)

11 . Those of the dwellers of the desert who were left behind will say to you: Our property and our families kept us busy, so ask forgiveness for us. They say with their tongues what is not in their hearts. Say: “; Then who can control anything for you from **Allah** if He intends to do you harm or if He intends to do you good; No, **Allah** is *Khabeer* (The Aware) of what you do:

بَلْ ظَنَنْتُمْ أَنْ لَنْ يَنْقَلِبَ الرَّسُولُ وَالْمُؤْمِنُونَ إِلَى أَهْلِيهِمْ أَبَدًا وَزُيِّنَ ذَلِكَ فِي قُلُوبِكُمْ وَظَنَنْتُمْ ظَنَّ
السَّوْءِ وَكُنْتُمْ قَوْمًا بُورًا (١٢)

12 . No! you rather thought that the *Rasool* (apostle) and the believers would not return to their families ever, and that was made fairseeming to your hearts and you thought an evil thought and you were a people doomed to perish.

وَمَنْ لَمْ يُؤْمِنْ بِاللَّهِ وَرَسُولِهِ فَإِنَّا أَعْتَدْنَا لِلْكَافِرِينَ سَعِيرًا (١٣)

13 . And whoever does not believe in **Allah** and His *Rasool* (apostle), then surely We have prepared burning fire for the unbelievers.

وَاللَّهُ مُلْكُ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ يَغْفِرُ لِمَنْ يَشَاءُ وَيُعَذِّبُ مَنْ يَشَاءُ وَكَانَ اللَّهُ غَفُورًا رَحِيمًا (١٤)

14 . And **Allah**'s is the kingdom. of the heavens and the earth; He forgives whom He pleases and punishes whom He pleases, and **Allah** is *Ghafoor-rar Raheem* (The Forgiving, The Merciful).

سَيَقُولُ الْمُخَلَّفُونَ إِذَا انطَلَقْتُمْ إِلَى مَغَائِمٍ لِتَأْخُذُوا هَذَا زَهْرًا نَتَّبِعُكُمْ يُرِيدُونَ أَنْ يُبَدِّلُوا كَلِمَةَ اللَّهِ قُلْ لَنْ تَتَّبِعُونَا كَذَلِكُمْ قَالَ اللَّهُ مِنْ قَبْلُ فَسَيَقُولُونَ بَلْ تَحْسَدُونََنَا بَلْ كَانُوا لَا يَفْقَهُونَ إِلَّا قَلِيلًا (١٥)

15 . Those who are left behind will say when you set forth for the gaining of acquisitions: Allow us that we may follow you. They desire to change the world of Allah. Say: "By no means shall you follow us; thus did Allah say before. But they will say: "No! you are jealous of us. No! they do not understand but a little.

قُلْ لِلْمُخَلَّفِينَ مِنَ الْأَعْرَابِ سَتُدْعُونَ إِلَى قَوْمٍ آوَلِي بَأْسٍ شَدِيدٍ تُقَاتِلُوهُمْ أَوْ يُسْلِمُونَ فَإِنْ تُطِيعُوا يُؤْتِكُمُ اللَّهُ أَجْرًا حَسَنًا وَإِنْ تَتَوَلَّوْا كَمَا تَوَلَّيْتُمْ مِنْ قَبْلُ يُعَذِّبْكُمْ عَذَابًا أَلِيمًا (١٦)

16 . Say to those of the dwellers of the desert who were left behind: You shall soon be invited, against a people possessing mighty prowess; you will fight against them until they submit; then if you obey, Allah will grant you a good reward; and if you turn back as you turned back before, He will punish you with a painful punishment.

لَيْسَ عَلَى الْأَعْمَى حَرَجٌ وَلَا عَلَى الْأَعْرَجِ حَرَجٌ وَلَا عَلَى الْمَرِيضِ حَرَجٌ وَمَنْ يُطِيعِ اللَّهَ وَرَسُولَهُ يُدْخِلْهُ جَنَّاتٍ تَجْرِي مِنْ تَحْتِهَا الْأَنْهَارُ وَمَنْ يَتَوَلَّ يُعَذِّبْهُ عَذَابًا أَلِيمًا (١٧)

17 . There is no harm in the blind, nor is there any harm in the lame, nor is there any harm in the sick; and whoever obeys Allah and His Rasool (apostle), He will cause him to enter Jannat (garden) beneath which rivers flow, and whoever turns back, He will punish him with a painful punishment.

لَقَدْ رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنِ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ إِذْ يُبَايِعُونَكَ تَحْتَ الشَّجَرَةِ فَعَلِمَ مَا فِي قُلُوبِهِمْ فَأَنْزَلَ السَّكِينَةَ عَلَيْهِمْ وَأَثَابَهُمْ فَتْحًا قَرِيبًا (١٨)

18 . Certainly Allah was well pleased with the believers when they swore allegiance to you under the tree, and He knew what was in their hearts, so He sent down tranquillity on them and rewarded them with a near victory,

وَمَغَائِمَ كَثِيرَةً يُأْخُذُوا هَهَا وَكَانَ اللَّهُ عَزِيزًا حَكِيمًا (١٩)

19 . And many acquisitions which they will take; and Allah is Azeez-zun Hakeem (The Mighty, The Wise).

وَعَدَكُمْ اللَّهُ مَغَائِمَ كَثِيرَةً يُأْخُذُوا هَهَا فَعَجَّلَ لَكُمْ هَذِهِ وَكَفَّ أَيْدِيَ النَّاسِ عَنْكُمْ وَلِتَكُونَ آيَةً لِّلْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَيَهْدِيَكُمْ صِرَاطًا مُسْتَقِيمًا (٢٠)

20 . **Allah** promised you many acquisitions which you will take, then He haveened on this one for you and held back the hands of men from you, and that it may be a sign for the believers and that He may guide you on a right path.

وَأُخْرَى لَمْ تَقْدِرُوا عَلَيْهَا قَدْ أَحَاطَ اللَّهُ بِهَا وَكَانَ اللَّهُ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرًا (٢١)

21 . And others which you have not yet been able to achieve **Allah** has surely encompassed them, and **Allah** has power over all things.

وَلَوْ قَاتَلَكُمُ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا لَوَلَّوْا الْأَدْبَارَ ثُمَّ لَا يَجِدُونَ وَلِيًّا وَلَا نَصِيرًا (٢٢)

22 . And if those who disbelieve fight with you, they would certainly turn their backs, then they would not find any protector or a helper.

سُنَّةَ اللَّهِ الَّتِي قَدْ خَلَتْ مِنْ قَبْلُ وَلَنْ تَجِدَ لِسُنَّةِ اللَّهِ تَبْدِيلًا (٢٣)

23 . Such has been the course of **Allah** that has indeed run before, and you shall not find a change in **Allah's** course.

وَهُوَ الَّذِي كَفَّ أَيْدِيَهُمْ عَنْكُمْ وَأَيْدِيَكُمْ عَنْهُمْ بِبَطْنِ مَكَّةَ مِنْ بَعْدِ أَنْ أَظْفَرَكُمْ عَلَيْهِمْ وَكَانَ

اللَّهُ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ بَصِيرًا (٢٤)

24 . And He it is Who held back their hands from you and your hands from them in the valley of Mecca after He had given you victory over them; and **Allah** is Seeing what you do.

هُمُ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا وَاصَدُّوكُمْ عَنِ الْمَسْجِدِ الْحَرَامِ وَالْهُدْيِ مَعَكُمْ فَمَا أَنْ يَبْلُغَ لِحَالِهِمْ وَلَوْلَا رِجَالٌ

مُؤْمِنُونَ وَنِسَاءٌ مُؤْمِنَاتٌ لَمْ تَعْلَمُوهُمْ أَنْ تَطَّوَّهُمْ فِتْصِيبَكُمْ مِنْهُمْ مَعَرَّةٌ بَغِيرَ عِلْمٍ لِيَدْخُلَ اللَّهُ

فِي رَحْمَتِهِ مَنْ يَشَاءُ لَوْ تَزَيَّلُوا لَعَذَّبْنَا الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا مِنْهُمْ عَذَابًا أَلِيمًا (٢٥)

25 . It is they who disbelieved and turned you away from the *Masjid Al-Haraam* (Sacred Mosque) and the offering withheld from arriving at its destined place; and were it not for the believing men and the believing women, whom, not having known, you might have trodden down, and thus something hateful might have afflicted you on their account without knowledge; so that **Allah** may cause to enter into His mercy whomsoever He pleases; had they been widely separated one from another, We would surely have punished those who disbelieved from among them with a painful punishment.

إِذْ جَعَلَ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا فِي قُلُوبِهِمُ الْحُمِيَّةَ حُمِيَّةَ الْجَاهِلِيَّةِ فَأَنْزَلَ اللَّهُ سَكِينَتَهُ عَلَىٰ رَسُولِهِ وَعَلَىٰ

الْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَأَلْزَمَهُمْ كَلِمَةَ التَّقْوَىٰ وَكَانُوا أَحَقَّ بِهَا وَأَهْلَهَا وَكَانَ اللَّهُ بِكُلِّ شَيْءٍ عَلِيمًا (٢٦)

26 . When those who disbelieved harbored in their hearts disdain, the disdain of ignorance, but **Allah** sent down His tranquillity on His *Rasool* (apostle) and on the believers, and made them keep the word of guarding (against evil), and they were entitled to it and worthy of it; and **Allah** is **Aleem** (The knower) of all things.

لَقَدْ صَدَقَ اللهُ رَسُوْلَهُ الرُّوْيَا بِالْحَقِّ لَتَدْخُلَنَّ الْمَسْجِدَ الْحَرَامَ اِنْ شَاءَ اللهُ اَمِنِينَ مُحَلِّقِينَ رُءُوسَكُمْ
وَمُقَصِّرِينَ لَا تَخَافُونَ فَعَلِمَ مَا لَمْ تَعْلَمُوْا فَجَعَلَ مِنْ دُوْنِ ذَلِكَ فَتْحًا قَرِيْبًا (٢٧)

27 . Certainly Allah had shown to His Rasool (apostle) the vision with truth: you shall most certainly enter the Masjid Al-Haraam (Sacred Mosque), if Allah pleases, in security, having their heads shaved and having their hair cut, you shall not fear, but He knows what you do not know, so He brought about a near victory before that.

هُوَ الَّذِي اَرْسَلَ رَسُوْلَهُ بِالْهُدٰى وَدِيْنِ الْحَقِّ لِيُظْهِرَهُ عَلَى الدِّيْنِ كُلِّهِ وَ كَفٰى بِاللّٰهِ شَهِيدًا (٢٨)

28 . He it is Who sent His Rasool (apostle) with the guidance and the true religion that He may make it prevail over all the religions; and Allah is enough for a witness.

مُحَمَّدٌ رَسُوْلُ اللهِ وَالَّذِيْنَ مَعَهُ اَشِدَّاءٌ عَلٰى الْكُفَّارِ رُحَمَاءُ بَيْنَهُمْ تَرَاهُمْ رُكَّعًا سُجَّدًا يَبْتَغُوْنَ فَضْلًا
مِّنَ اللهِ وَرِضْوَانًا سِيْمَاهُمْ فِيْ وُجُوْهِهِمْ مِّنْ اَثْرِ السُّجُوْدِ ذَلِكَ مَثَلُهُمْ فِي التَّوْرَةِ وَمَثَلُهُمْ فِي
الْاِنْجِيْلِ كَزَرْعٍ اَخْرَجَ شَطَاؤُهُ فَازْرَعُوْهُ فَاسْتَعْلَظَ فَاسْتَوٰى عَلٰى سُوْقِهِ يُعْجِبُ الرُّسُلَا عَ لِيُغِيْظَ بِهِمُ
الْكُفَّارَ وَعَدَ اللهُ الَّذِيْنَ اٰمَنُوْا وَعَمِلُوا الصَّالِحٰتِ مِنْهُمْ مَّغْفِرَةً وَّ اَجْرًا عَظِيْمًا (٢٩)

29 . Muhammad is the Rasool (apostle) of Allah, and those with him are firm of heart against the unbelievers, compassionate among themselves; you will see them bowing down, prostrating themselves, seeking grace from Allah and pleasure; their marks are in their faces because of the effect of prostration; that is their description in the Taurat (Law) and their description in the Injeel (Gospel); like as seed-produce that puts forth its sprout, then strengthens it, so it becomes stout and stands firmly on its stem, delighting the sowers that He may enrage the unbelievers on account of them; Allah has promised those among them who believe and do good, forgiveness and a great reward.

Surah 49. Al-Hujurat (The Inner Apartments)

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

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

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا لَا تَقَدِّمُوا بَيْنَ يَدَيْ اللَّهِ وَرَسُولِهِ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ إِنَّ اللَّهَ سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ (١)

1 . Ya Ayohal-Lazeena Aamanoo (O you who believe)! be not forward in the presence of Allah and His Rasool (apostle), and be careful of (your duty to) Allah; surely Allah is Samee-un Aleem (The Hearer, The Knower).

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا لَا تَرْفَعُوا أَصْوَاتَكُمْ فَوْقَ صَوْتِ النَّبِيِّ وَلَا تَجْهَرُوا لَهُ بِالْقَوْلِ كَجَهْرِ بَعْضِكُمْ لِبَعْضٍ أَنْ تَحْبَطَ أَعْمَالُكُمْ وَأَنْتُمْ لَا تَشْعُرُونَ (٢)

2 . Ya Ayohal-Lazeena Aamanoo (O you who believe)! do not raise your voices above the voice of the Nabi (Prophet), and do not speak loud to him as you speak loud to one another, in case your deeds became null while you do not perceive.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يَغُضُّونَ أَصْوَاتَهُمْ عِنْدَ رَسُولِ اللَّهِ أُولَئِكَ الَّذِينَ امْتَحَنَ اللَّهُ قُلُوبَهُمْ لِلتَّقْوَى لَهُمْ مَغْفِرَةٌ وَأَجْرٌ عَظِيمٌ (٣)

3 . Surely those who lower their voices before Allah's Rasool (apostle) are they whose hearts Allah has proved for guarding (against evil); they shall have forgiveness and a great reward.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يَنَادُونَكَ مِنْ وَرَاءِ الْحُجُرَاتِ أَكْثَرُهُمْ لَا يَعْقِلُونَ (٤)

4 . Those who call out to you from behind the private chambers, surely most of them do not understand.

وَلَوْ أَنَّهُمْ صَبَرُوا حَتَّى تَخْرُجَ إِلَيْهِمْ لَكَانَ خَيْرًا لَهُمْ وَاللَّهُ غَفُورٌ رَحِيمٌ (٥)

5 . And if they wait patiently until you come out to them, it would certainly be better for them, and Allah is Ghafoor-rur Raheem (The Forgiving, The Merciful)

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا إِنْ جَاءَكُمْ فَاسِقٌ بِنَبَأٍ فَتَبَيَّنُوا أَنْ تُصِيبُوا قَوْمًا بِجَهَالَةٍ فَتُصْبِحُوا عَلَىٰ مَا فَعَلْتُمْ نَادِمِينَ (٦)

6 . Ya Ayohal-Lazeena Aamanoo (O you who believe)! if an evil-doer comes to you with a report, look carefully into it, in case you harm a people in ignorance, then be sorry for what you have done.

وَاعْلَمُوا أَنَّ فِيكُمْ رَسُولَ اللَّهِ لَوْ يُطِيعُكُمْ فِي كَثِيرٍ مِنَ الْأَمْرِ لَعَنِتُّمْ وَلَكِنَّ اللَّهَ حَبَّبَ إِلَيْكُمُ

الْإِيمَانَ وَزَيَّنَهُ فِي قُلُوبِكُمْ وَكَرَّهَ إِلَيْكُمُ الْكُفْرَ وَالْفُسُوقَ وَالْعِصْيَانَ أُولَئِكَ هُمُ الرَّاشِدُونَ (٧)

7 . And know that among you is Allah's Rasool (apostle); should he obey you in many a matter, you would surely fall into distress, but Allah has endeared the faith to you and has made it seemly in your hearts, and He has made hateful to you unbelief and transgression and disobedience; these it is that are the followers of a right way.

فَضْلًا مِنَ اللَّهِ وَنِعْمَةً وَاللَّهُ عَلِيمٌ حَكِيمٌ (٨)

8 . By grace from Allah and as a Favour; and Allah is Aleem-mun Hakeem (The Knower, The Wise)

وَإِنْ طَائِفَتَانِ مِنَ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ اقْتَتَلُوا فَأَصْلِحُوا بَيْنَهُمَا فَإِنْ بَغَتْ إِحْدَاهُمَا عَلَى الْأُخْرَى فَقَاتِلُوا الَّتِي تَبْغِي حَتَّى تَفِيءَ إِلَى أَمْرِ اللَّهِ فَإِنْ فَاءَتْ فَأَصْلِحُوا بَيْنَهُمَا بِالْعَدْلِ وَأَقْسِطُوا إِنَّ اللَّهَ يُحِبُّ

الْمُقْسِطِينَ (٩)

9 . And if two parties of the believers quarrel, make peace between them; but if one of them acts wrongfully towards the other, fight that which acts wrongfully until it returns to Allah's command; then if it returns, make peace between them with justice and act equitably; surely Allah loves those who act equitably.

إِنَّمَا الْمُؤْمِنُونَ إِخْوَةٌ فَأَصْلِحُوا بَيْنَ أَخَوِيكُمْ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ لَعَلَّكُمْ تُرْحَمُونَ (١٠)

10 . The believers are but brethren, therefore make peace between your brethren and be careful of (your duty to) Allah that mercy may be had on you.

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا لَا تَسْخَرُوا قَوْمًا مِنْ قَوْمٍ عَسَى أَنْ يَكُونُوا خَيْرًا مِنْهُمْ وَلَا نِسَاءً مِنْ نِسَاءٍ عَسَى أَنْ يَكُنَّ خَيْرًا مِنْهُنَّ وَلَا تَلْمِزُوا أَنْفُسَكُمْ وَلَا تَنَابَرُوا بِالْألقَابِ بِئْسَ الِاسْمُ الِالْفُسُوقِ بَعْدَ الإِيمَانِ وَمَنْ لَمْ يَتُبْ فَأُولَئِكَ هُمُ الظَّالِمُونَ (١١)

11 . Ya Ayohal-Lazeena Aamanoo (O you who believe)! let not people laugh at people perchance they may be better than they, nor let women at women, perchance they may be better than they; and do not find fault with your own people nor call one another by nicknames; evil is a bad name after faith, and whoever does not turn, these it is that are the unjust.

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا اجْتَنِبُوا كَثِيرًا مِنَ الظَّنِّ إِنَّ بَعْضَ الظَّنِّ إِثْمٌ وَلَا تَجَسَّسُوا وَلَا يَغْتَبْ بَعْضُكُمْ بَعْضًا أَيُّحِبُّ أَحَدُكُمْ أَنْ يَأْكُلَ لَحْمَ أَخِيهِ مَيْتًا فَكَرِهْتُمُوهُ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ إِنَّ اللَّهَ تَوَّابٌ رَحِيمٌ (١٢)

12 . Ya Ayohal-Lazeena Aamanoo (O you who believe)! avoid most of suspicion, for surely suspicion in some cases is a sin, and do not spy nor let some of you backbite others. Does one of you like to eat the flesh of his dead brother? But you abhor it; and be careful of (your duty to) Allah, surely Allah is Oft-returning (to mercy), Raheem (The Merciful)

يَا أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ إِنَّا خَلَقْنَاكُمْ مِنْ ذَكَرٍ وَأُنْثَىٰ وَجَعَلْنَاكُمْ شُعُوبًا وَقَبَائِلَ لِتَعَارَفُوا إِنَّ أَكْرَمَكُمْ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ أَتْقَاكُمْ إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلِيمٌ خَبِيرٌ (١٣)

13 . Ya Ayohan-Naso (O men)! surely We have created you of a male and a female, and made you tribes and families that you may know each other; surely the most honourable of you with Allah is the one among you most careful; surely Allah is *Aleem-mun Khabeer* (The Knower, The Aware)

قَالَتِ الْأَعْرَابُ آمَنَّا قُلْ لَمْ تُؤْمِنُوا وَلَكِنْ قُولُوا أَسْلَمْنَا وَلَمَّا يَدْخُلِ الْإِيمَانُ فِي قُلُوبِكُمْ وَإِنْ تُطِيعُوا اللَّهَ وَرَسُولَهُ لَا يَلِتْكُمْ مِنْ أَعْمَالِكُمْ شَيْئًا إِنَّ اللَّهَ غَفُورٌ رَحِيمٌ (١٤)

14 . The dwellers of the desert say: “We believe. Say: “You do not believe but say, We submit; and faith has not yet entered into your hearts; and if you obey Allah and His Rasool (apostle), He will not diminish anything of your deeds; surely Allah is *Ghafoor-rur Raheem* (The Forgiving, The Merciful).

إِنَّمَا الْمُؤْمِنُونَ الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا بِاللَّهِ وَرَسُولِهِ ثُمَّ لَمْ يَرْتَابُوا وَجَاهَدُوا بِأَمْوَالِهِمْ وَأَنْفُسِهِمْ فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ أُولَٰئِكَ هُمُ الصَّادِقُونَ (١٥)

15 . The believers are only those who believe in Allah and His Rasool (apostle) then they doubt not and struggle hard with their wealth and their lives in the way of Allah; they are the truthful ones.

قُلْ أَعْلَمُونَ اللَّهُ بِدِينِكُمْ وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ مَا فِي السَّمَاوَاتِ وَمَا فِي الْأَرْضِ وَاللَّهُ بِكُلِّ شَيْءٍ عَلِيمٌ (١٦)

16 . Say: “Do you apprise Allah of your religion, and Allah knows what is in the heavens and what is in the earth; and Allah is *Aleem* (The Knower) of all things.

يَمُنُّونَ عَلَيْكَ أَنْ أَسْلَمُوا قُلْ لَا تَمُنُّوا عَلَيَّ إِسْلَامَكُم بَلِ اللَّهُ يَمُنُّ عَلَيْكُمْ أَنْ هَدَاكُمْ لِلْإِيمَانِ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ صَادِقِينَ (١٧)

17 . They think that they lay you under an obligation by becoming Muslims. Say: “Lay me not under obligation by your Islam: rather Allah lays you under an obligation by guiding you to the faith if you are truthful.

إِنَّ اللَّهَ يَعْلَمُ غَيْبَ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ وَاللَّهُ بَصِيرٌ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ (١٨)

18 . Surely Allah knows the unseen things of the heavens and the earth; and Allah sees what you do.

Surah 50. Qaf (Muqqatat Letter Qaf)

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

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

ق وَالْقُرْآنِ الْمَجِيدِ (١)

1 . Qaf. I swear by the glorious *Quran*

بَلْ عَجِبُوا أَنْ جَاءَهُمْ مُنذِرٌ مِنْهُمْ فَقَالَ الْكَافِرُونَ هَذَا شَيْءٌ عَجِيبٌ (٢)

2 . No! they wonder that there has come to them a warner from among themselves, so the unbelievers say: "This is a wonderful thing:

أَيُّدَامِتْنَا وَكُنَّا تُرَابًا ذَلِكَ رَجْعٌ بَعِيدٌ (٣)

3 . What! when we are dead and have become dust? That is afar from return.

قَدْ عَلِمْنَا مَا تَنْقُصُ الْأَرْضُ مِنْهُمْ وَعِنْدَنَا كِتَابٌ حَفِيظٌ (٤)

4 . We know indeed what the earth diminishes of them, and with Us is a writing that preserves.

بَلْ كَذَّبُوا بِالْحَقِّ لَمَّا جَاءَهُمْ فَهُمْ فِي أَمْرٍ مَرِيجٍ (٥)

5 . No, they rejected the truth when it came to them, so they are in a state of confusion.

أَفَلَمْ يَنْظُرُوا إِلَى السَّمَاءِ فَوْقَهُمْ كَيْفَ بَنَيْنَاهَا وَزَيَّنَّاهَا وَمَا لَهَا مِنْ فُرُوجٍ (٦)

6 . Do they not then look up to heaven above them how We have made it and adorned it and it has no gaps?

وَالْأَرْضَ مَدَدْنَاهَا وَأَلْقَيْنَا فِيهَا رَوَاسِيَ وَأَنْبَتْنَا فِيهَا مِنْ كُلِّ زَوْجٍ بَهِيجٍ (٧)

7 . And the earth, We have made it plain and cast in it mountains and We have made to grow therein of all beautiful kinds,

تَبْصِرَةً وَذِكْرَى لِكُلِّ عَبْدٍ مُنِيبٍ (٨)

8 . To give sight and as a reminder to every servant who turns frequently.

وَنَزَّلْنَا مِنَ السَّمَاءِ مَاءً مُبَارَكًا فَأَنْبَتْنَا بِهِ جَنَّاتٍ وَحَبَّ الْحَصِيدِ (٩)

9 . And We send down from the cloud water abounding in good, then We cause to grow thereby *Jannat* (garden) and the grain that is reaped,

وَالنَّخْلَ بَاسِقَاتٍ لَهَا طَلْعٌ نَضِيدٌ (١٠)

10 . And the tall palm-trees having spadices closely set one above another,

رِزْقًا لِّلْعِبَادِ وَأَحْيَيْنَا بِهِ بَلْدَةً مَيِّتًا كَذَلِكَ الْخُرُوجُ (١١)

11 . A sustenance for the servants, and We give life thereby to a dead land; thus is the rising.

كَذَّبَتْ قَبْلَهُمْ قَوْمُ نُوحٍ وَأَصْحَابُ الرَّسِّ وَثَمُودُ (١٢)

12 . (Others) before them rejected: the people of *Nuh* (Noah) and the dwellers of *Rass* and *Samood*,

وَعَادُ وَفِرْعَوْنُ وَإِخْوَانُ لُوطٍ (١٣)

13 . And *Ad* and *Firon* (Pharoah) and *Lut's* (Lot's) brethren,

وَأَصْحَابُ الْأَيْكَةِ وَقَوْمُ تُبَّعٍ كُلٌّ كَذَّبَ الرُّسُلَ فَحَقَّ وَعِيدِ (١٤)

14 . And the dwellers of the grove and the people of *Tuba*; all rejected the *Rasools* (apostles), so My threat came to pass.

أَفَعِينَا بِالْخَلْقِ الْأَوَّلِ بَلْ هُمْ فِي لَبْسٍ مِنْ خَلْقٍ جَدِيدٍ (١٥)

15 . Were We then fatigued with the first creation? Yet are they in doubt with regard to a new creation.

وَلَقَدْ خَلَقْنَا الْإِنْسَانَ وَنَعْلَمُ مَا تُوَسُّوْسُ بِهِ نَفْسُهُ وَنَحْنُ أَقْرَبُ إِلَيْهِ مِنْ حَبْلِ الْوَرِيدِ (١٦)

16 . And certainly We created man, and We know what his mind suggests to him, and We are nearer to him than his life-vein.

إِذْ يَتَلَقَّى الْمُتَلَقِّيَانِ عَنِ الْيَمِينِ وَعَنِ الشِّمَالِ قَعِيدٌ (١٧)

17 . When the two receivers receive, sitting on the right and on the left.

مَا يَلْفِظُ مِنْ قَوْلٍ إِلَّا لَدَيْهِ رَقِيبٌ عَتِيدٌ (١٨)

18 . He utters not a word but there is by him a watcher at hand.

وَجَاءَتْ سَكْرَةُ الْمَوْتِ بِالْحَقِّ ذَلِكَ مَا كُنْتَ مِنْهُ تَحِيدُ (١٩)

19 . And the stupor of death will come in truth; that is what you were trying to escape.

وَنُفِخَ فِي الصُّورِ ذَلِكَ يَوْمُ الْوَعِيدِ (٢٠)

20 . And the trumpet shall be blown; that is the day of the threatening.

وَجَاءَتْ كُلُّ نَفْسٍ مَعَهَا سَائِقٌ وَشَهِيدٌ (٢١)

21 . And every soul shall come, with it a driver and a witness.

لَقَدْ كُنْتَ فِي غَفْلَةٍ مِنْ هَذَا فَكَشَفْنَا عَنْكَ غِطَاءَكَ فَبَصَرُكَ الْيَوْمَ حَدِيدٌ (٢٢)

22 . Certainly you were heedless of it, but now We have removed from you your veil, so your sight today is sharp.

وَقَالَ قَرِينُهُ هَذَا مَا لَدَيَّ عَتِيدٌ (٢٣)

23 . And his companions shall say: "This is what is ready with me.

أَلْقِيَا فِي جَهَنَّمَ كُلَّ كَفَّارٍ عَنِيدٍ (٢٤)

24 . Do cast into *Jahannam* (Hell) every ungrateful, rebellious one,

مَنَّا عِلَّالٍ خَبِيرٍ مُّعْتَدٍ مُّرِيبٍ (٢٥)

25 . Forbidder of good, exceeeder of limits, doubter,

الَّذِي جَعَلَ مَعَ اللَّهِ إِلَهًا آخَرَ فَأَلْقِيَاهُ فِي الْعَذَابِ الشَّدِيدِ (٢٦)

26 . Who sets up another god with **Allah**, so do cast him into severe punishment.

قَالَ قَرِينُهُ رَبَّنَا مَا أَطَّعْتُهُ وَلَكِن كَانَ فِي ضَلَالٍ بَعِيدٍ (٢٧)

27 . His companion will say: "Our '**Rabb!** I did not lead him into inordinacy but he himself was in a great error.

قَالَ لَا تَخْتَصِمُوا لَدَيَّ وَقَدْ قَدَّمْتُ إِلَيْكُمْ بِالْوَعِيدِ (٢٨)

28 . He will say: "Do not quarrel in My presence, and indeed I gave you the threatening beforehand:

مَا يُبَدَّلُ الْقَوْلُ لَدَيَّ وَمَا أَنَا بِظَلَّامٍ لِلْعَبِيدِ (٢٩)

29 . My word shall not be changed, nor am I in the least unjust to the servants.

يَوْمَ نَقُولُ لِجَهَنَّمَ هَلِ امْتَلَأَتْ وَتَقُولُ هَلْ مِنْ مَزِيدٍ (٣٠)

30 . On the day that We will say to *Jahannam* (Hell): Are you filled up? And it will say: "Are there any more?

وَأُزِلَّتِ الْجَنَّةُ لِلْمُتَّقِينَ غَيْرَ بَعِيدٍ (٣١)

31 . And *Jannat* (the garden) shall be brought near to those who ward off evil, not far off:

هَذَا مَا تُوَعَّدُونَ لِكُلِّ أَوَّابٍ حَفِيظٍ (٣٢)

32 . This is what you were promised, for every one who turns frequently (to **Allah**), keeps (His limits);

مَنْ خَشِيَ الرَّحْمَنََ بِالْغَيْبِ وَجَاءَ بِقَلْبٍ مُنِيبٍ (٣٣)

33 . Who fears **Yar-Rahman** (The Compassionate) in secret and comes with a penitent heart:

ادْخُلُوهَا بِسَلَامٍ ذَلِكَ يَوْمُ الْخُلُودِ (٣٤)

34 . Enter it in peace, that is the day of abiding.

لَهُمْ مَا يَشَاءُونَ فِيهَا وَلَدَيْنَا مَزِيدٌ (٣٥)

35 . They have therein what they wish and with Us is more yet.

وَكَمْ أَهْلَكْنَا قَبْلَهُمْ مِنْ قَرْنٍ هُمْ أَشَدُّ مِنْهُمْ بَطْشًا فَنَقَّبُوا فِي الْبِلَادِ هَلْ مِنْ مَحِيصٍ (٣٦)

36 . And how many a generation did We destroy before them who were mightier in prowess than they, so they went about and about in the lands. Is there a place of refuge?

إِنَّ فِي ذَلِكَ لَذِكْرٍ لِمَنْ كَانَ لَهُ قَلْبٌ أَوْ أَلْقَى السَّمْعَ وَهُوَ شَهِيدٌ (٣٧)

37 . Most surely there is a reminder in that for him who has a heart or he gives ear and is a witness.

وَلَقَدْ خَلَقْنَا السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضَ وَمَا بَيْنَهُمَا فِي سِتَّةِ أَيَّامٍ وَمَا مَسَّنَا مِنْ لُغُوبٍ (٣٨)

38 . And certainly We created the heavens and the earth and what is between them in six periods and there touched Us not any fatigue.

فَاصْبِرْ عَلَىٰ مَا يَقُولُونَ وَسَبِّحْ بِحَمْدِ رَبِّكَ قَبْلَ طُلُوعِ الشَّمْسِ وَقَبْلَ الْغُرُوبِ (٣٩)

39 . Therefore be patient of what they say, and sing the praise of your 'Rabb' before the rising of the sun and before the setting.

وَمِنَ اللَّيْلِ فَسَبِّحْهُ وَأَدْبَارَ السُّجُودِ (٤٠)

40 . And glorify Him in the night and after the prayers.

وَاسْتَمِعْ يَوْمَ يُنَادِ الْمُنَادِ مِنْ مَكَانٍ قَرِيبٍ (٤١)

41 . And listen on the day when the crier shall cry from a near place

يَوْمَ يَسْمَعُونَ الصَّيْحَةَ بِالْحَقِّ ذَلِكَ يَوْمُ الْخُرُوجِ (٤٢)

42 . The day when they shall hear the cry in truth; that is the day of coming forth.

إِنَّا نَحْنُ نُحْيِيهِ وَنُمِيتُهُ وَإِلَيْنَا الْمَصِيرُ (٤٣)

43 . Surely We give life and cause to die, and to Us is the eventual coming;

يَوْمَ تَشَقَّقُ الْأَرْضُ عَنْهُمْ سِرَاعًا ذَلِكَ حَشْرٌ عَلَيْنَا يَسِيرٌ (٤٤)

44 . The day on which the earth shall cleave asunder under them, they will make haste; that is a gathering together easy to Us.

نَحْنُ أَعْلَمُ بِمَا يَقُولُونَ وَمَا أَنْتَ عَلَيْهِمْ بِجَبَّارٍ فَذَكَرْ بِالْقُرْآنِ مَنْ يَخَافُ وَعِيدِ (٤٥)

45 . We know best what they say, and you are not one to compel them; therefore remind him by means of the *Quran* who fears My threat.

Surah 51 . Az-Zariyat (The Windings that Scatter)

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

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

- 1 . I swear by the wind that scatters far and wide,
وَالذَّارِيَّاتِ ذُرْوًا (١)
- 2 . Then those clouds bearing the load.
فَالْحَامِلَاتِ وِقْرًا (٢)
- 3 . Then those that glide easily,
فَالجَارِيَّاتِ يُسْرًا (٣)
- 4 . Then those who distribute blessings by Our command;
فَالْمُقْسِمَاتِ أَمْرًا (٤)
- 5 . What you are threatened with is most surely true,
إِنَّمَا تُوعَدُونَ لَصَادِقٌ (٥)
- 6 . And the judgment must most surely come about.
وَإِنَّ الدِّينَ لَوَاقِعٌ (٦)
- 7 . I swear by the heaven full of ways.
وَالسَّمَاءِ ذَاتِ الْحُبُكِ (٧)
- 8 . Most surely you are at variance with each other in what you say,
إِنَّكُمْ لَفِي قَوْلٍ مُخْتَلِفٍ (٨)
- 9 . He is turned away from it who would be turned away.
يُؤْفِكُ عَنْهُ مَنْ أَفَكَ (٩)
- 10 . Cursed be the liars,
قُبُلِ الْخَرَّاصُونَ (١٠)
- 11 . Who are in a gulf, neglectful;
الَّذِينَ هُمْ فِي غَمْرَةٍ سَاهُونَ (١١)
- 12 . They ask: When is the day of judgment?
يَسْأَلُونَ أَيَّانَ يَوْمِ الدِّينِ (١٢)

يَوْمَ هُمْ عَلَى النَّارِ يُفْتَنُونَ (١٣)

13 . The day on which they shall be tried at the fire.

ذُوقُوا فِتْنَتَكُمْ هَذَا الَّذِي كُنْتُمْ بِهِ تَسْتَعْجِلُونَ (١٤)

14 . Taste your persecution! this is what you would have been on.

إِنَّ الْمُتَّقِينَ فِي جَنَّاتٍ وَعُيُونٍ (١٥)

15 . Surely those who ward off evil shall be in *Jannat* (garden) and fountains.

أَخَذِينَ مَا آتَاهُمْ رَبُّهُمْ إِنَّهُمْ كَانُوا قَبْلَ ذَلِكَ مُحْسِنِينَ (١٦)

16 . Taking what their '*Rabb*' gives them; surely they were before that, the doers of good.

كَانُوا أَقْلِيلاً مِنَ اللَّيْلِ مَا يَهْجَعُونَ (١٧)

17 . They used to sleep but little in the night.

وَبِالْأَسْحَارِ هُمْ يَسْتَغْفِرُونَ (١٨)

18 . And in the morning they asked forgiveness.

وَفِي أَمْوَالِهِمْ حَقٌّ لِلْسَّائِلِ وَالْمَحْرُومِ (١٩)

19 . And in their property was a portion due to him who begs and to him who is denied.

وَفِي الْأَرْضِ آيَاتٌ لِلْمُوقِنِينَ (٢٠)

20 . And in the earth there are signs for those who are sure,

وَفِي أَنْفُسِكُمْ أَفَلَا تُبْصِرُونَ (٢١)

21 . And in your own souls; will you not then see?

وَفِي السَّمَاءِ رِزْقُكُمْ وَمَا تُوعَدُونَ (٢٢)

22 . And in the heaven is your sustenance and what you are threatened with.

فَوَرَبِّ السَّمَاءِ وَالْأَرْضِ إِنَّهُ لَحَقٌّ مِثْلَ مَا أَنَّكُمْ تَنْطِقُونَ (٢٣)

23 . And by the '*Rabb*' of the heavens and the earth! it is most surely the truth, just as you do speak.

هَلْ أَتَاكَ حَدِيثُ ضَيْفِ إِبْرَاهِيمَ الْمُكْرَمِينَ (٢٤)

24 . Has there come to you information about the honoured guests of *Ibraheem* (Abraham)?

إِذْ دَخَلُوا عَلَيْهِ فَقَالُوا سَلَامًا قَالَ سَلَامٌ قَوْمٌ مُنْكَرُونَ (٢٥)

25 . When they entered upon him, they said: *Salaamun* (Peace). *Salaamun* (Peace), said he, a strange people.

فَرَاغَ إِلَىٰ أَهْلِهِ فَجَاءَ بِعِجْلٍ سَمِينٍ (٢٦)

26 . Then he turned aside to his family secretly and brought a fat calf,

فَقَرَّبَهُ إِلَيْهِمْ قَالَ أَلَا تَأْكُلُونَ (٢٧)

27 . So he brought it near them. He said: What! will you not eat?

فَأَوْجَسَ مِنْهُمْ خِيفَةً قَالُوا لَا تَخَفْ وَبَشَّرُوهُ بِغُلَامٍ عَلِيمٍ (٢٨)

28 . So he conceived in his mind a fear on account of them. They said: Fear not. And they gave him the good news of a boy possessing knowledge.

فَأَقْبَلَتِ امْرَأَتُهُ فِي صَرَاطَةٍ فَصَكَتْ وَجْهَهَا وَقَالَتْ عَجُوزٌ عَقِيمٌ (٢٩)

29 . Then his wife came up in great grief, and she struck her face and said: An old barren woman!

قَالُوا كَذَلِكَ قَالَ رَبُّكَ إِنَّهُ هُوَ الْحَكِيمُ الْعَلِيمُ (٣٠)

30 . They said: Thus says your '*Rabb*': Surely He is *Hakeem-mul Aleem* (The Wise, The Knower)