

البقرة AlBaqarah

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

In the name of Allah, Most Gracious, Most Merciful

1. Alif. Lam. Mim.

الم ﴿١﴾

2. This is the Scripture whereof there is no doubt, a guidance unto those who ward off (evil).

ذَٰلِكَ الْكِتَابُ لَا رَيْبَ فِيهِ
هُدًى لِّلْمُتَّقِينَ ﴿٢﴾

3. Who believe in the Unseen, and establish worship, and spend of that We have bestowed upon them.

الَّذِينَ يُؤْمِنُونَ بِالْغَيْبِ
وَيُقِيمُونَ الصَّلَاةَ وَمِمَّا رَزَقْنَاهُمْ
يُنْفِقُونَ ﴿٣﴾

4. And who believe in that which is revealed unto thee (Muhammad) and that which was revealed before thee, and are certain of the Hereafter.

وَالَّذِينَ يُؤْمِنُونَ بِمَا أُنزِلَ إِلَيْكَ
وَمَا أُنزِلَ مِن قَبْلِكَ وَبِالْآخِرَةِ
هُمْ يُوقِنُونَ ﴿٤﴾

5. These depend on guidance from their Lord. These are the successful.

أُولَئِكَ عَلَىٰ هُدًى مِّن رَّبِّهِمْ
وَأُولَئِكَ هُمُ الْمُفْلِحُونَ ﴿٥﴾

6. As for the disbelievers, whether thou warn them or thou warn them not, it is all one for them; they believe not.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا سَوَاءٌ
عَلَيْهِمْ ءَأَنْذَرْتَهُمْ أَمْ لَمْ
تُنذِرْهُمْ لَا يُؤْمِنُونَ ﴿٦﴾

7. Allah has sealed their hearing and their hearts, and on their eyes there is a covering. Theirs will be an awful doom.

خَتَمَ اللَّهُ عَلَىٰ قُلُوبِهِمْ وَعَلَىٰ
سَمْعِهِمْ وَعَلَىٰ أَبْصَارِهِمْ
غِشَاوَةٌ وَلَهُمْ عَذَابٌ عَظِيمٌ ﴿٧﴾

8. And of mankind are some who say: We believe in Allah and the Last Day, when they believe not.

وَمِنَ النَّاسِ مَن يَقُولُ ءَأَمَنَّا
بِاللَّهِ وَبِالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ وَمَا هُمْ
بِمُؤْمِنِينَ ﴿٨﴾

9. They think to beguile Allah and those who believe, and they beguile none save themselves; but they perceive not.

تُخَادِعُونَ اللَّهَ وَالَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا
وَمَا تَخْدَعُونَ إِلَّا أَنفُسَهُمْ
وَمَا يَشْعُرُونَ ﴿٩﴾

10. In their hearts is a disease, and Allah increases their disease. A painful doom is theirs because they lie.

فِي قُلُوبِهِمْ مَّرَضٌ فَزَادَهُمُ اللَّهُ
مَرَضًا وَلَهُمْ عَذَابٌ أَلِيمٌ بِمَا
كَانُوا يَكْذِبُونَ ﴿١٠﴾

11. And when it is said unto them: Make not mischief in the earth, they say: We are peacemakers only.

وَإِذَا قِيلَ لَهُمْ لَا تُفْسِدُوا فِي
الْأَرْضِ قَالُوا إِنَّمَا نَحْنُ
مُصْلِحُونَ ﴿١١﴾

12. Are not they indeed the mischief-makers? But they perceive not.

أَلَا إِنَّهُمْ هُمُ الْمُفْسِدُونَ
وَلَكِن لَّا يَشْعُرُونَ ﴿١٢﴾

13. And when it is said unto them: believe as the people believe, they say: shall we believe as the foolish believe? Are not they indeed the foolish? But they know not.

وَإِذَا قِيلَ لَهُمْ ءَامِنُوا كَمَا ءَامَنَ
النَّاسُ قَالُوا أَنُؤْمِنُ كَمَا ءَامَنَ
الْأَسْفَهَاءُ ۗ أَلَا إِنَّهُمْ هُمُ
الْأَسْفَهَاءُ ۗ وَلَكِن لَّا يَعْلَمُونَ ﴿١٣﴾

14. And when they fall in with those who believe, they say: We believe; but when they go apart to their devils they declare: Lo! We are with you; verily we did but mock.

وَإِذَا لَقُوا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا قَالُوا
ءَامِنَّا وَإِذَا خَلَوْا إِلَىٰ شَيْطَانِهِمْ
قَالُوا إِنَّا مَعَكُمْ إِنَّمَا نَحْنُ
مُسْتَهْزِءُونَ ﴿١٤﴾

15. Allah (Himself) does mock them, leaving them to wander blindly on in their contumacy.

اللَّهُ يَسْتَهْزِئُ بِهِمْ وَيَمُدُّهُمْ فِي
طُغْيَانِهِمْ يَعْمَهُونَ ﴿١٥﴾

16. These are they who purchase error at the price of guidance, so their commerce does not prosper, neither are they guided.

أُولَٰئِكَ الَّذِينَ اشْتَرُوا الضَّلَالَهٗ
بِالْهُدَىٰ فَمَا رِنِحَتْ تِجَارَتُهُمْ
وَمَا كَانُوا مُهْتَدِينَ ﴿١٦﴾

17. Their likeness is as the likeness of one who kindles fire, and when it sheds its light around him, Allah takes away their light and leaves them in darkness, where they cannot see.

مَثَلُهُمْ كَمَثَلِ الَّذِي اسْتَوْقَدَ
نَارًا فَلَمَّا أَضَاءَتْ مَا حَوْلَهُ
ذَهَبَ اللَّهُ بِنُورِهِمْ وَتَرَكَهُمْ فِي
ظُلْمَةٍ لَا يُبْصِرُونَ ﴿١٧﴾

18. Deaf, dumb and blind; and they return not.

صُمٌّ بُكْمٌ عُمَىٰ فَهُمْ لَا
يَرْجِعُونَ ﴿١٨﴾

19. Or like a rainstorm from the sky, wherein is darkness, thunder, and the flash of lightning. They thrust their fingers in their ears by reason of the thunder-claps, for fear of death, Allah encompasses the disbelievers (in His guidance, His omniscience, and His omnipotence).

أَوْ كَصَيْبٍ مِّنَ السَّمَاءِ فِيهِ
ظُلْمَةٌ وَرَعْدٌ وَبَرْقٌ تَجْعَلُونَ
أَصْبِعَهُمْ فِي آذَانِهِمْ مِّنَ
الصَّوَاعِقِ حَذَرَ الْمَوْتِ ۗ وَاللَّهُ
مُحِيطٌ بِالْكَافِرِينَ ﴿١٩﴾

20. The lightning almost snatches away their sight from them. As often as it flashes forth for them they walk therein, and when it darkens against them they stand still. If Allah willed, He could destroy their hearing and their sight. Lo! Allah is able to do all things.

يَكَادُ الْبَرْقُ تَخْطَفُ أَبْصَارَهُمْ
كُلَّمَا أَضَاءَ لَهُمْ مَّشَوْا فِيهِ وَإِذَا
أَظْلَمَ عَلَيْهِمْ قَامُوا ۗ وَلَوْ شَاءَ اللَّهُ
لَذَهَبَ بِسَمْعِهِمْ وَأَبْصَارِهِمْ ۗ
إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ ﴿٢٠﴾

21. O mankind! Worship your Lord, Who has created you and those before you, so that you may ward off (evil).

يَا أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ اعْبُدُوا رَبَّكُمُ
الَّذِي خَلَقَكُمْ وَالَّذِينَ مِن قَبْلِكُمْ
لَعَلَّكُمْ تَتَّقُونَ ﴿٢١﴾

22. Who has appointed the earth a resting-place for you, and the sky a canopy; and causes water to pour down from the sky, thereby producing fruits as food for you. And do not set up rivals to Allah when you know (better).

الَّذِي جَعَلَ لَكُمُ الْأَرْضَ فِرَاشًا
وَالسَّمَاءَ بِنَاءً وَأَنْزَلَ مِنَ السَّمَاءِ
مَاءً فَأَخْرَجَ بِهِ مِنَ الثَّمَرَاتِ
رِزْقًا لَكُمْ فَلَا تَجْعَلُوا لِلَّهِ أُندَادًا
وَأَنْتُمْ تَعْلَمُونَ

23. And if you are in doubt concerning that which We reveal unto Our slave (Muhammad), then produce a surah of the like thereof, and call your witness beside Allah if you are truthful.

وَإِنْ كُنْتُمْ فِي رَيْبٍ مِمَّا نَزَّلْنَا
عَلَىٰ عَبْدِنَا فَأْتُوا بِسُورَةٍ مِّنْ
مِّثْلِهِ وَادْعُوا شُهَدَاءَكُمْ مِّنْ
دُونِ اللَّهِ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ صَادِقِينَ

24. And if you do it not - and you can never do it - then guard yourselves against the Fire prepared for disbelievers, whose fuel is of men and stones.

فَإِنْ لَّمْ تَفْعَلُوا وَلَنْ تَفْعَلُوا
فَاتَّقُوا النَّارَ الَّتِي وَقُودُهَا
النَّاسُ وَالْحِجَارَةُ أُعِدَّتْ
لِلْكَافِرِينَ

25. And give glad tidings (O Muhammad) unto those who believe and do good works; that theirs are Gardens underneath which rivers flow; as often as they are regaled with food of the fruit thereof, they say: this is what was given us aforetime; and it is given to them in resemblance. There for them are pure companions; there forever they abide.

وَنَشِّرِ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا
الصَّالِحَاتِ أَنَّ لَهُمْ جَنَّاتٍ
تَجْرَى مِنْ تَحْتِهَا الْأَنْهَارُ
كُلَّمَا رُزِقُوا مِنْهَا مِنْ ثَمَرَةٍ
رِزْقًا قَالُوا هَذَا الَّذِي رُزِقْنَا
مِنْ قَبْلُ وَأُتُوا بِهِ مُتَشَبِهًا
وَلَهُمْ فِيهَا أَزْوَاجٌ مُطَهَّرَةٌ وَهُمْ
فِيهَا خَالِدُونَ



26. Lo! Allah disdains not to coin the similitude even of a gnat. Those who believe know that it is the truth from their Lord; but those who disbelieve say: What does Allah wish (to teach) by such a similitude? He misleads many thereby, and He guides many thereby; and He misleads thereby only miscreants.

﴿ إِنَّ اللَّهَ لَا يَسْتَحْيَىٰ أَن يَضْرِبَ مَثَلًا مَّا بَعُوضَةً فَمَا فَوْقَهَا ۚ فَأَمَّا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا فَيَعْلَمُونَ أَنَّهُ الْحَقُّ مِن رَّبِّهِمْ ۗ وَأَمَّا الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا فَيَقُولُونَ مَاذَا أَرَادَ اللَّهُ بِهَذَا مَثَلًا ۖ يُضِلُّ بِهِ كَثِيرًا وَيَهْدِي بِهِ كَثِيرًا ۚ وَمَا يُضِلُّ بِهِ إِلَّا الْفَاسِقِينَ ۗ ﴾



27. Those who break the covenant of Allah after ratifying it, and sever that which Allah ordered to be joined, and (who) make mischief in the earth. Those are they who are the losers.

﴿ الَّذِينَ يَنْقُضُونَ عَهْدَ اللَّهِ مِنۢ بَعْدِ مِيثَاقِهِ وَيَقْطَعُونَ مَا أَمَرَ اللَّهُ بِهِۦٓ أَن يُوصَلَ ۚ وَيُفْسِدُونَ فِي الْأَرْضِ ۗ أُولَٰئِكَ هُمُ الْخَاسِرُونَ ۗ ﴾



28. How disbelieve you in Allah when you were dead and He gave life to you! Then He will give you death, then life again, and then unto Him you will return.

كَيْفَ تَكْفُرُونَ بِاللَّهِ وَكُنْتُمْ
أَمْوَاتًا فَأَحْيَاكُمْ ثُمَّ يُمِيتُكُمْ
ثُمَّ يُحْيِيكُمْ ثُمَّ إِلَيْهِ تُرْجَعُونَ



29. He it is Who created for you all that is in the earth. Then turned He to the heaven, and fashioned it as seven heavens. And He is knower of all things.

هُوَ الَّذِي خَلَقَ لَكُمْ مَا فِي
الْأَرْضِ جَمِيعًا ثُمَّ أَسْتَوَىٰ إِلَىٰ
السَّمَاءِ فَسَوَّاهُنَّ سَبْعَ سَمَوَاتٍ
وَهُوَ بِكُلِّ شَيْءٍ عَلِيمٌ



30. And when thy Lord said unto the angels: Lo! I am about to place a viceroy in the earth, they said: Wilt thou place therein one who will do harm therein and will shed blood, while we, we hymn Thy praise and sanctify Thee? He said: Surely I know that which you know not.

وَإِذْ قَالَ رَبُّكَ لِلْمَلَائِكَةِ إِنِّي
جَاعِلٌ فِي الْأَرْضِ خَلِيفَةً قَالُوا
أَتَجْعَلُ فِيهَا مَنْ يُفْسِدُ فِيهَا
وَيَسْفِكُ الدِّمَاءَ وَنَحْنُ نُسَبِّحُ
بِحَمْدِكَ وَنُقَدِّسُ لَكَ قَالَ إِنِّي
أَعْلَمُ مَا لَا تَعْلَمُونَ



31. And He taught Adam all the names, then showed them to the angels, saying: Inform Me of the names of these, if you are truthful.

وَعَلَّمَ ءَادَمَ الْأَسْمَاءَ كُلَّهَا ثُمَّ
عَرَضَهُمْ عَلَى الْمَلَائِكَةِ فَقَالَ
أَنْبِئُونِي بِأَسْمَاءِ هَٰؤُلَاءِ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ
صَادِقِينَ ﴿٣١﴾

32. They said: Be glorified! We have no knowledge save that which Thou hast taught us. Lo! Thou, only Thou, art the Knower, the Wise.

قَالُوا سُبْحٰنَكَ لَا عِلْمَ لَنَا إِلَّا
مَا عَلَّمْتَنَا ۗ إِنَّكَ أَنْتَ الْعَلِيمُ
الْحَكِيمُ ﴿٣٢﴾

33. He said: O Adam! Inform them of their names, and when he had informed them of their names, He said: Did I not tell you that I know the secret of the heavens and the earth? And I know that which you disclose and which you hide.

قَالَ يٰٓأَدَمُ أَنْبِئْهُمْ بِأَسْمَائِهِمْ
فَلَمَّا أَنْبَأَهُمْ بِأَسْمَائِهِمْ قَالَ أَلَمْ
أَقُلْ لَّكُمْ إِنِّي أَعْلَمُ الْغَيْبَ
الَّذِي تَدْعُونَ وَتَكْتُمُونَ ﴿٣٣﴾

34. And when We said unto the angels: Prostrate yourselves before Adam, they fell prostrate, all save Iblis. He demurred through pride, and so became a disbeliever.

وَإِذْ قُلْنَا لِلْمَلَائِكَةِ اسْجُدُوا
لِآدَمَ فَسَجَدُوا إِلَّا إِبْلِيسَ أَبَى
وَاسْتَكْبَرَ وَكَانَ مِنَ الْكَافِرِينَ



35. And We said: O Adam! Dwell thou and thy wife in the Garden, and eat you freely (of the fruits) thereof where you will; but come not nigh this tree lest you become wrong doers.

وَقُلْنَا يَا آدَمُ اسْكُنْ أَنْتَ
وَزَوْجُكَ الْجَنَّةَ وَكُلَا مِنْهَا رَغَدًا
حَيْثُ شِئْتُمَا وَلَا تَقْرَبَا هَذِهِ
الشَّجَرَةَ فَتَكُونَا مِنَ الظَّالِمِينَ



36. But Satan caused them to deflect there from and expelled them from the (happy) state in which they were; and We said: Fall down, one of you a foe unto the other! There shall be for you on earth a habitation and provision for a time.

فَأَزَلَّهُمَا الشَّيْطَانُ عَنْهَا
فَأَخْرَجَهُمَا مِمَّا كَانَا فِيهِ وَقُلْنَا
أهْبِطُوا بَعْضُكُمْ لِبَعْضٍ عَدُوٌّ
وَلَكُمْ فِي الْأَرْضِ مُسْتَقَرٌّ وَمَتَعٌ



إِلَىٰ حِينٍ

37. Then Adam received from his Lord words (of revelation), and He relented toward him. Lo! He is the relenting, the Merciful.

فَتَلَقَىٰ آدَمُ مِنْ رَبِّهِ كَلِمَاتٍ
فَتَابَ عَلَيْهِ ۗ إِنَّهُ هُوَ التَّوَّابُ
الرَّحِيمُ ﴿٣٧﴾

38. We said: Go down, all of you, from hence; but verily there comes unto you from Me a guidance; and whoso follows My guidance, there shall no fear come upon them neither shall they grieve.

قُلْنَا اهْبِطُوا مِنْهَا جَمِيعًا ۖ فَإِمَّا
يَأْتِيَنَّكُمْ مِنِّي هُدًى فَمَنْ تَبَعَ
هُدَايَ فَلَا خَوْفٌ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا
هُمْ يَحْزَنُونَ ﴿٣٨﴾

39. But they who disbelieve, and deny Our revelations, such are rightful peoples of the Fire. They will abide therein.

وَالَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا وَكَذَّبُوا بِآيَاتِنَا
أُولَٰئِكَ أَصْحَابُ النَّارِ ۖ هُمْ فِيهَا
خَالِدُونَ ﴿٣٩﴾

40. O Children of Israel! Remember My favor wherewith I favored you, and fulfill your (part of the) covenant, I shall fulfill My (part of the) covenant, and fear Me.

يَبْنَٰى إِسْرَآءِيلَ اذْكُرُوا نِعْمَتِيَ
الَّتِي اَنْعَمْتُ عَلَيْكُمْ وَاَوْفُوا
بِعَهْدِي اَوْفِ بِعَهْدِكُمْ وَاِِيَّيْ
فَارْهَبُونِ ﴿٤٠﴾

41. And believe in that which I reveal, confirming that which you possess already (of the Scripture), and be not first to disbelieve therein, and part not with My revelations for a trifling price, and keep your duty unto Me.

وَأَمِنُوا بِمَا أَنْزَلْتُ مُصَدِّقًا
لِمَا مَعَكُمْ وَلَا تَكُونُوا أُولَٰ كَافِرٍ
بِهِ وَلَا تَشْتَرُوا بِعَايَتِي ثَمَنًا
قَلِيلًا وَإِيَّيَ فَاتَّقُونَ ﴿٤١﴾

42. Confound not truth with falsehood, nor knowingly conceal the truth.

وَلَا تَلْبِسُوا الْحَقَّ بِالْبَاطِلِ
وَتَكْتُمُوا الْحَقَّ وَأَنْتُمْ تَعْلَمُونَ
﴿٤٢﴾

43. Establish worship, pay the poor-due, and bow your heads with those who bow (in worship).

وَأَقِيمُوا الصَّلَاةَ وَءَاتُوا الزَّكَاةَ
وَارْكَعُوا مَعَ الرَّاكِعِينَ ﴿٤٣﴾

44. Enjoin you righteousness upon mankind while you yourselves forget (to practice it)? And you are readers of the Scripture! Have you then no sense.

﴿٤٤﴾ أَتَأْمُرُونَ النَّاسَ بِالْبِرِّ
وَتَنْسَوْنَ أَنْفُسَكُمْ وَأَنْتُمْ تَتْلُونَ
الْكِتَابَ أَفَلَا تَعْقِلُونَ ﴿٤٤﴾

45. Seek help in patience and prayer; and truly it is hard save for the humble-minded.

وَاسْتَعِينُوا بِالصَّبْرِ وَالصَّلَاةِ
وَإِنَّهَا لَكَبِيرَةٌ إِلَّا عَلَى الْخَاشِعِينَ



46. Who know that they will have to meet their Lord, and that unto Him they are returning.

الَّذِينَ يَظُنُّونَ أَنَّهُم مُّلتَقُوا رَبَّهُمْ
وَأَنَّهُمْ إِلَيْهِ رَاجِعُونَ



47. O Children of Israel! Remember My favor wherewith I favored you and how I preferred you to (all) creatures.

يَبْنَى إِسْرَائِيلَ أَذْكُرُوا نِعْمَتِي
الَّتِي أَنْعَمْتُ عَلَيْكُمْ وَأَنِّي
فَضَّلْتُكُمْ عَلَى الْعَالَمِينَ



48. And guard yourselves against a day when no soul will in aught avail another, nor will intercession be accepted from it, nor will compensation be received from it, nor will they be helped.

وَاتَّقُوا يَوْمًا لَّا تَجْزِي نَفْسٌ
عَنْ نَفْسٍ شَيْئًا وَلَا يُقْبَلُ مِنْهَا
شَفَعَةٌ وَلَا يُؤْخَذُ مِنْهَا عَدْلٌ
وَلَا هُمْ يُنصَرُونَ



49. And (remember) when We did deliver you from Pharaoh's folk, who were afflicting you with dreadful torment, slaying your sons and sparing your women: that was a tremendous trial from your Lord.

وَإِذْ نَجَّيْنَاكُمْ مِّنْ آلِ فِرْعَوْنَ
يَسُومُونَكُمْ سُوءَ الْعَذَابِ
يُذَبِّحُونَ أَبْنَاءَكُمْ وَيَسْتَحْيُونَ
نِسَاءَكُمْ وَفِي ذَٰلِكُمْ بَلَاءٌ مِّنْ
رَّبِّكُمْ عَظِيمٌ ﴿٤٩﴾

50. And when We brought you through the sea and rescued you, and drowned the folk of Pharaoh in your sight.

وَإِذْ فَرَقْنَا بِكُمْ الْبَحْرَ
فَأَنجَيْنَاكُمْ وَأَغْرَقْنَا آلَ
فِرْعَوْنَ وَأَنْتُمْ تَنْظُرُونَ ﴿٥٠﴾

51. And when We did appoint for Moses forty nights (of solitude), and then you chose the calf, when he had gone from you, and were wrong doers.

وَإِذْ وَعَدْنَا مُوسَىٰ أَرْبَعِينَ لَيْلَةً
ثُمَّ أَخَذْتُمُ الْعِجْلَ مِنْ بَعْدِهِ
وَأَنْتُمْ ظَالِمُونَ ﴿٥١﴾

52. Then, even after that, We pardoned you in order that you might give thanks.

ثُمَّ عَفَوْنَا عَنْكُمْ مِّنْ بَعْدِ ذَٰلِكَ
لَعَلَّكُمْ تَشْكُرُونَ ﴿٥٢﴾

53. And when We gave unto Moses the Scripture and the criterion (of right and wrong), that you might be led aright.

وَإِذْ ءَاتَيْنَا مُوسَى الْكِتَابَ
وَالْفُرْقَانَ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَهْتَدُونَ ﴿٥٣﴾

54. And when Moses said unto his people: O my people! You have wronged yourselves by your choosing of the calf (for worship) so turn in penitence to your Creator, and kill (the guilty) yourselves. That will be best for you with your Creator and He will relent toward you. Lo! He is the Relenting, the Merciful.

وَإِذْ قَالَ مُوسَى لِقَوْمِهِ يٰقَوْمِ
إِنَّكُمْ أَنْتُمْ ظَلِمْتُمْ أَنْفُسَكُمْ
بِاتِّخَاذِكُمُ الْعِجَلِ فَتُوبُوا إِلَىٰ
بَارِيكُمْ فَاقْتُلُوا أَنْفُسَكُمْ ذٰلِكُمْ
خَيْرٌ لَّكُمْ عِنْدَ بَارِيكُمْ فَتَابَ
عَلَيْكُمْ ۚ إِنَّهُ هُوَ التَّوَّابُ
الرَّحِيمُ ﴿٥٤﴾

55. And when you said: O Moses! We will not believe in thee till we see Allah plainly; and even while you gazed the lightning seized you.

وَإِذْ قُلْتُمْ يٰمُوسَىٰ لَنْ نُؤْمِنَ لَكَ
حَتَّىٰ نَرَى اللَّهَ جَهْرَةً فَأَخَذَتْكُمُ
الصَّعِقَةُ وَأَنْتُمْ تَنْظُرُونَ ﴿٥٥﴾

56. Then We revived you after your extinction, that you might give thanks.

ثُمَّ بَعَثْنَاكُمْ مِنْ بَعْدِ مَوْتِكُمْ
لَعَلَّكُمْ تَشْكُرُونَ ﴿٥٦﴾

57. And We caused the white cloud to overshadow you and sent down on you the manna and the quails, (saying): Eat of the good things wherewith We have provided you - they wronged Us not, but they did wrong themselves.

وَوَضَّلْنَا عَلَيْكُمْ الْغَمَامَ وَأَنْزَلْنَا
عَلَيْكُمْ الْمَنَّانَ وَالسَّلْوَىٰ كُلُوا مِنْ
طَيِّبَاتِ مَا رَزَقْنَاكُمْ وَمَا ظَلَمُونَا
وَلَكِنْ كَانُوا أَنْفُسَهُمْ يَظْلِمُونَ



58. And when We said: Go into this township and eat freely of that which is therein, and enter the gate prostrate, and say: "Repentance." We will forgive you your sins and will increase (reward) for the right-doers.

وَإِذْ قُلْنَا أَدْخُلُوا هَذِهِ الْقَرْيَةَ
فَكُلُوا مِنْهَا حَيْثُ شِئْتُمْ رَغَدًا
وَأَدْخُلُوا الْبَابَ سُجَّدًا وَقُولُوا
حِطَّةٌ نَّغْفِرْ لَكُمْ خَطِيئَتِكُمْ
وَسَنَزِيدُ الْمُحْسِنِينَ



59. But those who did wrong changed the word which had been told them for another saying, and We sent down upon the evil doers wrath from heaven for their evil-doing.

فَبَدَّلَ الَّذِينَ ظَلَمُوا قَوْلًا
غَيْرَ الَّذِي قِيلَ لَهُمْ فَأَنْزَلْنَا
عَلَى الَّذِينَ ظَلَمُوا رِجْزًا مِّنَ
السَّمَاءِ بِمَا كَانُوا يَفْسُقُونَ



60. And when Moses asked for water for his people, We said: Smite with thy staff the rock. And there gushed out there from twelve springs (so that) each tribe knew their drinking-place. Eat and drink of that which Allah has provided, and do not act corruptly, making mischief in the earth.

وَإِذِ اسْتَسْقَىٰ مُوسَىٰ
لِقَوْمِهِ فُقُلْنَا أَضْرِبْ بِعَصَاكَ
الْحَجَرَ ط فَانْفَجَرَتْ مِنْهُ اثْنَتَا
عَشْرَةَ عَيْنًا ط قَدْ عَلِمَ كُلُّ
أُنَاسٍ مَّشْرَبَهُمْ ط كُلُوا وَاشْرَبُوا
مِن رِّزْقِ اللَّهِ وَلَا تَعَثُوا فِي
الْأَرْضِ مَفْسِدِينَ ﴿٦٠﴾

61. And when you said: O Moses! We are weary of one kind of food; so call upon thy Lord for us that He bring forth for us of that which the earth grows - of its herbs and its cucumbers and its corn and its lentils and its onions. He said: Would you exchange that which is higher for that which is lower? Go down to settled country, thus you shall get that which you demand. And humiliation and wretchedness were stamped upon them and they were visited with wrath from Allah. That was because they disbelieved in Allah's revelations and slew the prophets wrongfully. That was for their disobedience and transgression.

وَإِذْ قُلْتُمْ يَا مُوسَىٰ لَنْ نَصْبِرَ
عَلَىٰ طَعَامٍ وَاحِدٍ فَادْعُ لَنَا
رَبَّكَ يُخْرِجْ لَنَا مِمَّا تُنْبِتُ
الْأَرْضُ مِنْ بَقْلِهَا وَقِثَّائِهَا
وَفُومِهَا وَعَدَسِيهَا وَبَصَلِهَا قَالَ
أَتَسْتَبْدِلُونَ الَّذِي هُوَ
أَدْنَىٰ بِالَّذِي هُوَ خَيْرٌ
أَهْبِطُوا مِصْرًا فَإِنَّ لَكُمْ مَّا
سَأَلْتُمْ وَضُرِبَتْ عَلَيْهِمُ الذِّلَّةُ
وَالْمَسْكَنَةُ وَبَاءُوا بِغَضَبِ
مِّنَ اللَّهِ ذَٰلِكَ بِأَنَّهُمْ كَانُوا
يَكْفُرُونَ بِعَايَاتِ اللَّهِ
وَيَقْتُلُونَ النَّبِيِّنَ بِغَيْرِ الْحَقِّ
ذَٰلِكَ بِمَا عَصَوْا وَكَانُوا
يَعْتَدُونَ

62. Lo! Those who believe (in that which is revealed unto thee, Muhammad), and those who are Jews, and Christians, and Sabaeans - whoever believes in Allah and the Last Day and does right - surely their reward is with their Lord, and there shall no fear come upon them neither shall they grieve.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا وَالَّذِينَ
هَادُوا وَالنَّصْرَى وَالصَّبِئِينَ
مَنْ ءَامَنَ بِاللَّهِ وَالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ
وَعَمِلَ صَالِحًا فَلَهُمْ أَجْرُهُمْ
عِنْدَ رَبِّهِمْ وَلَا خَوْفٌ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا
هُمْ يَحْزَنُونَ

63. And (remember, O Children of Israel) when We made a covenant with you and caused the mount to tower above you, (saying): Hold fast that which We have given you, and remember that which is therein, that you may ward off (evil).

وَإِذْ أَخَذْنَا مِيثَاقَكُمْ وَرَفَعْنَا
فَوْقَكُمْ الطُّورَ خُذُوا مَا
ءَاتَيْنَاكُمْ بِقُوَّةٍ وَاذْكُرُوا مَا فِيهِ
لَعَلَّكُمْ تَتَّقُونَ

64. Then, even after that, you turned away, and if it had not been for the grace of Allah and His mercy you had been among the losers.

ثُمَّ تَوَلَّيْتُمْ مِنْ بَعْدِ ذَلِكَ
فَلَوْلَا فَضْلُ اللَّهِ عَلَيْكُمْ
وَرَحْمَتُهُ لَكُنْتُمْ مِنَ الْخَاسِرِينَ

65. And you know of those of you who broke the Sabbath, how We said unto them: Be you apes, despised and hated.

وَلَقَدْ عَلِمْتُمُ الَّذِينَ اعْتَدَوْا مِنْكُمْ فِي السَّبْتِ فَقُلْنَا لَهُمْ كُونُوا قِرَدَةً خَاسِئِينَ ﴿٦٥﴾

66. And We made it an example to their own and to succeeding generations, and an admonition to the God-fearing.

فَجَعَلْنَاهَا نَكَالًا لِّمَا بَيْنَ يَدَيْهَا وَمَا خَلْفَهَا وَمَوْعِظَةً لِّلْمُتَّقِينَ ﴿٦٦﴾

67. And when Moses said unto his people: Lo! Allah commands you that you sacrifice a cow, they said: Dost thou make game of us? He answered: Allah forbid that I should be among the foolish.

وَإِذْ قَالَ مُوسَىٰ لِقَوْمِهِ إِنَّ اللَّهَ يَأْمُرُكُمْ أَنْ تَذْبَحُوا بَقْرَةً قَالُوا أَتَتَّخِذُنَا هُزُوًا قَالَ أَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ أَنْ أَكُونَ مِنَ الْجَاهِلِينَ ﴿٦٧﴾

68. They said: Pray for us unto thy Lord that He make clear to us what (cow) she is. (Moses) answered: Lo! He says, Verily she is a cow neither with calf nor immature; (she is) between the two conditions; so do that which you are commanded.

قَالُوا ادْعُ لَنَا رَبَّكَ يُبَيِّنْ لَنَا مَا هِيَ قَالَ إِنَّهُ يَقُولُ إِنَّهَا بَقْرَةٌ لَّا فَارِضٌ وَلَا بَكْرٌ عَوَانٌ بَيْنَ ذَلِكَ فَافْعَلُوا مَا تُؤْمَرُونَ ﴿٦٨﴾

69. They said: Pray for us unto thy Lord that He make clear to us of what color she is. (Moses) answered: Lo! He says: Verily she is a yellow cow. Bright is her color, gladdening beholders.

قَالُوا ادْعُ لَنَا رَبَّكَ يُبَيِّنْ لَنَا مَا لَوْنُهَا ۗ قَالَ إِنَّهُ يَقُولُ إِنَّهَا بَقْرَةٌ صَفْرَاءُ فَاقِعٌ لَوْنُهَا تَسُرُّ النَّظِيرِينَ ﴿٦٩﴾

70. They said: Pray for us unto thy Lord that He make clear to us what (cow) she is. Lo! cows are much alike to us; and Lo! If Allah wills, we may be led aright.

قَالُوا ادْعُ لَنَا رَبَّكَ يُبَيِّنْ لَنَا مَا هِيَ ۗ إِنَّ الْبَقَرَ تَشَبَهَ عَلَيْنَا وَإِنَّا إِن شَاءَ اللَّهُ لَمُهْتَدُونَ ﴿٧٠﴾

71. (Moses) answered: Lo! He says: Verily she is a cow unyoked; she ploughs not the soil nor waters the tilth; whole and without mark. They said: Now thou brought the truth. So they sacrificed her, though almost they did not.

قَالَ إِنَّهُ يَقُولُ إِنَّهَا بَقْرَةٌ لَّا ذُلُورٌ تُثِيرُ الْأَرْضَ وَلَا تَسْقِي الْحَرْثَ مُسَلَّمَةٌ لَّا شِيءَ فِيهَا ۗ قَالُوا أَلَّعَنَّ جِئْتَ بِالْحَقِّ ۗ فَذَبَحُوهَا وَمَا كَادُوا يَفْعَلُونَ ﴿٧١﴾

72. And (remember) when you slew a man and disagreed concerning it and Allah brought forth that which you were hiding.

وَإِذْ قَتَلْتُمْ نَفْسًا فَادَّارَأْتُمْ فِيهَا
وَاللَّهُ مُخْرِجُ مَا كُنْتُمْ تَكْتُمُونَ



73. And We said: Smite him with some of it. Thus Allah brings the dead to life and shows you His portents so that you may understand.

فَقُلْنَا أَضْرِبُوهُ بِبَعْضِهَا كَذَلِكَ
يُحْيِي اللَّهُ الْمَوْتَى وَيُرِيكُمْ
آيَاتِهِ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَعْقِلُونَ



74. Then, even after that, your hearts were hardened and became as rocks, or worse than rocks, for hardness. For indeed there are rocks from out which rivers gush, and indeed there are rocks which split asunder so that water flows from them. And indeed there are rocks which fall down for the fear of Allah. Allah is not unaware of what you do.

ثُمَّ قَسَتْ قُلُوبُكُمْ مِنْ بَعْدِ
ذَلِكَ فَهِيَ كَالْحِجَارَةِ أَوْ أَشَدُّ
قَسْوَةً وَإِنَّ مِنَ الْحِجَارَةِ لَمَا
يَتَفَجَّرُ مِنْهُ الْأَنْهَارُ وَإِنَّ مِنْهَا
لَمَا يَشَقُّ فِيخْرُجُ مِنْهُ الْمَاءُ
وَإِنَّ مِنْهَا لَمَا يَهْبِطُ مِنْ خَشْيَةِ
اللَّهِ وَمَا اللَّهُ بِغَافِلٍ عَمَّا



تَعْمَلُونَ

75. Have you any hope that they will be true to you when a party of them used to listen to the word of Allah, then used to change it, after they had understood it, knowingly.

﴿ أَفَتَطْمَعُونَ أَنْ يُؤْمِنُوا لَكُمْ
وَقَدْ كَانَ فَرِيقٌ مِّنْهُمْ يَسْمَعُونَ
كَلِمَ اللَّهِ ثُمَّ يُحَرِّفُونَهُ مِنْ
بَعْدِ مَا عَقَلُوهُ وَهُمْ يَعْلَمُونَ ﴾



76. And when they fall in with those who believe, they say: We believe. But when they go apart one with another they say: Prate you to them of that which Allah has disclosed to you that they may contend with you before your Lord concerning it? Have you then no sense.

﴿ وَإِذَا لَقُوا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا قَالُوا
ءَامِنَّا وَإِذَا خَلَا بِعَضُوبِهِمْ إِلَى
بَعْضٍ قَالُوا أَتُحَدِّثُونَهُمْ بِمَا فَتَحَ
اللَّهُ عَلَيْكُمْ لِيُحَاجُّوكُمْ بِهِ
عِنْدَ رَبِّكُمْ أَفَلَا تَعْقِلُونَ ﴾



77. Are they then unaware that Allah knows that which they keep hidden and that which they proclaim.

﴿ أَوَلَا يَعْلَمُونَ أَنَّ اللَّهَ يَعْلَمُ مَا
يُسْرُونَ وَمَا يُعْلِنُونَ ﴾



78. Among them are unlettered folk who know the Scripture not except from hearsay. They but guess.

﴿ وَمِنْهُمْ أُمِّيُونَ لَا يَعْلَمُونَ
الْكِتَابَ إِلَّا أَمَانِيٍّ وَإِنَّهُمْ إِلَّا
يُظُنُّونَ ﴾



79. Therefore woe be unto those who write the Scripture with their hands and then say, "This is from Allah," that they may purchase a small gain therewith. Woe unto them for that their hands have written, and woe unto them for that they earn thereby.

فَوَيْلٌ لِلَّذِينَ يَكْتُبُونَ الْكِتَابَ
بِأَيْدِيهِمْ ثُمَّ يَقُولُونَ هَذَا مِنْ
عِنْدِ اللَّهِ لِيَشْتَرُوا بِهِ ثَمَنًا قَلِيلًا
فَوَيْلٌ لَهُمْ مِمَّا كَتَبَتْ
أَيْدِيهِمْ وَوَيْلٌ لَهُمْ مِمَّا
يَكْسِبُونَ ﴿٧٩﴾

80. And they say: The Fire (of punishment) will not touch us save for a certain number of days. Say: Have you received a covenant from Allah - truly Allah will not break His covenant - or tell you concerning Allah that which you know not.

وَقَالُوا لَنْ تَمَسَّنَا النَّارُ إِلَّا
أَيَّامًا مَّعْدُودَةً قُلْ أَتَّخَذْتُمْ عِنْدَ
اللَّهِ عَهْدًا فَلَنْ تُخْلَفَ اللَّهُ عَهْدَهُ
أَمْ تَقُولُونَ عَلَى اللَّهِ مَا لَا
تَعْلَمُونَ ﴿٨٠﴾

81. Nay, but whosoever has done evil and his sin surrounds him; such are rightful owners of the Fire; they will abide therein.

بَلَىٰ مَنْ كَسَبَ سَيِّئَةً وَأَحَاطَتْ
بِهِ خَطِيئَتُهُ فَأُولَٰئِكَ
أَصْحَابُ النَّارِ هُمْ فِيهَا
خَالِدُونَ ﴿٨١﴾

82. And those who believe and do good works: such are rightful owners of the Garden. They will abide therein.

وَالَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا
الصَّالِحَاتِ أُولَٰئِكَ أَصْحَابُ
الْجَنَّةِ هُمْ فِيهَا خَالِدُونَ

83. And (remember) when We made a covenant with the Children of Israel, (saying): Worship none save Allah (only), and be good to parents and to kindred and to orphans and the needy, and speak kindly to mankind; and establish worship and pay the poor-due. Then, after that, you slid back, save a few of you, being averse.

وَإِذْ أَخَذْنَا مِيثَاقَ بَنِي إِسْرَائِيلَ
لَا تَعْبُدُونَ إِلَّا اللَّهَ وَبِالْوَالِدَيْنِ
إِحْسَانًا وَذِي الْقُرْبَىٰ وَالْيَتَامَىٰ
وَالْمَسْكِينِ وَقُولُوا لِلنَّاسِ
حُسْنًا وَأَقِيمُوا الصَّلَاةَ وَءَاتُوا
الزَّكَاةَ ثُمَّ تَوَلَّيْتُمْ إِلَّا قَلِيلًا
مِّنْكُمْ وَأَنتُمْ مُّعْرِضُونَ

84. And when We made with you a covenant (saying): Shed not the blood of your people, nor turn (a party of) your people out of your dwellings. Then you ratified (Our covenant) and you were witnesses (thereto).

وَإِذْ أَخَذْنَا مِيثَاقَكُمْ لَا
تَسْفِكُونَ دِمَاءَكُمْ وَلَا تُخْرِجُونَ
أَنفُسَكُمْ مِّن دِيَارِكُمْ ثُمَّ أَقْرَرْتُمْ
وَأَنتُمْ تَشْهَدُونَ

85. Yet you it is who slay each other and drive out a party of your people from their homes, supporting one another against them by sin and transgression? And if they came to you as captives you would ransom them, whereas their expulsion was itself unlawful for you - Believe you in part of the Scripture and disbelieve you in part thereof? And what is the reward of those who do so save ignominy in the life of the world, and on the Day of Resurrection they will be consigned to the most grievous doom. For Allah is not unaware of what you do.

ثُمَّ أَنْتُمْ هَؤُلَاءِ تَقْتُلُونَ
 أَنْفُسَكُمْ وَتُخْرِجُونَ فَرِيقًا مِّنْكُمْ
 مِّن دِيَارِهِمْ تَظَاهَرُونَ عَلَيْهِمْ
 بِالْإِثْمِ وَالْعُدْوَانِ وَإِن يَأْتُوكُمْ
 أُسْرَىٰ تَفْدُوهُمْ وَهُوَ مُحْرَمٌ
 عَلَيْكُمْ إِخْرَاجُهُمْ أَفْئُتُونُونَ
 بِبَعْضِ الْكِتَابِ وَتَكْفُرُونَ
 بِبَعْضِ ۗ فَمَا جَزَاءُ مَن يَفْعَلُ
 ذَٰلِكَ مِنكُمْ إِلَّا خِزْيٌ فِي
 الْحَيَاةِ الدُّنْيَا وَيَوْمَ الْقِيَامَةِ
 يُرَدُّونَ إِلَىٰ أَشَدِّ الْعَذَابِ ۗ وَمَا
 اللَّهُ بِغَافِلٍ عَمَّا تَعْمَلُونَ

86. Such are those who buy the life of the world at the price of the Hereafter. Their punishment will not be lightened, neither will they have support.

أُولَٰئِكَ الَّذِينَ اشْتَرُوا الْحَيَاةَ
 الدُّنْيَا بِالْآخِرَةِ ۗ فَلَا يُخَفَّفُ
 عَنْهُمْ الْعَذَابُ وَلَا هُمْ يُنصَرُونَ

87. And verily We gave unto Moses the Scripture and We caused a train of messengers to follow after him, and We gave unto Jesus, son of Mary, clear proofs (of Allah's sovereignty), and We supported him with the Holy spirit. Is it ever so, that, when there comes unto you a messenger (from Allah) with that which you yourselves desire not, you grow arrogant and some you disbelieve and some you slay.

وَلَقَدْ ءَاتَيْنَا مُوسَى الْكِتَابَ
وَقَفَّيْنَا مِنْ بَعْدِهِ بِالرُّسُلِ
وَءَاتَيْنَا عِيسَى ابْنَ مَرْيَمَ الْبَيِّنَاتِ
وَأَيَّدْنَاهُ بِرُوحِ الْقُدُسِ أَفَكُلَّمَا
جَاءَكُمْ رَسُولٌ بِمَا لَا تَهْوَى
أَنْفُسُكُمْ أَسْتَكْبِرْتُمْ فَفَرِقْنَا
كَذَّبْتُمْ وَفَرِقْنَا تَقْتُلُونَ



88. And they say: Our hearts are hardened. Nay, but Allah has cursed them for their unbelief. Little is that which they believe.

وَقَالُوا قُلُوبُنَا غُلْفٌ بَل لَّعَنَهُمُ
اللَّهُ بِكُفْرِهِمْ فَقَلِيلًا مَّا يُؤْمِنُونَ



89. And when there comes unto them a scripture from Allah, confirming that in their possession - though before that they were asking for a signal triumph over those who disbelieved - and when there comes unto them that which they know (to be the truth) they disbelieve therein. The curse of Allah is on disbelievers.

وَلَمَّا جَاءَهُمْ كِتَابٌ مِّنْ عِنْدِ
 اللَّهِ مُصَدِّقٌ لِّمَا مَعَهُمْ وَكَانُوا
 مِنْ قَبْلُ يَسْتَفْتِحُونَ عَلَى
 الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا فَلَمَّا جَاءَهُمْ مَا
 عَرَفُوا كَفَرُوا بِهِ فَلَعْنَةُ اللَّهِ
 عَلَى الْكَافِرِينَ ﴿٨٩﴾

90. Evil is that for which they sell their souls: that they should disbelieve in that which Allah has revealed, grudging that Allah should reveal of His bounty unto whom He will of His slaves. They have incurred anger upon anger. For disbelievers is a shameful doom.

بِئْسَمَا اشْتَرَوْا بِهِ أَنْفُسَهُمْ أَنْ
 يَكْفُرُوا بِمَا أَنْزَلَ اللَّهُ بَغْيًا أَنْ
 يُنَزِّلَ اللَّهُ مِنْ فَضْلِهِ عَلَى مَنْ
 يَشَاءُ مِنْ عِبَادِهِ فَبَاءُوا بِغَضَبٍ
 عَلَى غَضَبٍ وَلِلْكَافِرِينَ
 عَذَابٌ مُّهِينٌ ﴿٩٠﴾

91. And when it is said unto them: Believe in that which Allah has revealed, they say: We believe in that which was revealed unto us. And they disbelieve in that which comes after it, though it is the truth confirming that which they possess. Say (unto them, O Muhammad): Why then slew you the prophets of Allah aforetime, if you are (indeed) believers.

وَإِذَا قِيلَ لَهُمْ ءَامِنُوا بِمَا أَنْزَلَ
اللَّهُ قَالُوا نُوْمِنُ بِمَا أَنْزَلَ عَلَيْنَا
وَيَكْفُرُونَ بِمَا وَرَاءَهُ وَهُوَ
الْحَقُّ مُصَدِّقًا لِّمَا مَعَهُمْ ۗ قُلْ
فَلِمَ تَقْتُلُونَ أَنْبِيَاءَ اللَّهِ مِنْ قَبْلُ
إِنْ كُنْتُمْ مُؤْمِنِينَ ﴿٩١﴾

92. And Moses came unto you with clear proofs (of Allah's Sovereignty), yet, while he was away, you chose the calf (for worship) and you were wrong doers.

﴿٩٢﴾ وَقَدْ جَاءَكُمْ مُوسَىٰ
بِالْبَيِّنَاتِ ثُمَّ اتَّخَذْتُمُ الْعِجْلَ
مِنْ بَعْدِهِ وَأَنْتُمْ ظَالِمُونَ ﴿٩٢﴾

93. And when We made with you a covenant and caused the Mount to tower above you, (saying): Hold fast by that which We have given you, and hear (Our Word), they said: We hear and we rebel. And (worship of) the calf was made to sink into their hearts because of their rejection (of the covenant). Say (unto them): Evil is that which your belief enjoins on you, if you are believers.

وَإِذْ أَخَذْنَا مِيثَاقَكُمْ وَرَفَعْنَا
فَوْقَكُمْ الطُّورَ خُذُوا مَا
ءَاتَيْنَاكُمْ بِقُوَّةٍ وَأَسْمِعُوا
قَالُوا سَمِعْنَا وَعَصَيْنَا وَأُشْرِبُوا فِي
قُلُوبِهِمُ الْعِجْلَ بِكُفْرِهِمْ قُلْ
بِئْسَمَا يَأْمُرُكُمْ بِهِ إِيمَانُكُمْ
إِنْ كُنْتُمْ مُؤْمِنِينَ ﴿٩٣﴾

94. Say (unto them): If the abode of the Hereafter in the providence of Allah is indeed for you alone and not for others of mankind (as you pretend), then long for death (for you must long for death) if you are truthful.

قُلْ إِنْ كَانَتْ لَكُمْ أَلْدَارُ
الْآخِرَةِ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ خَالِصَةً مِّنْ
دُونِ النَّاسِ فَتَمَنَّوْا الْمَوْتَ إِنْ
كُنْتُمْ صَادِقِينَ ﴿٩٤﴾

95. But they will never long for it, because of that which their own hands have sent before them. Allah is aware of evil doers.

وَلَنْ يَتَمَنَّوْهُ أَبَدًا بِمَا قَدَّمَتْ
أَيْدِيهِمْ وَاللَّهُ عَلِيمٌ بِالظَّالِمِينَ ﴿٩٥﴾

96. And thou wilt find them greediest of mankind for life and (greedier) than the idolaters. (Each) one of them would like to be allowed to live a thousand years. And to live (a thousand years) would by no means remove him from the doom. Allah is Seer of what they do.

وَلتَجِدَنَّهُمْ أَحْرَصَ النَّاسِ
عَلَى حَيَوةٍ وَمِنَ الَّذِينَ
أَشْرَكُوا يَودُّ أَحَدُهُمْ لَوْ يُعَمَّرُ
أَلْفَ سَنَةٍ وَمَا هُوَ بِمُزَحَّزِهٍ
مِنَ الْعَذَابِ أَنْ يُعَمَّرَ وَاللَّهُ
بَصِيرٌ بِمَا يَعْمَلُونَ

97. Say (O Muhammad, to mankind): Who is an enemy to Gabriel! For he it is who hath revealed (this Scripture) to thy heart by Allah's leave, confirming that which was (revealed) before it, and a guidance and glad tidings to believers.

قُلْ مَنْ كَانَ عَدُوًّا لِجِبْرِيلَ
فإنَّهُ نَزَّلَهُ عَلَى قَلْبِكَ بِإِذْنِ اللَّهِ
مُصَدِّقًا لِمَا بَيْنَ يَدَيْهِ
وَهَدَىٰ وَدُشِّرَىٰ لِلْمُؤْمِنِينَ

98. Who is an enemy to Allah, and His angels and His messengers, and Gabriel and Michael! Then, lo! Allah (Himself) is an enemy to the disbelievers.

مَنْ كَانَ عَدُوًّا لِلَّهِ وَمَلَائِكَتِهِ
وَرُسُلِهِ وَجِبْرِيلَ وَمِيكَالَ
فإنَّ اللَّهَ عَدُوٌّ لِلْكَافِرِينَ

99. Verily We have revealed unto thee clear tokens, and only miscreants will disbelieve in them.

وَلَقَدْ أَنْزَلْنَا إِلَيْكَ آيَاتٍ بَيِّنَاتٍ
وَمَا يَكْفُرُ بِهَا إِلَّا الْفَاسِقُونَ



100. Is it ever so that when they make a covenant a party of them set it aside? The truth is, most of them believe not.

أَوْ كَلَّمَا عَاهَدُوا عَهْدًا نَبَذَهُ
فَرِيقٌ مِّنْهُمْ ۚ بَلْ أَكْثَرُهُمْ لَا

يُؤْمِنُونَ

101. And when there comes unto them a messenger from Allah, confirming that which they possess, a party of those who have received the Scripture fling the Scripture of Allah behind their backs as if they knew not.

وَلَمَّا جَاءَهُمْ رَسُولٌ مِّنْ عِنْدِ
اللَّهِ مُصَدِّقٌ لِّمَا مَعَهُمْ نَبَذَ فَرِيقٌ
مِّنَ الَّذِينَ أُوتُوا الْكِتَابَ
كِتَابَ اللَّهِ وَرَاءَ ظُهُورِهِمْ

كَأَنَّهُمْ لَا يَعْلَمُونَ

102. And follow that which the devils falsely related against the kingdom of Solomon. Solomon disbelieved not; but the devils disbelieved, teaching mankind magic and that which was revealed to the two angels in Babel, Harut and Marut. Nor did they (the two angels) teach it to anyone till they had said: We are only a temptation, therefore disbelieve not (in the guidance of Allah). And from these two (angles) people learn that by which they cause division between man and wife; but they injure thereby no-one save by Allah's leave. And they learn that which harms them and profits them not. And surely they do know that he who traffics therein will have no (happy) portion in the Hereafter.

وَاتَّبِعُوا مَا تَتْلُوا الشَّيْطَانُ عَلَى
مُلْكِ سُلَيْمَانَ ^ص وَمَا كَفَرَ
سُلَيْمَانُ وَلَكِنَّ الشَّيْطَانَ
كَفَرُوا يُعَلِّمُونَ النَّاسَ السِّحْرَ
وَمَا أَنْزَلَ عَلَى الْمَلَائِكَةِ بِبَابِلَ
هَارُوتَ وَمَارُوتَ ^ج وَمَا يُعَلِّمَانِ
مِنْ أَحَدٍ حَتَّى يَقُولَا إِنَّمَا نَحْنُ
فِتْنَةٌ فَلَا تَكْفُرْ ^ص فَيَتَعَلَّمُونَ
مِنْهُمَا مَا يُفَرِّقُونَ بِهِ ^ب بَيْنَ
الْمَرْءِ وَزَوْجِهِ ^ج وَمَا هُمْ
بِضَارِينَ بِهِ ^ب مِنْ أَحَدٍ إِلَّا بِإِذْنِ
اللَّهِ ^ج وَيَتَعَلَّمُونَ مَا يَضُرُّهُمْ وَلَا
يَنْفَعُهُمْ ^ج وَلَقَدْ عَلِمُوا لَمَنِ
أَشْتَرَهُ مَا لَهُ فِي الْآخِرَةِ مِنْ
خَلْقٍ ^ج

And surely evil is the price for which they sell their souls, if they but knew.

وَلَبِئْسَ مَا شَرَوْا بِهِ أَنْفُسَهُمْ
لَوْ كَانُوا يَعْلَمُونَ ﴿١٢﴾

103. And if they had believed and kept from evil, a recompense from Allah would be better, if they only knew.

وَلَوْ أَنَّهُمْ ءَامَنُوا وَاتَّقَوْا لَمَثُوبَةٌ
مِّنْ عِنْدِ اللَّهِ خَيْرٌ لَّوْ كَانُوا
يَعْلَمُونَ ﴿١٣﴾

104. O you who believe, say not (unto the Prophet): "Listen to us" but say "Look upon us," and be you listeners. For disbelievers is a painful doom.

يَتَأَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا لَا
تَقُولُوا رَاعِنَا وَقُولُوا انظُرْنَا
وَأَسْمِعُوا وَلِلْكَافِرِينَ
عَذَابٌ أَلِيمٌ ﴿١٤﴾

105. Neither those who disbelieve among the people of the Scripture nor the idolaters love that there should be sent down unto you any good thing from your Lord. But Allah chooses for His mercy whom He will, and Allah is of Infinite Bounty.

مَا يَوَدُّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا مِنْ أَهْلِ
الْكِتَابِ وَلَا الْمُشْرِكِينَ أَنْ يُنَزَّلَ
عَلَيْكُمْ مِنْ خَيْرٍ مِّنْ رَبِّكُمْ
وَاللَّهُ يَخْتَصُّ بِرَحْمَتِهِ مَنْ
يَشَاءُ وَاللَّهُ ذُو الْفَضْلِ الْعَظِيمِ
﴿١٥﴾

106. Nothing of our revelation (even a single verse) do we abrogate or cause be forgotten, but we bring (in place) one better or the like thereof. Know thou not that Allah is Able to do all things.

﴿ مَا نَنْسَخْ مِنْ آيَةٍ أَوْ نُنسِهَا نَأْتِ بِخَيْرٍ مِّنْهَا أَوْ مِثْلَهَا ۗ أَلَمْ تَعْلَمْ أَنَّ اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ ﴾



107. Know thou not that it is Allah unto Whom belongs the Sovereignty of the heavens and the earth; and you have not, beside Allah, any guardian or helper.

﴿ أَلَمْ تَعْلَمْ أَنَّ اللَّهَ لَهُ مُلْكُ السَّمَوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ وَمَا لَكُمْ مِّنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ مِنْ وَلِيٍّ وَلَا نَصِيرٍ ﴾



108. Or would you question your messenger as Moses was questioned aforetime? He who chooses disbelief instead of faith, verily he has gone astray from a plain road.

﴿ أَمْ تُرِيدُونَ أَن تَسْأَلُوا رَسُولَكُمْ كَمَا سُئِلَ مُوسَىٰ مِنْ قَبْلُ ۗ وَمَن يَتَّبِعِ الْكُفْرَ بِالْإِيمَانِ فَقَدْ ضَلَّ سَوَاءَ السَّبِيلِ ﴾



109. Many of the people of the Scripture long to make you disbelievers after your belief, through envy on their own account, after the truth has become manifest unto them. Forgive and be indulgent (toward them) until Allah gives command. Lo! Allah is Able to do all things.

وَدَّ كَثِيرٌ مِّنْ أَهْلِ الْكِتَابِ
لَوْ يَرُدُّونَكُمْ مِن بَعْدِ إِيمَانِكُمْ
كُفَّارًا حَسَدًا مِّنْ عِنْدِ أَنفُسِهِمْ
مِّنْ بَعْدِ مَا تَبَيَّنَ لَهُمُ الْحَقُّ
فَاعْفُوا وَاصْفَحُوا حَتَّىٰ يَأْتِيَ
اللَّهُ بِأَمْرِهِ ۗ إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ
شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ

110. Establish worship, and pay the poor-due; and whatever of good you send before (you) for your souls, you will find it with Allah. Lo! Allah is Seer of what you do.

وَأَقِيمُوا الصَّلَاةَ وَآتُوا
الزَّكَاةَ ۚ وَمَا تَقَدَّمُوا
لِأَنفُسِكُمْ مِنْ خَيْرٍ تَجِدُوهُ عِنْدَ
اللَّهِ ۗ إِنَّ اللَّهَ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ
بَصِيرٌ

111. And they say: None enters paradise unless he be a Jew or a Christian. These are their own desires. Say: Bring your proof (of what you state) if you are truthful.

وَقَالُوا لَنْ يَدْخُلَ الْجَنَّةَ إِلَّا مَنْ كَانَ هُودًا أَوْ نَصْرِيًّا تِلْكَ أَمَانِيُّهُمْ قُلْ هَاتُوا بُرْهَانَكُمْ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ صَادِقِينَ ﴿١١١﴾

112. Nay, but whosoever surrenders his purpose to Allah while doing good, his reward is with his Lord; and there shall no fear come upon them neither shall they grieve.

بَلَىٰ مَنْ أَسْلَمَ وَجْهَهُ لِلَّهِ وَهُوَ مُحْسِنٌ فَلَهُ أَجْرُهُ عِنْدَ رَبِّهِ وَلَا خَوْفٌ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا هُمْ يَحْزَنُونَ ﴿١١٢﴾

113. And the Jews say the Christians follow nothing (true), and the Christians say the Jews follow nothing (true); yet both are readers of the Scripture. Even thus speak those who know not. Allah will judge between them on the Day of Resurrection concerning that wherein they differ.

وَقَالَتِ الْيَهُودُ لَيْسَتْ النَّصْرِيُّ عَلَىٰ شَيْءٍ وَقَالَتِ النَّصْرِيُّ لَيْسَتْ الْيَهُودُ عَلَىٰ شَيْءٍ وَهُمْ يَتْلُونَ الْكِتَابَ كَذَٰلِكَ قَالَ الَّذِينَ لَا يَعْلَمُونَ مِثْلَ قَوْلِهِمْ فَاللَّهُ يَحْكُمُ بَيْنَهُمْ يَوْمَ الْقِيَامَةِ فِيمَا كَانُوا فِيهِ يَخْتَلِفُونَ ﴿١١٣﴾

114. And who does greater wrong than he who forbids the approach to the sanctuaries of Allah lest His name should be mentioned therein, and strives for their ruin. As for such, it was never meant that they should enter them except in fear. Theirs in the world is ignominy and theirs in the Hereafter is an awful doom.

وَمَنْ أَظْلَمُ مِمَّنْ مَنَعَ مَسْجِدَ
 اللَّهِ أَنْ يُذْكَرَ فِيهَا اسْمُهُ وَسَعَى
 فِي خَرَابِهَا ۗ أُولَٰئِكَ مَا كَانَ
 لَهُمْ أَنْ يَدْخُلُوهَا إِلَّا
 خَافِيَةً ۗ لَهُمْ فِي الدُّنْيَا
 خِزْيٌ وَلَهُمْ فِي الْآخِرَةِ عَذَابٌ
 عَظِيمٌ

115. Unto Allah belong the East and the West, and whithersoever you turn, there is Allah's Countenance. Lo! Allah is All-Embracing, All-Knowing.

وَلِلَّهِ الْمَشْرِقُ وَالْمَغْرِبُ ۗ فَأَيْنَمَا
 تُوَلُّوا فَثَمَّ وَجْهُ اللَّهِ ۗ إِنَّ اللَّهَ
 وَاسِعٌ عَلِيمٌ

116. And they say: Allah has taken unto Himself a son. Be He glorified! Nay, but whatsoever is in the heavens and the earth is His. All are subservient unto Him.

وَقَالُوا اتَّخَذَ اللَّهُ وَلَدًا ۗ سُبْحٰنَهُ
 بَلْ لَّهُ مَا فِي السَّمٰوٰتِ
 وَالْأَرْضِ ۗ كُلُّ لَّهُ قٰنِطُونَ

117. The Originator of the heavens and the earth! When He decrees a thing, He says unto it only: Be! And it is.

بَدِيعُ السَّمَوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ
وَإِذَا قَضَىٰ أَمْرًا فَإِنَّمَا يَقُولُ لَهُ
كُنْ فَيَكُونُ

118. And those who have no knowledge say: Why does not Allah speak unto us, or some sign come unto us? Even thus, as they now speak, spoke those (who were) before them. Their hearts are all alike. We have made clear the revelations for people who are sure.

وَقَالَ الَّذِينَ لَا يَعْلَمُونَ لَوْلَا
يُكَلِّمُنَا اللَّهُ أَوْ تَأْتِينَا آيَةٌ
كَذَلِكَ قَالَ الَّذِينَ مِنْ
قَبْلِهِمْ مِثْلَ قَوْلِهِمْ تَشَبَهَتْ
قُلُوبُهُمْ قَدْ بَيَّنَّا الْآيَاتِ لِقَوْمٍ
يُوقِنُونَ

119. Lo! We have sent thee (O Muhammad) with the truth, a bringer of glad tidings and a warner. And thou wilt not be asked about the owners of hell-fire.

إِنَّا أَرْسَلْنَاكَ بِالْحَقِّ بَشِيرًا
وَنَذِيرًا وَلَا تُسْأَلُ عَنْ أَصْحَابِ
الْجَحِيمِ

120. And the Jews will not be pleased with thee, nor will the Christians, till thou follow their creed. Say: Lo! The guidance of Allah (Himself) is Guidance. And if thou should follow their desires after the knowledge which has come unto thee, then thou would have from Allah no protecting guardian nor helper.

وَلَنْ تَرْضَىٰ عَنْكَ الْيَهُودُ وَلَا
النَّصْرَىٰ حَتَّىٰ تَتَّبِعَ مِلَّتَهُمْ ۗ قُلْ
إِنَّ هُدَىٰ اللَّهِ هُوَ الْهُدَىٰ ۗ
وَلَئِنْ أَتَبَعْتَ أَهْوَاءَهُمْ بَعْدَ
الَّذِي جَاءَكَ مِنَ الْعِلْمِ ۗ مَا لَكَ
مِنَ اللَّهِ مِنْ وَلِيٍّ وَلَا نَصِيرٍ ﴿١٢٠﴾

121. Those unto whom We have given the Scripture, who read it with the right reading, those believe in it. And whoso disbelieves in it, those are they who are the losers.

الَّذِينَ ءَاتَيْنَاهُمُ الْكِتَابَ يَتْلُونَهُ
حَقًّا تِلَاوَتِهِ ۗ أُولَٰئِكَ يُؤْمِنُونَ
بِهِ ۗ وَمَنْ يَكْفُرْ بِهِ ۗ فَأُولَٰئِكَ
هُمُ الْخَاسِرُونَ ﴿١٢١﴾

122. O Children of Israel! Remember My favor wherewith I favored you and how I preferred you to (all) creatures.

يَبْنَىٰ إِسْرَءِيلَ اذْكُرُوا نِعْمَتِيَ
الَّتِي أَنْعَمْتُ عَلَيْكُمْ وَأَنَّىٰ
فَضَّلْتُكُمْ عَلَى الْعَالَمِينَ ﴿١٢٢﴾

123. And guard (yourselves) against a day when no soul will in aught avail another, nor will compensation be accepted from it, nor will intercession be of use to it; nor will they be helped.

وَاتَّقُوا يَوْمًا لَا تَجْزِي نَفْسٌ
عَنْ نَفْسٍ شَيْئًا وَلَا يُقْبَلُ مِنْهَا
عَدْلٌ وَلَا تَنْفَعُهَا شَفَاعَةٌ وَلَا
هُمْ يُنصَرُونَ ﴿١٢٣﴾

124. And (remember) when his Lord tried Abraham with (His) commands, and he fulfilled them, He said: Lo! I have appointed thee a leader for mankind. (Abraham) said: And of my offspring (will there be leaders)? He said: My covenant includes not wrong doers.

﴿ وَإِذِ ابْتَلَىٰ إِبْرَاهِيمَ رَبُّهُ
بِكَلِمَاتٍ فَأَتَمَّهُنَّ ۗ قَالَ إِنِّي
جَاعِلُكَ لِلنَّاسِ إِمَامًا ۗ قَالَ وَمِنْ
ذُرِّيَّتِي قَالَ لَا يَنَالُ عَهْدِي
الظَّالِمِينَ ﴿١٢٤﴾

125. And when We made the House (at Makkah) a resort for mankind and sanctuary, (saying): Take as your place of worship the place where Abraham stood (to pray). And We imposed a duty upon Abraham and Ishmael, (saying): Purify My house for those who go around and those who meditate therein

وَإِذْ جَعَلْنَا الْبَيْتَ مَثَابَةً لِّلنَّاسِ
وَأَمْنًا وَأَتَّخِذُوا مِن مَّقَامِ
إِبْرَاهِيمَ مُصَلًّى ۗ وَعَهِدْنَا إِلَىٰ
إِبْرَاهِيمَ وَإِسْمَاعِيلَ أَن طَهِّرَا
بَيْتِي لِلطَّائِفِينَ وَالْعَاكِفِينَ
وَالرُّكَّعِ السُّجُودِ ﴿١٢٥﴾

and those who bow down and prostrate themselves (in worship).

126. And when Abraham prayed: My Lord! Make this a region of security and bestow upon its people fruits, such of them as believe in Allah and the Last Day, He answered: As for him who disbelieves, I shall leave him in contentment for a while, then I shall compel him to the doom of Fire - a hapless journey's end.

وَإِذْ قَالَ إِبْرَاهِيمُ رَبِّ اجْعَلْ
هَذَا بَلَدًا ءَامِنًا وَّارْزُقْ أَهْلَهُ
مِنَ الثَّمَرَاتِ مَنْ ءَامَنَ مِنْهُمْ بِاللَّهِ
وَالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ قَالَ وَمَنْ كَفَرَ
فَأَمْتَعُهُ قَلِيلًا ثُمَّ أَضْطَرُّهُ إِلَى
عَذَابِ النَّارِ وَبِئْسَ الْمَصِيرُ



127. And when Abraham and Ishmael were raising the foundations of the House, (Abraham prayed): Our Lord! Accept from us (this duty). Lo! Thou, only Thou, art the Hearer, the Knower.

وَإِذْ يَرْفَعُ إِبْرَاهِيمُ الْقَوَاعِدَ مِنَ
الْبَيْتِ وَإِسْمَاعِيلُ رَبَّنَا تَقَبَّلْ
مِنَّا إِنَّكَ أَنْتَ السَّمِيعُ الْعَلِيمُ



128. Our Lord! And make us submissive unto Thee and of our seed a nation submissive unto Thee, and show us our ways of worship, and relent toward us. Lo! Thou, only Thou, art the Relenting, the Merciful.

رَبَّنَا وَاجْعَلْنَا مُسْلِمِينَ لَكَ وَمِنْ
ذُرِّيَّتِنَا أُمَّةً مُسْلِمَةً لَكَ وَأَرِنَا
مَنَاسِكَنَا وَتُبْ عَلَيْنَا ^ط إِنَّكَ أَنْتَ
التَّوَّابُ الرَّحِيمُ ﴿١٢٨﴾

129. Our Lord! And raise up in their midst a messenger from among them who shall recite unto them Thy revelations, and shall instruct them in the Scripture and in wisdom and shall make them grow. Lo! Thou, only Thou, art the Mighty, Wise.

رَبَّنَا وَأَبْعَثْ فِيهِمْ رَسُولًا مِّنْهُمْ
يَتْلُوا عَلَيْهِمْ آيَاتِكَ وَيُعَلِّمُهُمُ
الْكِتَابَ وَالْحِكْمَةَ وَيُزَكِّيهِمْ ^ج إِنَّكَ
أَنْتَ الْعَزِيزُ الْحَكِيمُ ﴿١٢٩﴾

130. And who forsakes the religion of Abraham save him who befools himself? Verily We chose him in the world, and lo! in the Hereafter he is among the righteous.

وَمَنْ يَرِغِبْ عَنْ مِلَّةِ إِبْرَاهِيمَ
إِلَّا مَنْ سَفِهَ نَفْسَهُ ^ج وَلَقَدْ
اصْطَفَيْنَاهُ فِي الدُّنْيَا وَإِنَّهُ فِي
الْآخِرَةِ لَمِنَ الصَّالِحِينَ ﴿١٣٠﴾

131. When his Lord said unto him: Surrender! He said: I have surrendered to the Lord of the Worlds.

إِذْ قَالَ لَهُ رَبُّهُ أَسْلِمْ ^ط قَالَ
أَسْلَمْتُ لِرَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ ﴿١٣١﴾

132. The same did Abraham enjoin upon his sons, and also Jacob, (saying): O my sons! Lo! Allah has chosen for you the (true) religion; therefore die not save as men who have surrendered (unto Him).

وَوَصَّىٰ بِهَا إِبْرَاهِيمُ بَنِيهِ
وَيَعْقُوبُ يَبْنِيَّ إِنَّ اللَّهَ اصْطَفَىٰ
لَكُمْ الدِّينَ فَلَا تَمُوتُنَّ إِلَّا وَأَنْتُمْ
مُسْلِمُونَ ﴿١٣٢﴾

133. Or were you present when death came to Jacob, when he said unto his sons: What will you worship after me? They said: We shall worship thy God, the God of thy fathers, Abraham and Ishmael and Isaac, One God, and unto Him we have surrendered.

أَمْ كُنْتُمْ شُهَدَاءَ إِذْ حَضَرَ
يَعْقُوبَ الْمَوْتَ إِذْ قَالَ لِبَنِيهِ مَا
تَعْبُدُونَ مِن بَعْدِي قَالُوا نَعْبُدُ
إِلَهَكَ وَإِلَهَ آبَائِكَ إِبْرَاهِيمَ
وَإِسْمَاعِيلَ وَإِسْحَاقَ إِلَهًا
وَاحِدًا وَنَحْنُ لَهُ مُسْلِمُونَ ﴿١٣٣﴾

134. Those are a people who have passed away. Theirs is that which they earned, and yours is that which you earn. And you will not be asked of what they used to do.

تِلْكَ أُمَّةٌ قَدْ خَلَتْ لَهَا مَا
كَسَبَتْ وَلَكُمْ مَا كَسَبْتُمْ وَلَا
تُسْأَلُونَ عَمَّا كَانُوا يَعْمَلُونَ ﴿١٣٤﴾

135. And they say: Be Jews or Christians, then you will be rightly guided. Say (unto them, O Muhammad): Nay, but (we follow) the religion of Abraham, the upright, and he was not of the idolaters.

وَقَالُوا كُونُوا هُودًا أَوْ
نَصْرَى تَهْتَدُوا قُلْ بَلْ مِلَّةَ
إِبْرَاهِيمَ حَنِيفًا وَمَا كَانَ مِنَ
الْمُشْرِكِينَ ﴿١٣٥﴾

136. Say (O Muslims): We believe in Allah and that which is revealed unto us and that which was revealed unto Abraham, and Ishmael, and Isaac, and Jacob, and the tribes, and that which Moses and Jesus received, and that which the prophets received from their Lord. We make no distinction between any of them, and unto Him we have surrendered.

قُولُوا ءَامَنَّا بِاللَّهِ وَمَا أُنزِلَ إِلَيْنَا
وَمَا أُنزِلَ إِلَىٰ إِبْرَاهِيمَ وَإِسْمَاعِيلَ
وَإِسْحَاقَ وَيَعْقُوبَ وَالْأَسْبَاطِ
وَمَا أُوتِيَ مُوسَىٰ وَعِيسَىٰ وَمَا
أُوتِيَ النَّبِيُّونَ مِنْ رَبِّهِمْ لَا
نُفَرِّقُ بَيْنَ أَحَدٍ مِنْهُمْ وَنَحْنُ لَهُ
مُسْلِمُونَ ﴿١٣٦﴾

137. And if they believe in the like of that which you believe, then are they rightly guided. But if they turn away, then are they in schism and Allah will suffice thee (for defense) against them. He is the Hearer, the Knower.

فَإِنْ ءَامَنُوا بِمِثْلِ مَا ءَامَنْتُمْ بِهِ
فَقَدْ أَهْتَدُوا وَإِنْ تَوَلَّوْا فَإِنَّمَا
هُمْ فِي شِقَاقٍ فَسَيَكْفِيكَهُمُ
اللَّهُ وَهُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْعَلِيمُ ﴿١٣٧﴾

138. (We take our) color from Allah, and who is better than Allah at coloring. We are His worshippers.

صِبْغَةَ اللَّهِ وَمَنْ أَحْسَنُ مِنَ اللَّهِ صِبْغَةً وَنَحْنُ لَهُ عَابِدُونَ

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139. Say (unto the People of the Scripture): Dispute you with us concerning Allah when He is our Lord and your Lord? Ours are our works and yours your works. We look to Him alone.

قُلْ أَتُحَاجُّونَنَا فِي اللَّهِ وَهُوَ رَبُّنَا وَرَبُّكُمْ وَلَنَا أَعْمَلُنَا وَلَكُمْ أَعْمَلُكُمْ وَنَحْنُ لَهُ مُخْلِصُونَ

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140. Or say you that Abraham, and Ishmael, and Isaac, and Jacob, and the tribes were Jews or Christians? Say: Do you know best, or does Allah? And who is more unjust than he who hides a testimony which he has received from Allah? Allah is not unaware of what you do.

أَمْ تَقُولُونَ إِنَّ إِبْرَاهِيمَ وَإِسْمَاعِيلَ وَيَعْقُوبَ وَالْأَسْبَاطَ كَانُوا هُودًا أَوْ نَصَارَى قُلْ ءَأَنْتُمْ أَعْلَمُ أَمِ اللَّهُ وَمَنْ أَظْلَمُ مِمَّن كَتَمَ شَهَادَةً عِنْدَهُ مِنَ اللَّهِ وَمَا اللَّهُ بِغَافِلٍ عَمَّا تَعْمَلُونَ

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141. Those are a people who have passed away; theirs is that which they earned and yours that which you earn. And you will not be asked of what they used to do.

تِلْكَ أُمَّةٌ قَدْ خَلَتْ هَا مَا
كَسَبَتْ وَلَكُمْ مَا كَسَبْتُمْ وَلَا
تُسْأَلُونَ عَمَّا كَانُوا يَعْمَلُونَ



142. The foolish of the people will say: What has turned them from the qiblah which they formerly observed? Say: Unto Allah belong the East and the West. He guides whom He will unto a straight path.

سَيَقُولُ السُّفَهَاءُ مِنَ النَّاسِ
مَا وَلَّيْنَاهُمْ عَنْ قِبْلَتِهِمُ الَّتِي كَانُوا
عَلَيْهَا قُلْ لِلَّهِ الْمَشْرِقُ وَالْمَغْرِبُ
يَهْدِي مَنْ يَشَاءُ إِلَى صِرَاطٍ
مُسْتَقِيمٍ



143. Thus We have appointed you a middle nation, that you may be witnesses against mankind, and that the messenger may be a witness against you. And We appointed the qiblah which you formerly observed only that We might know him who follows the messenger, from him who turns on his heels. In truth it was a hard (test) save for those whom Allah guided. But it was not Allah's purpose that your faith should be in vain, for Allah is Full of Pity, Merciful toward mankind.

وَكَذَلِكَ جَعَلْنَاكُمْ أُمَّةً وَسَطًا
لِتَكُونُوا شُهَدَاءَ عَلَى النَّاسِ
وَيَكُونَ الرَّسُولُ عَلَيْكُمْ شَهِيدًا
وَمَا جَعَلْنَا الْقِبْلَةَ الَّتِي كُنْتَ
عَلَيْهَا إِلَّا لِنَعْلَمَ مَنْ يَتَّبِعُ
الرَّسُولَ مِمَّنْ يَنْقَلِبُ عَلَى
عَقْبَيْهِ ۗ وَإِنْ كَانَتْ لَكَبِيرَةً إِلَّا
عَلَى الَّذِينَ هَدَى اللَّهُ ۗ وَمَا كَانَ
اللَّهُ لِيُضِيعَ إِيمَانَكُمْ ۗ إِنَّ اللَّهَ
بِالنَّاسِ لَرَءُوفٌ رَحِيمٌ

144. We have seen the turning of thy face to heaven (for guidance, O Muhammad). And now verily We shall make thee turn (in prayer) toward a qiblah which is dear to thee. So turn thy face toward the Inviolable Place of Worship, and you (O Muslims), wheresoever you may be, turn your faces (when you pray) toward it. Lo! Those who have received the Scripture know that (this revelation) is the Truth from their Lord. And Allah is not unaware of what they do.

قَدْ نَرَى تَقَلُّبَ وَجْهِكَ فِي
السَّمَاءِ فَلَنُوَلِّيَنَّكَ قِبْلَةً تَرْضَاهَا
فَوَلِّ وَجْهَكَ شَطْرَ الْمَسْجِدِ
الْحَرَامِ وَحَيْثُ مَا كُنْتُمْ فَوَلُّوا
وُجُوهَكُمْ شَطْرَهُ وَإِنَّ الَّذِينَ
أُوتُوا الْكِتَابَ لَيَعْلَمُونَ أَنَّهُ
الْحَقُّ مِنْ رَبِّهِمْ وَمَا اللَّهُ بِغَافِلٍ
عَمَّا يَعْمَلُونَ



عَمَّا يَعْمَلُونَ

145. And even if thou brought unto those who have received the Scripture all kinds of portents, they would not follow thy qiblah, nor can thou be a follower of their qiblah; nor are some of them followers of the qiblah of others. And if thou should follow their desires after the knowledge which has come unto thee, then surely thou would be of the evil doers.

وَلَيْنَ أَتَيْتَ الَّذِينَ أُوتُوا الْكِتَابَ
بِكُلِّ آيَةٍ مَا تَبِعُوا قِبْلَتَكَ وَمَا
أَنْتَ بِتَابِعٍ قِبْلَتَهُمْ وَمَا بَعْضُهُمْ
بِتَابِعٍ قِبْلَةَ بَعْضٍ وَلَيْنِ اتَّبَعْتَ
أَهْوَاءَهُمْ مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا جَاءَكَ
مِنَ الْعِلْمِ إِنَّكَ إِذَا لَمِنَ
الظَّالِمِينَ ﴿١٤٥﴾

146. Those unto whom We gave the Scripture recognize (this revelation) as they recognize their sons. But lo! a party of them knowingly conceal the truth.

الَّذِينَ آتَيْنَاهُمُ الْكِتَابَ
يَعْرِفُونَهُ كَمَا يَعْرِفُونَ أَبْنَاءَهُمْ
وَإِنَّ فَرِيقًا مِنْهُمْ لَيَكْتُمُونَ
الْحَقَّ وَهُمْ يَعْلَمُونَ ﴿١٤٦﴾

147. It is the Truth from thy Lord (O Muhammad), so be not thou of those who waver.

الْحَقُّ مِنْ رَبِّكَ فَلَا تَكُونَنَّ مِنَ
الْمُتَمَرِّينَ ﴿١٤٧﴾

148. And each one has a goal toward which he turns; so vie with one another in good works. Wheresoever you may be, Allah will bring you all together. Lo! Allah is Able to do all things.

وَلِكُلِّ وِجْهَةٌ هُوَ مُوَلِّيٰهَا
فَاسْتَبِقُوا الْخَيْرَاتِ ۚ اِنَّ مَا
تَكُونُوا يَأْتِ بِكُمْ اللهُ جَمِيعًا ۚ
اِنَّ اللهَ عَلٰى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيْرٌ

149. And whencesoever thou come forth (for prayer, O Muhammad) turn thy face toward the Inviolable Place of Worship. Lo! it is the Truth from thy Lord. Allah is not unaware of what you do.

وَمِنْ حَيْثُ خَرَجْتَ فَوَلِّ
وَجْهَكَ شَطْرَ الْمَسْجِدِ الْحَرَامِ
وَإِنَّهُ لَلْحَقُّ مِنْ رَبِّكَ ۗ وَمَا اللهُ
بِغَافِلٍ عَمَّا تَعْمَلُونَ

150. Whencesoever thou come forth, turn thy face toward the Inviolable Place of Worship; and wheresoever you may be (O Muslims) turn your faces toward it (when you pray) so that men may have no argument against you, save such of them as do injustice - Fear them not, but fear Me! And so that I may complete My grace upon you, and that you may be guided.

وَمِنْ حَيْثُ خَرَجْتَ فَوَلِّ
وَجْهَكَ شَطْرَ الْمَسْجِدِ الْحَرَامِ
وَحَيْثُ مَا كُنْتُمْ فَوَلُّوا
وُجُوهَكُمْ شَطْرَهُ لِئَلَّا يَكُونَ
لِلنَّاسِ عَلَيْكُمْ حُجَّةٌ إِلَّا
الَّذِينَ ظَلَمُوا مِنْهُمْ فَلَا
تَخْشَوْهُمْ وَاخْشَوْنِي وَلَا تَم
نِعْمَتِي عَلَيْكُمْ وَلَعَلَّكُمْ تَهْتَدُونَ



151. Even as We have sent unto you a messenger from among you, who recites unto you Our revelations and causes you to grow, and teaches you the Scripture and wisdom, and teaches you that which you knew not.

كَمَا أَرْسَلْنَا فِيكُمْ رَسُولًا
مِّنكُمْ يَتْلُوا عَلَيْكُمْ آيَاتِنَا
وَيُزَكِّيكُمْ وَيُعَلِّمُكُمُ الْكِتَابَ
وَالْحِكْمَةَ وَيُعَلِّمُكُم مَّا لَمْ
تَكُونُوا تَعْلَمُونَ



152. Therefore remember Me, I will remember you. Give thanks to Me, and reject not Me.

فَاذْكُرُونِي أَذْكُرْكُمْ وَاشْكُرُوا لِي وَلَا تَكْفُرُونِ ﴿١٥٢﴾

153. O you who believe! Seek help in steadfastness and prayer. Lo! Allah is with the steadfast.

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا اسْتَعِينُوا بِالصَّبْرِ وَالصَّلَاةِ إِنَّ اللَّهَ مَعَ الصَّابِرِينَ ﴿١٥٣﴾

154. And call not those who are slain in the way of Allah "dead." Nay, they are living, only you perceive not.

وَلَا تَقُولُوا لِمَنْ يُقْتَلُ فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ أَمُوتٌ بَلْ أَحْيَاءٌ وَلَكِن لَّا تَشْعُرُونَ ﴿١٥٤﴾

155. And surely We shall try you with something of fear and hunger, and loss of wealth and lives and crops; but give glad tidings to the steadfast.

وَلَنَبْلُونَكُم بِشَيْءٍ مِّنَ الْخَوْفِ وَالْجُوعِ وَنَقْصٍ مِّنَ الْأَمْوَالِ وَالْأَنْفُسِ وَالثَّمَرَاتِ وَنَشِّرِ الصَّابِرِينَ ﴿١٥٥﴾

156. Who say, when a misfortune strikes them: Lo! We are Allah's and lo! unto Him we are returning.

الَّذِينَ إِذَا أَصَابَتْهُمُ مُصِيبَةٌ قَالُوا إِنَّا لِلَّهِ وَإِنَّا إِلَيْهِ رَاجِعُونَ ﴿١٥٦﴾

157. Such are they on whom are blessings from their Lord, and mercy. Such are the rightly guided.

أُولَئِكَ عَلَيْهِمْ صَلَوَاتٌ مِّن رَّبِّهِمْ
وَرَحْمَةٌ وَأُولَئِكَ هُمُ

الْمُهْتَدُونَ ﴿١٥٧﴾

158. Lo! (The mountains) As-Safa and Al-Marwah are among the indications of Allah. It is therefore no sin for him who is on pilgrimage to the House (of God) or visits it, to go around them (as the pagan custom is). And he who does good of his own accord, (for him) lo! Allah is Responsive, Aware.

﴿ إِنَّ الصَّافَا وَالْمَرَوَةَ مِنْ
شَعَائِرِ اللَّهِ فَمَنْ حَجَّ الْبَيْتِ أَوْ
أَعْتَمَرَ فَلَا جُنَاحَ عَلَيْهِ أَنْ
يَطُوفَ بِهِمَا وَمَنْ تَطَوَّعَ خَيْرًا

فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ شَاكِرٌ عَلِيمٌ ﴿١٥٨﴾

159. Lo! Those who hide the proofs and the guidance which We revealed, after We had made it clear to mankind in the Scripture: such are accursed of Allah and accursed of those who have the power to curse.

﴿ إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يَكْتُمُونَ مَا أَنْزَلْنَا مِنَ
الْبَيِّنَاتِ وَأَهْدَىٰ مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا
بَيَّنَّاهُ لِلنَّاسِ فِي الْكُتُبِ أُولَئِكَ
يَلْعَنُهُمُ اللَّهُ وَيَلْعَنُهُمُ اللَّاعِنُونَ

﴿١٥٩﴾

160. Except those who repent and amend and make manifest (the truth). These it is toward whom I relent. I am the Relenting, the Merciful.

إِلَّا الَّذِينَ تَابُوا وَأَصْلَحُوا
وَيَتُوبُوا فَأُولَٰئِكَ أَتُوبُ عَلَيْهِمْ
وَأَنَا التَّوَّابُ الرَّحِيمُ ﴿١٦٠﴾

161. Lo! Those who disbelieve, and die while they are disbelievers; on them is the curse of Allah and of angels and of men combined.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا وَمَاتُوا وَهُمْ
كُفَّارٌ أُولَٰئِكَ عَلَيْهِمْ لَعْنَةُ اللَّهِ
وَالْمَلَائِكَةِ وَالنَّاسِ أَجْمَعِينَ
﴿١٦١﴾

162. They ever dwell therein. The doom will not be lightened for them, neither will they be reprieved.

خَالِدِينَ فِيهَا ^صلَا يُخَفَّفُ عَنْهُمْ
الْعَذَابُ وَلَا هُمْ يُنظَرُونَ
﴿١٦٢﴾

163. Your God is One God; there is no God save Him, the Beneficent, the Merciful.

وَاللَّهُمُّ إِلَهُ وَاحِدٌ ^صلَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا
هُوَ الرَّحْمَنُ الرَّحِيمُ ﴿١٦٣﴾

164. Lo! In the creation of the heavens and the earth, and the difference of night and day, and the ships which run upon the sea with that which is of use to men, and the water which Allah sends down from the sky, thereby reviving the earth after its death, and dispersing all kinds of beasts therein, and (in) the ordinance of the winds, and the clouds obedient between heaven and earth: are signs (of Allah's Sovereignty) for people who have sense.

إِنَّ فِي خَلْقِ السَّمَوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ
وَأَخْتِلَافِ اللَّيْلِ وَالنَّهَارِ وَالْفُلِّ
الَّتِي تَجْرِي فِي الْبَحْرِ بِمَا يَنْفَعُ
النَّاسَ وَمَا أَنْزَلَ اللَّهُ مِنَ
السَّمَاءِ مِنْ مَّاءٍ فَأَحْيَا بِهِ
الْأَرْضَ بَعْدَ مَوْتِهَا وَبَثَّ فِيهَا مِنْ
كُلِّ دَابَّةٍ وَتَصْرِيفِ الرِّيْحِ
وَالسَّحَابِ الْمُسَخَّرِ بَيْنَ
السَّمَاءِ وَالْأَرْضِ لآيَاتٍ لِقَوْمٍ
يَعْقِلُونَ

165. Yet of mankind are some who take unto themselves (objects of worship which they set as rivals to Allah, loving them with a love like (that which is the due) of Allah (only) - those who believe are stauncher in their love for Allah - Oh, that those who do evil had but known, (on the day) when they behold the doom, that power belongs wholly to Allah, and that Allah is severe in punishment.

وَمِنَ النَّاسِ مَن يَتَّخِذُ مِنْ
 دُونِ اللَّهِ أَنْدَادًا يُحِبُّونَهُمْ كَحُبِّ
 اللَّهِ وَالَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا أَشَدُّ حُبًّا لِلَّهِ
 وَلَوْ يَرَى الَّذِينَ ظَلَمُوا إِذْ يَرُونَ
 الْعَذَابَ أَنَّ الْقُوَّةَ لِلَّهِ جَمِيعًا
 وَأَنَّ اللَّهَ شَدِيدُ الْعَذَابِ ﴿١٦٥﴾

166. (On the day) when those who were followed disown those who followed (them), and they behold the doom, and all their aims collapse with them.

إِذْ تَبَرَّأَ الَّذِينَ اتَّبَعُوا مِنَ
 الَّذِينَ اتَّبَعُوا وَرَأَوْا الْعَذَابَ
 وَتَقَطَّعَتْ بِهِمُ الْأَسْبَابُ ﴿١٦٦﴾

167. And those who were but followers will say: If a return were possible for us, we would disown them even as they have disowned us. Thus will Allah show them their own deeds as anguish for them, and they will not emerge from the Fire.

وَقَالَ الَّذِينَ اتَّبَعُوا لَوْ أَنَّا
كَرَّهْنَا فَنَتَّبِعَهُم مِّنَّا
كَذَلِكَ يُرِيهِمُ اللَّهُ
أَعْمَالَهُمْ حَسَرَاتٍ عَلَيْهِمْ
وَمَا هُمْ بِخَارِجِينَ مِنَ النَّارِ ﴿١٦٧﴾

168. O mankind! Eat of that which is lawful and wholesome in the earth, and follow not the footsteps of the devil. Lo! he is an open enemy for you.

يَأْتِيهَا النَّاسُ كُلُّوا مِمَّا فِي
الْأَرْضِ حَلَلًا طَيِّبًا وَلَا تَتَّبِعُوا
خُطُوَاتِ الشَّيْطَانِ إِنَّهُ لَكُمْ
عَدُوٌّ مُّبِينٌ ﴿١٦٨﴾

169. He enjoins upon you only the evil and the foul, and that you should tell concerning Allah that which you know not.

إِنَّمَا يَأْمُرُكُم بِالسُّوْءِ
وَالْفَحْشَاءِ وَأَن تَقُولُوا عَلَى اللَّهِ
مَا لَا تَعْلَمُونَ ﴿١٦٩﴾

170. And when it is said unto them: Follow that which Allah has revealed, they say: We follow that wherein we found our fathers. What! Even though their fathers were wholly unintelligent and had no guidance.

وَإِذَا قِيلَ لَهُمُ اتَّبِعُوا مَا أَنْزَلَ
اللَّهُ قَالُوا بَلْ نَتَّبِعُ مَا أَلْفَيْنَا
عَلَيْهِ ءِآبَاءَنَا ۗ أَوْلَوْ كَانَ
ءِآبَاؤُهُمْ لَا يَعْقِلُونَ شَيْئًا وَلَا
يَهْتَدُونَ ﴿١٧٠﴾

171. The likeness of those who disbelieve (in relation to the messenger) is as the likeness of one who calls unto that which hears naught except a shout and cry. Deaf, dumb, blind, therefore they have no sense.

وَمَثَلُ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا كَمَثَلِ
الَّذِي يَنْعِقُ بِمَا لَا يَسْمَعُ إِلَّا
دُعَاءً وَنِدَاءً ۗ صُمٌّ بُكْمٌ عُمْى
فَهُمْ لَا يَعْقِلُونَ ﴿١٧١﴾

172. O you who believe! Eat of the good things wherewith We have provided you, and render thanks to Allah if it is (indeed) He Whom you worship.

يَأْتِيهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا كُلُوا
مِنْ طَيِّبَاتِ مَا رَزَقْنَاكُمْ وَأَشْكُرُوا
لِلَّهِ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ تَعْبُدُونَ ﴿١٧٢﴾

173. He has forbidden you only carrion, and blood, and swine flesh, and that which has been immolated to (the name of) any other than Allah. But he who is driven by necessity, neither craving nor transgressing, it is no sin for him. Lo! Allah is Forgiving, Merciful.

إِنَّمَا حَرَّمَ عَلَيْكُمُ الْمَيْتَةَ
وَالْدَّمَ وَلَحْمَ الْخِنزِيرِ وَمَا أُهِلَّ
بِهِ لِغَيْرِ اللَّهِ فَمَنْ اضْطُرَّ غَيْرَ
بَاغٍ وَلَا عَادٍ فَلَا إِثْمَ عَلَيْهِ إِنَّ
اللَّهَ غَفُورٌ رَحِيمٌ



174. Lo! Those who hide aught of the Scripture which Allah has revealed and purchase a small gain therewith, they eat into their bellies nothing else than fire. Allah will not speak to them on the Day of Resurrection, nor will He make them grow. Theirs will be a painful doom.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يَكْتُمُونَ مَا أَنْزَلَ
اللَّهُ مِنَ الْكِتَابِ وَيَشْتَرُونَ
بِهِ ثَمَنًا قَلِيلًا أُولَئِكَ مَا
يَأْكُلُونَ فِي بُطُونِهِمْ إِلَّا النَّارَ
وَلَا يُكَلِّمُهُمُ اللَّهُ يَوْمَ الْقِيَامَةِ
وَلَا يُزَكِّيهِمْ وَلَهُمْ عَذَابٌ أَلِيمٌ



175. Those are they who purchase error at the price of guidance, and torment at the price of pardon. How constant are they in their strife to reach the Fire.

أُولَئِكَ الَّذِينَ اشْتَرُوا الضَّلَالََةَ
بِالْهُدَى وَالْعَذَابَ بِالْمَغْفِرَةِ
فَمَا أَصْبَرَهُمْ عَلَى النَّارِ



176. That is because Allah has revealed the Scripture with the truth. Lo! Those who find (a cause of) disagreement in the Scripture are in open schism.

ذَٰلِكَ بِأَنَّ اللَّهَ نَزَّلَ الْكِتَابَ
بِالْحَقِّ ۗ وَإِنَّ الَّذِينَ اخْتَلَفُوا فِي
الْكِتَابِ لَفِي شِقَاقٍ بَعِيدٍ



177. It is not righteousness that you turn your faces to the East and the West; but righteous is he who believes in Allah and the Last Day and the angels and the Scripture and the prophets; and gives wealth, for love of Him, to kinsfolk and to orphans and the needy and the wayfarer and to those who ask, and to set slaves free; and observes proper worship and pays the poor-due. And those who keep their treaty when they make one, and the patient in tribulation and adversity and time of stress. Such are they who are sincere. Such are the God-fearing.

* لَيْسَ الْبِرَّ أَنْ تُوَلُّوا وُجُوهَكُمْ
 قِبَلَ الْمَشْرِقِ وَالْمَغْرِبِ وَلَكِنَّ
 الْبِرَّ مَنْ ءَامَنَ بِاللَّهِ وَالْيَوْمِ
 الْآخِرِ وَالْمَلَائِكَةِ وَالْكِتَابِ
 وَالنَّبِيِّينَ وَءَاتَى الْمَالَ عَلَى
 حُبِّهِ ذَوِي الْقُرْبَىٰ وَالْيَتَامَىٰ
 وَالْمَسْكِينِ وَابْنَ السَّبِيلِ
 وَالسَّائِلِينَ وَفِي الرِّقَابِ وَأَقَامَ
 الصَّلَاةَ وَءَاتَى الزَّكَاةَ
 وَالْمُوفُونَ بِعَهْدِهِمْ إِذَا
 عَاهَدُوا وَالصَّابِرِينَ فِي الْبَأْسَاءِ
 وَالضَّرَّاءِ وَحِينَ الْبَأْسِ ؕ أُولَٰئِكَ
 الَّذِينَ صَدَقُوا ؕ وَالَّذِينَ هُمْ
 الْمُتَّقُونَ

178. O you who believe! Retaliation is prescribed for you in the matter of the murdered; the freeman for the freeman, and the slave for the slave, and the female for the female. And for him who is forgiven somewhat by his (injured) brother, prosecution according to usage and payment unto him in kindness. This is an alleviation and a mercy from your Lord. He who transgresses after this will have a painful doom.

يَتَأْتِيهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا كُتِبَ عَلَيْكُمْ
 الْقِصَاصُ فِي الْقَتْلِ ^ط الْحُرِّ بِالْحُرِّ
 وَالْعَبْدُ بِالْعَبْدِ وَالْأُنثَىٰ بِالْأُنثَىٰ
 فَمَنْ عَفِيَ لَهُ مِنْ أَخِيهِ شَيْءٌ
 فَاتَّبِعْ بِالْمَعْرُوفِ وَأَدَاءٌ إِلَيْهِ
 بِإِحْسَانٍ ^ق ذَلِكَ تَخْفِيفٌ مِّنْ
 رَبِّكُمْ وَرَحْمَةٌ ^ق فَمَنِ اعْتَدَىٰ
 بَعْدَ ذَلِكَ فَلَهُ عَذَابٌ أَلِيمٌ



179. And there is life for you in retaliation, O men of understanding, that you may ward off (evil).

وَلَكُمْ فِي الْقِصَاصِ حَيٰوةٌ
 يَتَأُولَىٰ الْأَلْبَابِ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَتَّقُونَ



180. It is prescribed for you, when death approaches one of you, if he leaves wealth, that he bequeath unto parents and near relatives in kindness. (This is) a duty for all those who ward off (evil).

كُتِبَ عَلَيْكُمْ إِذَا حَضَرَ أَحَدَكُمُ
الْمَوْتُ إِنْ تَرَكَ خَيْرًا الْوَصِيَّةُ
لِلْوَالِدَيْنِ وَالْأَقْرَبِينَ بِالْمَعْرُوفِ
حَقًّا عَلَى الْمُتَّقِينَ

181. And whoso changes (the will) after he has heard it - the sin thereof is only upon those who change it. Lo! Allah is Hearer, Knower.

فَمَنْ بَدَّلَهُ بَعْدَمَا سَمِعَهُ فَإِنَّمَا
إِثْمُهُ عَلَى الَّذِينَ يُبَدِّلُونَهُ إِنَّ
اللَّهَ سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ

182. But he who fears from a testator some unjust or sinful clause, and makes peace between the parties, (it shall be) no sin for him. Lo! Allah is Forgiving, Merciful.

فَمَنْ خَافَ مِنْ مَوْصٍ جَنَفًا أَوْ
إِثْمًا فَأَصْلَحَ بَيْنَهُمْ فَلَا إِثْمَ
عَلَيْهِ إِنَّ اللَّهَ غَفُورٌ رَحِيمٌ

183. O you who believe! Fasting is prescribed for you, even as it was prescribed for those before you, that you may ward off (evil).

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا كُتِبَ
عَلَيْكُمْ الصِّيَامُ كَمَا كُتِبَ
عَلَى الَّذِينَ مِن قَبْلِكُمْ
لَعَلَّكُمْ تَتَّقُونَ

184. (Fast) a certain number of days; and (for) him who is sick among you, or on a journey, (the same) number of other days; and for those who can afford it there is a ransom: the feeding of a man in need - but whoso does good of his own accord, it is better for him: and that you fast is better for you if you did but know.

أَيَّامًا مَّعْدُودَاتٍ ۚ فَمَنْ كَانَ
مِنْكُمْ مَّرِيضًا أَوْ عَلَىٰ سَفَرٍ فَعِدَّةٌ
مِّنْ أَيَّامٍ أُخَرَ ۗ وَعَلَىٰ الَّذِينَ
يُطِيقُونَهُ ۖ فِدْيَةٌ طَعَامُ مِسْكِينٍ
فَمَنْ تَطَوَّعَ خَيْرًا فَهُوَ خَيْرٌ لَهُ ۗ
وَأَنْ تَصُومُوا خَيْرٌ لَّكُمْ ۖ إِن
كُنْتُمْ تَعْلَمُونَ



185. The month of Ramadan in which was revealed the Qur'an, a guidance for mankind, and clear proofs of the guidance, and the Criterion (of right and wrong). And whosoever of you is present, let him fast the month, and whosoever of you is sick or on a journey, (let him fast the same) number of other days. Allah desires for you ease; He desires not hardship for you; and (He desires) that you should complete the period, and that you should magnify Allah for having guided you, and that peradventure you may be thankful.

شَهْرُ رَمَضَانَ الَّذِي أُنزِلَ فِيهِ
الْقُرْآنُ هُدًى لِّلنَّاسِ وَبَيِّنَاتٍ
مِّنَ الْهُدَى وَالْفُرْقَانِ فَمَن
شَهِدَ مِّنْكُمْ الشَّهْرَ فَلْيَصُمْهُ وَمَن
كَانَ مَرِيضًا أَوْ عَلَى سَفَرٍ
فَعِدَّةٌ مِّنْ أَيَّامٍ أُخَرَ يُرِيدُ اللَّهُ
بِكُمُ الْيُسْرَ وَلَا يُرِيدُ بِكُمُ
الْعُسْرَ وَلِتُكْمِلُوا الْعِدَّةَ
وَلِتُكَبِّرُوا اللَّهَ عَلَى مَا
هَدَاكُمْ وَلَعَلَّكُمْ تَشْكُرُونَ



186. And when My servants question thee concerning Me, then surely I am nigh. I answer the prayer of the suppliant when he cries unto Me. So let them hear My call and let them trust in Me, in order that they may be led aright.

وَإِذَا سَأَلَكَ عِبَادِي عَنِّي فَإِنِّي
قَرِيبٌ أُجِيبُ دَعْوَةَ الدَّاعِ إِذَا
دَعَانِ فَلْيَسْتَجِيبُوا لِي وَلْيُؤْمِنُوا
بِي لَعَلَّهُمْ يَرْشُدُونَ



187. It is made lawful for you to go in unto your wives on the night of the fast. They are raiment for you and you are raiment for them. Allah is Aware that you were deceiving yourselves in this respect and He has turned in mercy toward you and relieved you. So hold intercourse with them and seek that which Allah has ordained for you, and eat and drink until the white thread becomes distinct to you from the black thread of the dawn. Then strictly observe the fast till nightfall and touch them not, but be at your devotions in the mosques. These are the limits imposed by Allah, so approach them not. Thus Allah expounds His revelation to mankind that they may ward off (evil).

أُحِلَّ لَكُمْ لَيْلَةَ الصِّيَامِ
الرَّفَثُ إِلَىٰ نِسَائِكُمْ هُنَّ لِبَاسٌ
لَّكُمْ وَأَنْتُمْ لِبَاسٌ لَهُنَّ عَلِمَ اللَّهُ
أَنَّكُمْ كُنْتُمْ تَخْتَانُونَ
أَنْفُسَكُمْ فَتَابَ عَلَيْكُمْ وَعَفَا
عَنْكُمْ فَالْعَنَ بِبَشْرُوهُنَّ وَابْتَغُوا
مَا كَتَبَ اللَّهُ لَكُمْ وَكُلُوا
وَأَشْرَبُوا حَتَّىٰ يَتَبَيَّنَ لَكُمُ الْخَيْطُ
الْأَبْيَضُ مِنَ الْخَيْطِ الْأَسْوَدِ مِنَ
الْفَجْرِ ثُمَّ أَتَمُّوا الصِّيَامَ إِلَىٰ
الَّيْلِ وَلَا تَبْشِرُوهُنَّ وَأَنْتُمْ
عَاكِفُونَ فِي الْمَسَاجِدِ تِلْكَ
حُدُودُ اللَّهِ فَلَا تَقْرُبُوهَا كَذَلِكَ
يُبَيِّنُ اللَّهُ آيَاتِهِ لِلنَّاسِ
لَعَلَّهُمْ يَتَّقُونَ

188. And eat not up your property among yourselves in vanity, nor seek by it to gain the hearing of the judges that you may knowingly devour a portion of the property of others wrongfully.

وَلَا تَأْكُلُوا أَمْوَالَكُمْ بَيْنَكُمْ
بِالْبَطْلِ وَتُدْءُوا بِهَا إِلَى
الْحُكَّامِ لِتَأْكُلُوا فَرِيقًا مِّنْ
أَمْوَالِ النَّاسِ بِالْإِثْمِ وَأَنْتُمْ
تَعْلَمُونَ ﴿١٨٨﴾

189. They ask thee (O Muhammad) of new moons, say: They are fixed seasons for mankind and for the pilgrimage. It is not righteousness that you go to houses by the backs thereof (as do the idolaters at certain seasons), but the righteous man is he who wards off (evil). So go to houses by the gates thereof, and observe your duty to Allah, that you may be successful.

﴿ يَسْأَلُونَكَ عَنِ الْأَهْلِ قُلْ
هِيَ مَوَاقِيتُ لِلنَّاسِ وَالْحَجِّ
وَلَيْسَ الْبِرُّ بِأَنْ تَأْتُوا الْبُيُوتَ
مِنْ ظُهُورِهَا وَلَكِنَّ الْبِرَّ مَنْ
اتَّقَىٰ ۖ وَاتُّوا الْبُيُوتَ مِنْ
أَبْوَابِهَا ۚ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ لَعَلَّكُمْ
تُفْلِحُونَ ﴿١٨٩﴾

190. Fight in the way of Allah against those who fight against you, but begin not hostilities. Lo! Allah loves not aggressors.

وَقَاتِلُوا فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ الَّذِينَ
يُقَاتِلُونَكُمْ وَلَا تَعْتَدُوا ۚ إِنَّ
اللَّهَ لَا يُحِبُّ الْمُعْتَدِينَ ﴿١٩٠﴾

191. And slay them wherever you find them, and drive them out of the places whence they drove you out, for persecution is worse than slaughter. And fight not with them at the Inviolable Place of Worship until they first attack you there, but if they attack you (there) then slay them. Such is the reward of disbelievers.

وَأَقْتُلُوهُمْ حَيْثُ ثَقِفْتُمُوهُمْ
وَأَخْرِجُوهُمْ مِّنْ حَيْثُ
أَخْرَجُوكُمْ^ج وَالْفِتْنَةُ أَشَدُّ مِنْ
الْقَتْلِ^ج وَلَا تُقَاتِلُوهُمْ عِنْدَ
الْمَسْجِدِ الْحَرَامِ حَتَّىٰ يُقَاتِلُوكُمْ^ط
فِيهِ فَإِنْ قَاتَلُوكُمْ فَاقْتُلُوهُمْ^ق
كَذَٰلِكَ جَزَاءُ الْكٰفِرِينَ ﴿١٩١﴾

192. But if they desist, then lo! Allah is Forgiving, Merciful.

فَإِنْ أَنْتَهَوْا فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ غَفُورٌ رَّحِيمٌ ﴿١٩٢﴾

193. And fight them until persecution is no more, and religion is for Allah. But if they desist, then let there be no hostility except against wrong doers.

وَقَاتِلُوهُمْ حَتَّىٰ لَا تَكُونَ فِتْنَةٌ
وَيَكُونَ الدِّينُ لِلَّهِ^ط فَإِنْ أَنْتَهَوْا فَلَا
عُدْوَانَ إِلَّا عَلَى الظَّالِمِينَ ﴿١٩٣﴾

194. The forbidden month for the forbidden month, and forbidden things in retaliation. And one who attacks you, attack him in like manner as he attacked you. Observe your duty to Allah, and know that Allah is with those who ward off (evil).

الشَّهْرُ الْحَرَامُ بِالشَّهْرِ الْحَرَامِ
وَالْحَرَمَتُ قِصَاصٌ فَمَنِ
اعْتَدَىٰ عَلَيْكُمْ فَاعْتَدُوا عَلَيْهِ
بِمِثْلِ مَا اعْتَدَىٰ عَلَيْكُمْ
وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ وَاعْلَمُوا أَنَّ اللَّهَ مَعَ

الْمُتَّقِينَ ﴿١٩٤﴾

195. Spend your wealth for the cause of Allah, and be not cast by your own hands to ruin; and do good. Lo! Allah loves the beneficent.

وَأَنْفِقُوا فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ وَلَا تُلْقُوا
بِأَيْدِيكُمْ إِلَى التَّهْلُكَةِ وَأَحْسِنُوا
إِنَّ اللَّهَ يُحِبُّ الْمُحْسِنِينَ ﴿١٩٥﴾

196. Perform the pilgrimage and the visit (to Makkah) for Allah. And if you are prevented, then send such gifts as can be obtained with ease, and shave not your heads until the gifts have reached their destination. And whoever among you is sick or has an ailment of the head must pay a ransom of fasting or almsgiving or offering. And if you are in safety, then whosoever contents himself with the visit for the pilgrimage (shall give) such gifts as can be had with ease. And whosoever cannot find (such gifts), then a fast of three days while on the pilgrimage, and of seven when you have returned; that is, ten in all. That is for him whoso folk are not present at the Inviolable Place of Worship. Observe your duty to Allah, and know that Allah is severe in punishment.

وَأَتِمُّوا الْحَجَّ وَالْعُمْرَةَ لِلَّهِ فَإِنْ أُحْصِرْتُمْ فَمَا اسْتَيْسَرَ مِنَ الْهَدْيِ وَلَا تَحْلِقُوا رُءُوسَكُمْ حَتَّىٰ يَبْلُغَ الْهَدْيُ مَحَلَّهُ ۚ فَمَنْ كَانَ مِنْكُمْ مَّرِيضًا أَوْ بِهِ أَذًى مِّن رَّأْسِهِ ۖ فَفِدْيَةٌ مِّن صِيَامٍ أَوْ صَدَقَةٍ أَوْ نُسُكٍ ۚ فَإِذَا أَمِنْتُمْ فَمَنْ تَمَتَّعَ بِالْعُمْرَةِ إِلَى الْحَجِّ فَمَا اسْتَيْسَرَ مِنَ الْهَدْيِ ۚ فَمَنْ لَّمْ يَجِدْ فَصِيَامٌ ثَلَاثَةِ أَيَّامٍ فِي الْحَجِّ وَسَبْعَةٍ إِذَا رَجَعْتُمْ ۗ تِلْكَ عَشْرَةٌ كَامِلَةٌ ۗ ذَٰلِكَ لِمَنْ لَّمْ يَكُنْ أَهْلُهُ حَاضِرِي الْمَسْجِدِ الْحَرَامِ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ وَاعْلَمُوا أَنَّ اللَّهَ شَدِيدُ الْعِقَابِ

197. The pilgrimage is (in) the well-known months, and whoever is minded to perform the pilgrimage therein (let him remember that) there is (to be) no lewdness nor abuse nor angry conversation on the pilgrimage. And whatsoever good you do Allah knows it. So make provision for yourselves (Hereafter); for the best provision is to ward off evil. Therefore keep your duty unto Me, O men of understanding.

الْحَجُّ أَشْهُرٌ مَّعْلُومَةٌ ۖ فَمَنْ
فَرَضَ فِيهِنَّ الْحَجَّ فَلَا رَفَثَ
وَلَا فُسُوقَ وَلَا جِدَالَ فِي
الْحَجِّ ۗ وَمَا تَفَعَّلُوا مِنْ خَيْرٍ
يَعْلَمُهُ اللَّهُ ۗ وَتَزَوَّدُوا فَإِنَّ خَيْرَ
الزَّادِ التَّقْوَىٰ ۗ وَاتَّقُونِ يَا أُولِي
الْأَلْبَابِ ﴿١٩٧﴾

198. It is no sin for you that you seek the bounty of your Lord (by trading). But, when you press on in the multitude from 'Arafat, remember Allah by the sacred monument. Remember Him as He has guided you, although before you were of those astray.

لَيْسَ عَلَيْكُمْ جُنَاحٌ أَنْ
تَبْتَغُوا فَضْلًا مِّن رَّبِّكُمْ ۚ فَإِذَا
أَفْضَيْتُمْ مِّنْ عَرَفَاتٍ
فَاذْكُرُوا اللَّهَ عِنْدَ الْمَشْعَرِ
الْحَرَامِ ۗ وَاذْكُرُوهُ كَمَا
هَدَيْتُمْ وَإِنْ كُنْتُمْ مِّنْ
قَبْلِهِ لَمَنِ الضَّالِّينَ ﴿١٩٨﴾

199. Then hasten onward from the place whence the multitude hastens onward, and ask forgiveness of Allah. Lo! Allah is Forgiving, Merciful.

ثُمَّ أَفِيضُوا مِنْ حَيْثُ أَفَاضَ
النَّاسُ وَاسْتَغْفِرُوا اللَّهَ إِنَّ
اللَّهَ غَفُورٌ رَحِيمٌ ﴿١٩٩﴾

200. And when you have completed your devotions, then remember Allah as you remember your fathers or with a more lively remembrance. But of mankind is he who says: "Our Lord! Give unto us in the world," and he has no portion in the Hereafter.

فَإِذَا قَضَيْتُمْ مَنَاسِكَكُمْ
فَاذْكُرُوا اللَّهَ كَذِكْرِكُمْ
ءَابَاءَكُمْ أَوْ أَشَدَّ ذِكْرًا ۗ
فَمِنَ النَّاسِ مَن يَقُولُ رَبَّنَا
ءَاتِنَا فِي الدُّنْيَا وَمَا لَهُ فِي
الْآخِرَةِ مِنْ خَلْقٍ ﴿٢٠٠﴾

201. And of them (also) is he who says: "Our Lord! Give unto us in the world that which is good and in the Hereafter that which is good, and guard us from the doom of Fire."

وَمِنْهُمْ مَّن يَقُولُ رَبَّنَا ءَاتِنَا فِي
الدُّنْيَا حَسَنَةً وَفِي الْآخِرَةِ
حَسَنَةً وَقِنَا عَذَابَ النَّارِ ﴿٢٠١﴾

202. For them there is in store a goodly portion out of that which they have earned. Allah is swift at reckoning.

أُولَٰئِكَ لَهُمْ نَصِيبٌ مِّمَّا كَسَبُوا
وَاللَّهُ سَرِيعُ الْحِسَابِ ﴿٢٠٢﴾

203. Remember Allah through the appointed days. Then whoso hastens (his departure) by two days, it is no sin for him, and whoso delays, it is no sin for him; that is for him who wards off (evil). Be careful of your duty to Allah, and know that unto Him you will be gathered.

﴿ وَادْكُرُوا اللَّهَ فِي أَيَّامٍ مَّعْدُودَاتٍ ۚ فَمَنْ تَعَجَّلَ فِي يَوْمَيْنِ فَلَا إِثْمَ عَلَيْهِ وَمَنْ تَأَخَّرَ فَلَا إِثْمَ عَلَيْهِ ۚ لِمَنِ اتَّقَىٰ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ وَأَعْلَمُوا أَنَّهُ إِلَيْهِ تُحْشَرُونَ ﴾

204. And of mankind there is he whose conversation on the life of this world pleases thee (Muhammad), and he calls Allah to witness as to that which is in his heart; yet he is the most rigid of opponents.

﴿ وَمِنَ النَّاسِ مَن يُعْجِبُكَ قَوْلُهُ فِي الْحَيَاةِ الدُّنْيَا وَيُشْهَدُ اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ مَا فِي قَلْبِهِ وَهُوَ أَلَدُّ الْخِصَامِ ﴾

205. And when he turns away (from thee) his effort in the land is to make mischief therein and to destroy the crops and the cattle; and Allah loves not mischief.

﴿ وَإِذَا تَوَلَّىٰ سَعَىٰ فِي الْأَرْضِ لِيُفْسِدَ فِيهَا وَيُهْلِكَ الْحَرْثَ وَالنَّسْلَ ۗ وَاللَّهُ لَا يُحِبُّ الْفُسَادَ ﴾

206. And when it is said unto him: Be careful of thy duty to Allah, pride takes him to sin. Hell will settle his account, an evil resting-place.

وَإِذَا قِيلَ لَهُ اتَّقِ اللَّهَ أَخَذَتْهُ
الْعِزَّةُ بِالْإِثْمِ فَحَسْبُهُ جَهَنَّمُ
وَلَبِئْسَ الْمِهَادُ

207. And of mankind is he who would sell himself, seeking the pleasure of Allah; and Allah has compassion on (His) bondmen.

وَمِنَ النَّاسِ مَن يَشْرِي
نَفْسَهُ ابْتِغَاءَ مَرْضَاتِ اللَّهِ
وَاللَّهُ رءُوفٌ بِالْعِبَادِ

208. O you who believe! Come, all of you, into submission (unto Him); and follow not the footsteps of the devil. Lo! he is an open enemy for you.

يَأْتِيهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا
أَدْخُلُوا فِي السِّلْمِ كَآفَّةً
وَلَا تَتَّبِعُوا خُطُوَاتِ
الشَّيْطَانِ إِنَّهُ لَكُمْ
عَدُوٌّ مُّبِينٌ

209. And if you slide back after the clear proofs have come unto you, then know that Allah is Mighty, Wise.

فَإِنْ زَلَلْتُمْ مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا
جَاءَتْكُمْ الْبَيِّنَاتُ فَاَعْلَمُوا
أَنَّ اللَّهَ عَزِيزٌ حَكِيمٌ

210. Wait they for naught else than that Allah should come unto them in the shadows of the clouds with the angels? Then the case would be already judged. All cases go back to Allah (for judgment).

هَلْ يَنْظُرُونَ إِلَّا أَنْ يَأْتِيَهُمُ اللَّهُ
فِي ظُلَلٍ مِّنَ الْغَمَامِ
وَالْمَلَائِكَةُ وَقُضِيَ الْأَمْرُ وَإِلَى
اللَّهِ تُرْجَعُ الْأُمُورُ ﴿٢١٠﴾

211. Ask of the Children of Israel how many a clear revelation We gave them! He who alters the grace of Allah after it has come unto him (for him), lo! Allah is severe in punishment.

سَلِّ بَنِي إِسْرَائِيلَ كَمْ آتَيْنَاهُم
مِّنْ آيَةٍ بَيِّنَةٍ وَمَنْ يُبَدِّلْ نِعْمَةَ
اللَّهِ مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا جَاءَتْهُ فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ
شَدِيدُ الْعِقَابِ ﴿٢١١﴾

212. Beautified is the life of the world for those who disbelieve; they make a jest of the believers. But those who keep their duty to Allah will be above them on the Day of Resurrection. Allah gives without stint to whom He will.

زِينٍ لِلَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا الْحَيَاةُ الدُّنْيَا
وَيَسْخَرُونَ مِنَ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا
وَالَّذِينَ اتَّقَوْا فَوْقَهُمْ يَوْمَ
الْقِيَامَةِ ۗ وَاللَّهُ يَرْزُقُ مَنْ يَشَاءُ
بِغَيْرِ حِسَابٍ ﴿٢١٢﴾

213. Mankind were one community, and Allah sent (unto them) prophets as bearers of good tidings and as warners, and revealed therewith the Scripture with the truth that it might judge between mankind concerning that wherein they differed. And only those unto whom (the Scripture) was given differed concerning it, after clear proofs had come unto them, through hatred one of another. And Allah by His Will guided those who believe unto the truth of that concerning which they differed. Allah guides whom He will unto a straight path.

كَانَ النَّاسُ أُمَّةً وَاحِدَةً فَبَعَثَ
اللَّهُ النَّبِيِّنَ مُبَشِّرِينَ وَمُنذِرِينَ
وَأَنْزَلَ مَعَهُمُ الْكِتَابَ بِالْحَقِّ
لِيَحْكُمَ بَيْنَ النَّاسِ فِي مَا
اَخْتَلَفُوا فِيهِ وَمَا اَخْتَلَفَ فِيهِ
إِلَّا الَّذِينَ أُوتُوهُ مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا
جَاءَتْهُمْ الْبَيِّنَاتُ بَغْيًا بَيْنَهُمْ
فَهَدَى اللَّهُ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا لِمَا
اَخْتَلَفُوا فِيهِ مِنَ الْحَقِّ بِإِذْنِهِ
وَاللَّهُ يَهْدِي مَنْ يَشَاءُ إِلَى صِرَاطٍ

214. Or think you that you will enter paradise while yet there has not come unto you the like of (that which came to) those who passed away before you? Affliction and adversity befell them, they were shaken as with earthquake, till the messenger (of Allah) and those who believed along with him said: When comes Allah's help? Now surely Allah's help is nigh.

أَمْ حَسِبْتُمْ أَنْ تَدْخُلُوا الْجَنَّةَ
وَلَمَّا يَأْتِكُمْ مَثَلُ الَّذِينَ خَلَوْا
مِنْ قَبْلِكُمْ مَسَّتْهُمُ الْبَأْسَاءُ
وَالضَّرَّاءُ وَزُلْزِلُوا حَتَّى يَقُولَ
الرَّسُولُ وَالَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا مَعَهُ
مَتَى نَصْرُ اللَّهِ ۗ أَلَا إِنَّ نَصْرَ اللَّهِ
قَرِيبٌ



215. They ask thee, (O Muhammad), what they shall spend. Say: that which you spend for good (must go) to parents and near kindred and orphans and the needy and the wayfarer. And whatsoever good you do, lo! Allah is Aware of it.

يَسْأَلُونَكَ مَاذَا يُنْفِقُونَ قُلْ
مَا أَنْفَقْتُمْ مِنْ خَيْرٍ فَلِلْوَالِدَيْنِ
وَالْأَقْرَبِينَ وَالْيَتَامَىٰ وَالْمَسْكِينِ
وَأَبْنِ السَّبِيلِ ۗ وَمَا تَفَعَّلُوا مِنْ
خَيْرٍ فإِنَّ اللَّهَ بِهِ عَلِيمٌ



216. Warfare is ordained for you, though it is hateful unto you; but it may happen that you hate a thing which is good for you, and it may happen that you love a thing which is bad for you. Allah knows, you know not.

كُتِبَ عَلَيْكُمُ الْقِتَالُ وَهُوَ كُرْهُ
لَكُمْ وَعَسَىٰ أَن تَكْرَهُوا شَيْئًا
وَهُوَ خَيْرٌ لَّكُمْ وَعَسَىٰ أَن
تُحِبُّوا شَيْئًا وَهُوَ شَرٌّ لَّكُمْ وَاللَّهُ
يَعْلَمُ وَأَنْتُمْ لَا تَعْلَمُونَ ﴿٢١٦﴾

217. They question thee (O Muhammad) with regard to warfare in the sacred month. Say: Warfare therein is a great (transgression), but to turn (men) from the way of Allah, and to disbelieve in Him and in the Inviolable Place of Worship, and to expel His people thence, is a greater with Allah; for persecution is worse than killing. And they will not cease from fighting against you till they have made you renegades from your religion, if they can. And whoso becomes a renegade and dies in his disbelief: such are they whose works have fallen both in the world and the Hereafter. Such are rightful owners of the Fire: they will abide therein.

يَسْأَلُونَكَ عَنِ الشَّهْرِ الْحَرَامِ
 قِتَالٍ فِيهِ قُلْ قِتَالٌ فِيهِ كَبِيرٌ
 وَصَدٌّ عَن سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ وَكُفْرٌ
 بِهِ وَالْمَسْجِدِ الْحَرَامِ وَإِخْرَاجُ
 أَهْلِهِ مِنْهُ أَكْبَرُ عِندَ اللَّهِ
 وَالْفِتْنَةُ أَكْبَرُ مِنَ الْقَتْلِ وَلَا
 يَزَالُونَ يُقَاتِلُونَكُمْ حَتَّى يَرُدُّوكُمْ
 عَن دِينِكُمْ إِنِ اسْتَطَعُوا
 وَمَن يَرْتَدِدْ مِنكُمْ عَن دِينِهِ
 فَيَمُتْ وَهُوَ كَافِرٌ فَأُولَئِكَ
 حَبِطَتْ أَعْمَالُهُمْ فِي الدُّنْيَا
 وَالْآخِرَةِ وَأُولَئِكَ أَصْحَابُ
 النَّارِ هُمْ فِيهَا خَالِدُونَ

218. Lo! Those who believe, and those who emigrate (to escape the persecution) and strive in the way of Allah, these have hope of Allah's mercy. Allah is Forgiving, Merciful.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا وَالَّذِينَ هَاجَرُوا وَجَاهَدُوا فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ أُولَٰئِكَ يَرْجُونَ رَحْمَتَ اللَّهِ ۚ
وَاللَّهُ غَفُورٌ رَّحِيمٌ

219. They question thee about strong drink and games of chance. Say: In both is great sin, and (some) utility for men; but the sin of them is greater than their usefulness. And they ask thee what they ought to spend. Say: that which is superfluous. Thus Allah makes plain to you (His) revelations that haply you may reflect.

۞ يَسْأَلُونَكَ عَنِ الْخَمْرِ
وَالْمَيْسِرِ ۖ قُلْ فِيهِمَا إِثْمٌ كَبِيرٌ
وَمَنْفَعٌ لِلنَّاسِ وَإِثْمُهُمَا أَكْبَرُ
مِنْ نَّفْعِهِمَا ۗ وَيَسْأَلُونَكَ مَاذَا
يُنْفِقُونَ قُلِ الْعَفْوَ ۗ كَذَٰلِكَ
يُبَيِّنُ اللَّهُ لَكُمُ الْآيَاتِ لَعَلَّكُمْ
تَتَفَكَّرُونَ

220. Upon the world and the Hereafter. And they question thee concerning orphans. Say: To improve their lot is best. And if you mingle your affairs with theirs, then (they are) your brothers. Allah knows him who spoils from him who improves. Had Allah willed He could have overburdened you. Allah is Mighty, Wise.

فِي الدُّنْيَا وَالْآخِرَةِ ۗ وَسَأَلُونَكَ
عَنِ الْيَتَامَىٰ ۗ قُلْ إِصْلَاحٌ لَهُمْ
خَيْرٌ وَإِنْ تُخَالِطُوهُمْ فَإِخْوَانُكُمْ
وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ الْمُفْسِدَ مِنَ
الْمُصْلِحِ ۗ وَلَوْ شَاءَ اللَّهُ
لَأَعْنَتَكُمْ ۗ إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَزِيزٌ حَكِيمٌ



221. Wed not idolatresses till they believe; for lo! a believing bondwoman is better than an idolatress though she please you; and give not your daughters in marriage to idolaters till they believe, for lo! a believing slave is better than an idolater though he please you. These invite unto the Fire, and Allah invites unto the Garden and unto forgiveness by His grace, and expounds His revelations to mankind that haply they may remember.

وَلَا تَنْكِحُوا الْمُشْرِكَاتِ حَتَّىٰ
يُؤْمِنَنَّ ۗ وَلَا أَمَةٌ مُّؤْمِنَةٌ خَيْرٌ مِّنْ
مُّشْرِكَةٍ ۗ وَلَوْ أَعْجَبَتْكُمْ ۗ وَلَا
تُنكِحُوا الْمُشْرِكِينَ حَتَّىٰ يُؤْمِنُوا ۗ
وَلَعَبْدٌ مُّؤْمِنٌ خَيْرٌ مِّنْ مُّشْرِكٍ
وَلَوْ أَعْجَبَكُمْ ۗ أُولَٰئِكَ يَدْعُونَ
إِلَى النَّارِ ۗ وَاللَّهُ يَدْعُو إِلَى الْجَنَّةِ
وَالْمَغْفِرَةِ بِإِذْنِهِ ۗ وَيُبَيِّنُ ۗ ءَايَاتِهِ
لِلنَّاسِ لَعَلَّهُمْ يَتَذَكَّرُونَ



222. They question thee (O Muhammad) concerning menstruation. Say: It is an illness, so let women alone at such times and go not in unto them till they are cleansed. And when they have purified themselves, then go in unto them as Allah has enjoined upon you. Truly Allah loves those who turn unto Him, and loves those who have a care for cleanness.

وَيَسْأَلُونَكَ عَنِ الْمَحِيضِ قُلْ
هُوَ أَذًى فَاعْتَزِلُوا النِّسَاءَ فِي
الْمَحِيضِ وَلَا تَقْرُبُوهُنَّ حَتَّىٰ
يَطْهَرْنَ فَإِذَا تَطَهَّرْنَ فَأْتُوهُنَّ
مِنْ حَيْثُ أَمَرَكُمُ اللَّهُ إِنَّ اللَّهَ
يُحِبُّ التَّوَّابِينَ وَيُحِبُّ
الْمُتَطَهِّرِينَ

223. Your women are a tilth for you (to cultivate) so go to your tilth as you will, and send (good deeds) before you for your souls, and fear Allah, and know that you will (one day) meet Him. Give glad tidings to believers, (O Muhammad).

نِسَاؤُكُمْ حَرْثٌ لَّكُمْ فَاتُوا
حَرْثَكُمْ أَنَّىٰ شِئْتُمْ وَقَدِّمُوا
لِأَنفُسِكُمْ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ وَاعْلَمُوا
أَنَّكُمْ مُلَاقُوهُ وَبَشِّرِ
الْمُؤْمِنِينَ

224. And make not Allah, by your oaths, a hindrance to your being righteous and observing your duty unto Him and making peace among mankind. Allah is Hearer, Knower.

وَلَا تَجْعَلُوا اللَّهَ عُرْضَةً
لِأَيْمَانِكُمْ أَنْ تَبَرُّوا وَتَتَّقُوا
وَتُصَلِّحُوا بَيْنَ النَّاسِ ۗ وَاللَّهُ
سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ ﴿٢٢٤﴾

225. Allah will not take you to task for that which is unintentional in your oaths. But He will take you to task for that which your hearts have garnered. Allah is Forgiving, Clement.

لَا يُؤَاخِذُكُمُ اللَّهُ بِاللَّغْوِ فِي
أَيْمَانِكُمْ وَلَكِنْ يُؤَاخِذُكُمْ بِمَا
كَسَبَتْ قُلُوبُكُمْ ۗ وَاللَّهُ غَفُورٌ
حَلِيمٌ ﴿٢٢٥﴾

226. Those who forswear their wives must wait four months; then, if they change their mind, lo! Allah is Forgiving, Merciful.

لِّلَّذِينَ يُؤْلُونَ مِن نِّسَائِهِمْ
تَرْبِصُ أَرْبَعَةَ أَشْهُرٍ ۖ فَإِنْ
فَاءُوا ۖ فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ غَفُورٌ رَّحِيمٌ ﴿٢٢٦﴾

227. And if they decide upon divorce (let them remember that) Allah is Hearer, Knower.

وَإِنْ عَزَمُوا الطَّلَاقَ فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ
سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ ﴿٢٢٧﴾

228. Women who are divorced shall wait, keeping themselves apart, three (monthly) courses. And it is not lawful for them that they should conceal that which Allah has created in their wombs if they are believers in Allah and the Last Day. And their husbands would do better to take them back in that case if they desire a reconciliation. And they (women) have rights similar to those (of men) over them in kindness, and men are a degree above them. Allah is Mighty, Wise.

وَالْمُطَلَّقَاتُ
يَتَرَبَّصْنَ
بِأَنْفُسِهِنَّ ثَلَاثَةَ قُرُوءٍ ۚ وَلَا يَحِلُّ
لَهُنَّ أَنْ يَكْتُمْنَ مَا خَلَقَ اللَّهُ فِي
أَرْحَامِهِنَّ إِنْ كُنَّ يُؤْمِنْنَ بِاللَّهِ
وَالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ ۚ وَبُعُولَتُهُنَّ أَحَقُّ
بِرَدِّهِنَّ فِي ذَلِكَ إِنْ أَرَادُوا
إِصْلَاحًا ۚ وَهُنَّ مِثْلُ الَّذِي
عَلَيْهِنَّ بِالْمَعْرُوفِ ۚ وَلِلرِّجَالِ
عَلَيْهِنَّ دَرَجَةٌ ۗ وَاللَّهُ عَزِيزٌ حَكِيمٌ

229. Divorce must be pronounced twice and then (a woman) must be retained in honor or released in kindness. And it is not lawful for you that you take from women aught of that which you have given them; except (in the case) when both fear that they may not be able to keep within the limits (imposed by) Allah. And if you fear that they may not be able to keep the limits of Allah, in that case it is no sin for either of them if the woman ransom herself. These are the limits (imposed by) Allah. Transgress them not. For whoso transgresses Allah's limits: such are wrong doers.

الطَّلُقُ مَرَّتَيْنِ ۖ فَإِمْسَاكٌ
بِمَعْرُوفٍ أَوْ تَسْرِيحٌ بِإِحْسَانٍ ۗ
وَلَا يَحِلُّ لَكُمْ أَنْ تَأْخُذُوا مِمَّا
ءَاتَيْتُمُوهُنَّ شَيْئًا إِلَّا أَنْ يَخَافَا
أَلَّا يُقِيمَا حُدُودَ اللَّهِ ۗ فَإِنْ خِفْتُمْ
أَلَّا يُقِيمَا حُدُودَ اللَّهِ فَلَا جُنَاحَ
عَلَيْهِمَا فِيمَا افْتَدَتْ بِهِ ۗ تِلْكَ
حُدُودُ اللَّهِ فَلَا تَعْتَدُوهَا ۗ وَمَنْ
يَتَعَدَّ حُدُودَ اللَّهِ فَأُولَٰئِكَ هُمُ

الظَّالِمُونَ

230. And if he has divorced her (the third time), then she is not lawful unto him thereafter until she has wedded another husband. Then if he (the other husband) divorce her it is no sin for both of them that they come together again if they consider that they are able to observe the limits of Allah. These are the limits of Allah. He manifests them for people who have knowledge.

فَإِنْ طَلَّقَهَا فَلَا تَحِلُّ لَهُ مِنْ
بَعْدُ حَتَّىٰ تَنْكِحَ زَوْجًا غَيْرَهُ^ق
فَإِنْ طَلَّقَهَا فَلَا جُنَاحَ عَلَيْهِمَا
أَنْ يَتَرَاجَعَا إِنْ ظَنَّا أَنْ يُقِيمَا
حُدُودَ اللَّهِ^ق وَتِلْكَ حُدُودُ اللَّهِ
يُبَيِّنُهَا لِقَوْمٍ يَعْلَمُونَ

231. When you have divorced women, and they have reached their term, then retain them in kindness or release them in kindness. Retain them not to their hurt so that you transgress (the limits). He who does that has wronged his soul. Make not the revelations of Allah a laughing-stock (by your behavior), but remember Allah's grace upon you and that which He has revealed unto you of the Scripture and of wisdom, whereby He does exhort you. Observe your duty to Allah and know that Allah is Aware of all things.

وَإِذَا طَلَّقْتُمُ النِّسَاءَ فَبَلَغْنَ أَجَلَهُنَّ فَأَمْسِكُوهُنَّ بِمَعْرُوفٍ أَوْ سَرِّحُوهُنَّ بِمَعْرُوفٍ وَلَا تُمْسِكُوهُنَّ ضِرَارًا لِّتَعْتَدُوا وَمَنْ يَفْعَلْ ذَلِكَ فَقَدْ ظَلَمَ نَفْسَهُ وَلَا تَتَّخِذُوا آيَاتِ اللَّهِ هُزُوًا وَاذْكُرُوا نِعْمَتَ اللَّهِ عَلَيْكُمْ وَمَا أَنْزَلَ عَلَيْكُمْ مِنَ الْكِتَابِ وَالْحِكْمَةِ يَعِظُكُمْ بِهِ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ وَاعْلَمُوا أَنَّ اللَّهَ بِكُلِّ شَيْءٍ

عَلِيمٌ

232. And when you have divorced women and they reach their term, place not difficulties in the way of their marrying their husbands if it is agreed between them in kindness. This is an admonition for him among you who believes in Allah and the Last Day. That is more virtuous for you, and cleaner. Allah knows; you know not.

وَإِذَا طَلَّقْتُمُ النِّسَاءَ فَبَلَغْنَ أَجَلَهُنَّ فَلَا تَعْضُلُوهُنَّ أَنْ يَنْكِحْنَ أَزْوَاجَهُنَّ إِذَا تَرَاضَوْا بَيْنَهُم بِالْمَعْرُوفِ ۗ ذَٰلِكَ يُوعَظُ بِهِ مَنْ كَانَ مِنْكُمْ يُؤْمِنُ بِاللَّهِ وَالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ ۗ ذَٰلِكُمْ أَزْكَىٰ لَكُمْ وَأَطْهَرُ ۗ وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ وَأَنْتُمْ لَا تَعْلَمُونَ



تَعْلَمُونَ

233. Mothers shall suckle their children for two whole years; (that is) for those who wish to complete the suckling. The duty of feeding and clothing nursing mothers in a seemly manner is upon the father of the child. No one should be charged beyond his capacity. A mother should not be made to suffer because of her child, nor should he to whom the child is born (be made to suffer) because of his child. And on the (father's) heir is incumbent the like of that (which was incumbent on the father). If they desire to wean the child by mutual consent and (after) consultation, it is no sin for them; and if you wish to give your children out to nurse, it is no sin for you, provide that you pay what is due from you in kindness. Observe your duty to Allah, and know that Allah is Seer of what you do.

وَالْوَالِدَاتُ يُرْضِعْنَ أَوْلَادَهُنَّ
 حَوْلَيْنِ كَامِلَيْنِ لِمَنْ أَرَادَ أَنْ يُتِمَّ
 الرَّضَاعَةَ وَعَلَى الْمَوْلُودِ لَهُ
 رِزْقُهُنَّ وَكِسْوَتُهُنَّ بِالْمَعْرُوفِ لَا
 تُكَلَّفُ نَفْسٌ إِلَّا وُسْعَهَا لَا
 تُضَارَّ وَالِدَةٌ بَوْلِدِهَا وَلَا مَوْلُودٌ
 لَهُ بِوَالِدِهِ وَعَلَى الْوَارِثِ مِثْلُ
 ذَلِكَ فَإِنْ أَرَادَا فِصَالًا عَنْ
 تَرَاضٍ مِّنْهُمَا وَتَشَاوُرٍ فَلَا جُنَاحَ
 عَلَيْهِمَا وَإِنْ أَرَدْتُمْ أَنْ
 تَسْتَرْضِعُوا أَوْلَادَكُمْ فَلَا جُنَاحَ
 عَلَيْكُمْ إِذَا سَلَّمْتُمْ مَا آتَيْتُمْ
 بِالْمَعْرُوفِ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ وَاعْلَمُوا
 أَنَّ اللَّهَ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ بَصِيرٌ

234. Such of you as die and leave behind them wives, they (the wives) shall wait, keeping themselves apart, four months and ten days. And when they reach the term (prescribed for them) then there is no sin for you in aught that they may do with themselves in decency. Allah is informed of what you do.

وَالَّذِينَ يُتَوَفَّوْنَ مِنْكُمْ وَيَذُرُونَ
 أَزْوَاجًا يَتَرَبَّصْنَ بِأَنْفُسِهِنَّ أَرْبَعَةَ
 أَشْهُرٍ وَعَشْرًا فَإِذَا بَلَغْنَ أَجَلَهُنَّ
 فَلَا جُنَاحَ عَلَيْكُمْ فِيمَا فَعَلْنَ فِي
 أَنْفُسِهِنَّ بِالْمَعْرُوفِ وَاللَّهُ بِمَا
 تَعْمَلُونَ خَبِيرٌ

235. There is no sin for you in that which you proclaim or hide in your minds concerning your troth with women. Allah knows that you will remember them. But plight not your troth with women except by uttering a recognized form of words. And do not consummate the marriage until (the term) prescribed is run. Know that Allah knows what is in your minds, so beware of Him; and know that Allah is Forgiving, Clement.

وَلَا جُنَاحَ عَلَيْكُمْ فِيمَا عَرَّضْتُمْ
 بِهِ مِنْ خِطْبَةِ النِّسَاءِ أَوْ
 أَكْنَنْتُمْ فِي أَنْفُسِكُمْ عَلِمَ اللَّهُ
 أَنَّكُمْ سَتَذْكُرُونَهُنَّ وَلَكِنْ لَا
 تُوَاعِدُوهُنَّ سِرًّا إِلَّا أَنْ تَقُولُوا
 قَوْلًا مَعْرُوفًا وَلَا تَعْزَمُوا عُقْدَةَ
 النِّكَاحِ حَتَّى يَبْلُغَ الْكِتَابُ
 أَجَلَهُ وَأَعْلَمُوا أَنَّ اللَّهَ يَعْلَمُ مَا
 فِي أَنْفُسِكُمْ فَاحْذَرُوهُ وَأَعْلَمُوا
 أَنَّ اللَّهَ غَفُورٌ حَلِيمٌ

236. It is no sin for you if you divorce women while yet you have not touched them, nor appointed unto them a portion. Provide for them, the rich according to his means, and the straitened according to his means, a fair provision. (This is) a bounden duty for those who do good.

لَا جُنَاحَ عَلَيْكُمْ إِنْ طَلَقْتُمُ
النِّسَاءَ مَا لَمْ تَمْسُوهُنَّ أَوْ
تَفَرِّضُوا لَهُنَّ فَرِيضَةً وَمَتَّعُوهُنَّ
عَلَى الْمَوْسِعِ قَدْرُهُ وَعَلَى الْمُقْتَرِ
قَدْرُهُ مَتَّعًا بِالْمَعْرُوفِ حَقًّا
عَلَى الْمُحْسِنِينَ



237. If you divorce them before you have touched them and you have appointed unto them a portion, then (pay the) half of that which you appointed, unless they (the women) agree to forgo it, or he agrees to forgo it in whose hand is the marriage tie. To forgo is nearer to piety. And forget not kindness among yourselves. Allah is Seer of what you do.

وَإِنْ طَلَقْتُمُوهُنَّ مِنْ قَبْلِ أَنْ
تَمْسُوهُنَّ وَقَدْ فَرَضْتُمْ لَهُنَّ
فَرِيضَةً فَنِصْفُ مَا فَرَضْتُمْ إِلَّا أَنْ
يَعْفُوا أَوْ يَعْفُوَ الَّذِي
بِيَدِهِ عُقْدَةُ النِّكَاحِ وَأَنْ
تَعْفُوا أَقْرَبُ لِلتَّقْوَى وَلَا
تَنْسُوا الْفَضْلَ بَيْنَكُمْ إِنَّ اللَّهَ
بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ بَصِيرٌ



238. Be guardians of your prayers, and of the midmost prayer, and stand up with devotion to Allah.

حَافِظُوا عَلَى الصَّلَوَاتِ
وَالصَّلَاةِ الْوُسْطَىٰ وَقُومُوا لِلَّهِ
قَانِتِينَ

239. And if you go in fear, then (pray) standing or on horseback. And when you are again in safety, remember Allah, as He has taught you that which (heretofore) you knew not.

فَإِنْ خِفْتُمْ فَرِجَالًا أَوْ رُكْبَانًا
فَإِذَا أَمِنْتُمْ فَأَذْكُرُوا اللَّهَ كَمَا
عَلَّمَكُمْ مَا لَمْ تَكُونُوا
تَعْلَمُونَ

240. (In the case of) those of you who are about to die and leave behind them wives, they should bequeath unto their wives a provision for the year without turning them out, but if they go out (of their own accord) there is no sin for you in that which they do of themselves within their rights. Allah is Mighty, Wise.

وَالَّذِينَ يُتَوَفَّوْنَ مِنْكُمْ
وَيَذُرُونَ أَزْوَاجًا وَصِيَّةً
لِّأَزْوَاجِهِمْ مَّتَعًا إِلَى الْحَوْلِ غَيْرِ
إِخْرَاجٍ فَإِنْ خَرَجْنَ فَلَا جُنَاحَ
عَلَيْكُمْ فِي مَا فَعَلْنَ فِي
أَنْفُسِهِنَّ مِنْ مَّعْرُوفٍ ۗ وَاللَّهُ
عَزِيزٌ حَكِيمٌ

241. For divorced women a provision in kindness: a duty for those who ward off (evil).

وَلِلْمُطَلَّقَاتِ مَتَعٌ بِالْمَعْرُوفِ
حَقًّا عَلَى الْمُتَّقِينَ ﴿٢٤١﴾

242. Thus Allah expounds unto you His revelations so that you may understand.

كَذَلِكَ يُبَيِّنُ اللَّهُ لَكُمْ
آيَاتِهِ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَعْقِلُونَ ﴿٢٤٢﴾

243. Bethink thee (O Muhammad) of those of old, who went forth from their habitations in their thousands, fearing death, and Allah said unto them: Die; and then He brought them back to life. Lo! Allah is a Lord of Kindness to mankind, but most of mankind give not thanks.

﴿ أَلَمْ تَرَ إِلَى الَّذِينَ خَرَجُوا مِنْ دِيَارِهِمْ وَهُمْ أُلُوفٌ حَذَرَ الْمَوْتِ فَقَالَ لَهُمُ اللَّهُ مُوتُوا ثُمَّ أَحْيَاهُمْ ﴾ إِنَّ اللَّهَ لَذُو فَضْلٍ عَلَى النَّاسِ وَلَٰكِنَّ أَكْثَرَ النَّاسِ لَا يَشْكُرُونَ ﴿٢٤٣﴾

244. Fight in the way of Allah, and know that Allah is Hearer, Knower.

وَقَاتِلُوا فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ وَعَلِمُوا
أَنَّ اللَّهَ سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ ﴿٢٤٤﴾

245. Who is it that will lend unto Allah a goodly loan, so that He may give it increase manifold? Allah straitens and enlarges. Unto Him you will return.

مَنْ ذَا الَّذِي يُقْرِضُ اللَّهَ قَرْضًا
حَسَنًا فَيُضْعِفُهُ لَهُ رَافِعًا
كَثِيرَةً ۗ وَاللَّهُ يَقْبِضُ وَيَبْصُطُ
وَالِيهِ تُرْجَعُونَ



246. Bethink thee of the leaders of the Children of Israel after Moses, how they said unto a prophet whom they had: Set up for us a king and we will fight in Allah's way. He said: Would you then refrain from fighting if fighting were prescribed for you? They said: Why should we not fight in Allah's way when we have been driven from our dwellings with our children? Yet, when fighting was prescribed for them, they turned away, all save a few of them. Allah is aware of evil doers.

أَلَمْ تَرَ إِلَى الْمَلَإِ مِنْ بَنِي
إِسْرَائِيلَ مِنْ بَعْدِ مُوسَى إِذِ
قَالُوا لِنَبِيِّهِمْ ائْتِنَا مَلِكًا
نُقَاتِلْ فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ قَالَ هَلْ
عَسَيْتُمْ إِنْ كُتِبَ عَلَيْكُمُ
الْقِتَالُ أَلَّا تُقَاتِلُوا قَالُوا وَمَا
لَنَا أَلَّا نُقَاتِلَ فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ وَقَدْ
أُخْرِجْنَا مِنْ دِيَارِنَا وَأَبْنَاءِنَا
فَلَمَّا كُتِبَ عَلَيْهِمُ الْقِتَالُ تَوَلَّوْا
إِلَّا قَلِيلًا مِّنْهُمْ ۗ وَاللَّهُ عَلِيمٌ
بِالظَّالِمِينَ



247. Their Prophet said unto them: Lo! Allah has raised up Saul to be a king for you. They said: How can he have kingdom over us when we are more deserving of the kingdom than he is, since he has not been given wealth enough? He said: Lo! Allah has chosen him above you, and has increased him abundantly in wisdom and stature. Allah bestows His Sovereignty on whom He will. Allah is All-Embracing, All-Knowing.

وَقَالَ لَهُمْ نَبِيُّهُمْ إِنَّ اللَّهَ قَدْ
بَعَثَ لَكُمْ طَالُوتَ مَلَكًا
قَالُوا أَنَّى يَكُونُ لَهُ الْمُلْكُ
عَلَيْنَا وَنَحْنُ أَحَقُّ بِالْمُلْكِ مِنْهُ
وَلَمْ يُوْتِ سَعَةً مِّنَ الْمَالِ
قَالَ إِنَّ اللَّهَ اصْطَفَاهُ عَلَيْكُمْ
وَزَادَهُ بَسْطَةً فِي الْعِلْمِ وَالْجِسْمِ
وَاللَّهُ يُؤْتِي مَلَكَهُ مَن يَشَاءُ
وَاللَّهُ وَاسِعٌ عَلِيمٌ

248. And their Prophet said unto them: Lo! The token of his kingdom is that there shall come unto you the ark wherein is peace of reassurance from your Lord, and a remnant of that which the house of Moses and the house of Aaron left behind, the angels bearing it. Lo! herein shall be a token for you if (in truth) you are believers.

وَقَالَ لَهُمْ نَبِيُّهُمْ إِنَّ آيَةَ
مُلْكِهِ أَنْ يَأْتِيَكُمُ التَّابُوتُ
فِيهِ سَكِينَةٌ مِّن رَّبِّكُمْ وَبَقِيَّةٌ
مِّمَّا تَرَكَ آلُ مُوسَىٰ وَآلُ
هَارُونَ تَحْمِلُهُ الْمَلَائِكَةُ إِنَّ فِي
ذَلِكَ لَآيَةً لَّكُمْ إِن كُنْتُمْ
مُؤْمِنِينَ

249. And when Saul set out with the army, he said: Lo! Allah will try you by (the ordeal of) a river. Whosoever therefore drinks thereof he is not of me, and whosoever tastes it not he is of me, save him who takes (thereof) in the hollow of his hand. But they drank thereof, all save a few of them. And after he had crossed (the river), he and those who believed with him, they said: We have no power this day against Goliath and his hosts. But those who knew that they would meet Allah exclaimed: How many a little company has overcome a mighty host by Allah's leave! Allah is with the steadfast.

فَلَمَّا فَصَلَ طَالُوتُ بِالْجُنُودِ
 قَالَ إِنَّ اللَّهَ مُبْتَلِيكُمْ بِنَهَرٍ
 فَمَنْ شَرِبَ مِنْهُ فَلَيْسَ مِنِّي وَمَنْ
 لَمْ يَطْعَمْهُ فَإِنَّهُ مِنِّي إِلَّا مَنْ
 أَخْرَفَ غُرْفَةً بِيَدِهِ فَشَرِبُوا
 مِنْهُ إِلَّا قَلِيلًا مِّنْهُمْ فَلَمَّا
 جَاوَزَهُ هُوَ وَالَّذِينَ آمَنُوا
 مَعَهُ قَالُوا لَا طَاقَةَ لَنَا الْيَوْمَ
 بِجَالُوتَ وَجُنُودِهِ قَالَ
 الَّذِينَ يَظُنُّونَ أَنَّهُمْ مُّلَاقُوا
 اللَّهَ كَمِ مِّنْ فِئَةٍ قَلِيلَةٍ غَلَبَتْ
 فِئَةٌ كَثِيرَةٌ بِإِذْنِ اللَّهِ وَاللَّهُ مَعَ
 الصَّابِرِينَ

250. And when they went into the field against Goliath and his hosts they said: Our Lord! Bestow on us endurance, make our foothold sure, and give us help against the disbelieving folk.

وَلَمَّا بَرَزُوا لِجَالُوتَ
وَجُنُودِهِ قَالُوا رَبَّنَا أَفْرِغْ عَلَيْنَا
صَبْرًا وَثَبِّتْ أَقْدَامَنَا وَانصُرْنَا
عَلَى الْقَوْمِ الْكَافِرِينَ

251. So they routed them by Allah's leave and David slew Goliath; and Allah gave him the kingdom and wisdom, and taught him of that which He wills. And if Allah had not repelled some men by others the earth would have been corrupted. But Allah is a Lord of Kindness to (His) creatures.

فَهَزَمُوهُم بِإِذْنِ اللَّهِ وَقَتَلَ
دَاوُدُ جَالُوتَ وَءَاتَاهُ اللَّهُ
الْمُلْكَ وَالْحِكْمَةَ وَعَلَّمَهُ
مِمَّا يَشَاءُ وَلَوْلَا دَفْعُ اللَّهِ
النَّاسِ بَعْضُهُمْ
بِبَعْضٍ لَفَسَدَتِ الْأَرْضُ وَلَكِنَّ
اللَّهَ ذُو فَضْلٍ عَلَى الْعَالَمِينَ

252. These are the portents of Allah which We recite unto thee (Muhammad) with truth, and lo! thou art of the number of (Our) messengers.

تِلْكَ آيَاتُ اللَّهِ نَتْلُوهَا عَلَيْكَ
بِالْحَقِّ وَإِنَّكَ لَمِنَ
الْمُرْسَلِينَ

253. Of those messengers, some of whom We have caused to excel others, and of whom there are some unto whom Allah spoke, while some of them He exalted (above others) in degree; and We gave Jesus, son of Mary, clear proofs (of Allah's Sovereignty) and We supported him with the holy Spirit. And if Allah had so willed it, those who followed after them would not have fought one with another after the clear proofs had come unto them. But they differed, some of them believing and some disbelieving. And if Allah had so willed it, they would not have fought one with another; but Allah does what He will.

* تِلْكَ الرُّسُلُ فَضَّلْنَا بَعْضَهُمْ
 عَلَىٰ بَعْضٍ مِّنْهُمْ مِّن كَلِمِ اللَّهِ
 وَرَفَعَ بَعْضُهُمْ دَرَجَاتٍ ۖ وَآتَيْنَا
 عِيسَى ابْنَ مَرْيَمَ الْبَيِّنَاتِ
 وَأَيَّدْنَاهُ بِرُوحِ الْقُدُسِ ۖ وَلَوْ شَاءَ
 اللَّهُ مَا أَقْتَلَ الَّذِينَ مِنْ بَعْدِهِمْ
 مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا جَاءَتْهُمْ الْبَيِّنَاتُ
 وَلَكِنْ اٰخْتَلَفُوا فَمِنْهُمْ مَّنْ ءَامَنَ
 وَمِنْهُمْ مَّنْ كَفَرَ ۖ وَلَوْ شَاءَ اللَّهُ مَا
 أَقْتَلُوا وَلَكِنَّ اللَّهَ يَفْعَلُ مَا

254. O you who believe! Spend of that wherewith We have provided you ere a day come when there will be no trafficking, nor friendship, nor intercession. The disbelievers, they are the wrong-doers.

يَتَأْتِيهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا أَنْفِقُوا مِمَّا
رَزَقْنَاكُمْ مِنْ قَبْلِ أَنْ يَأْتِيَ يَوْمٌ
لَا بَيْعٌ فِيهِ وَلَا خُلَّةٌ وَلَا شَفَعَةٌ
وَالْكَافِرُونَ هُمُ الظَّالِمُونَ

255. Allah! There is no God save Him, the Alive, the Eternal. Neither slumber nor sleep overtakes Him. Unto Him belongs whatsoever is in the heavens and whatsoever is in the earth. Who is he that intercedes with Him save by His leave? He knows that which is in front of them and that which is behind them, while they encompass nothing of His knowledge save what He will. His throne includes the heavens and the earth, and He is never weary of preserving them. He is the Sublime, the Tremendous.

اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا هُوَ الْحَيُّ الْقَيُّومُ
لَا تَأْخُذُهُ سِنَّةٌ وَلَا نَوْمٌ لَهُ
مَا فِي السَّمَوَاتِ وَمَا فِي الْأَرْضِ
مَنْ ذَا الَّذِي يَشْفَعُ عِنْدَهُ إِلَّا
بِإِذْنِهِ يَعْلَمُ مَا بَيْنَ أَيْدِيهِمْ
وَمَا خَلْفَهُمْ وَلَا يُحِيطُونَ
بِشَيْءٍ مِّنْ عِلْمِهِ إِلَّا بِمَا شَاءَ
وَسِعَ كُرْسِيُّهُ السَّمَوَاتِ
وَالْأَرْضَ وَلَا يَئُودُهُ حِفْظُهُمَا
وَهُوَ الْعَلِيُّ الْعَظِيمُ

256. There is no compulsion in religion. The right direction is henceforth distinct from error. And he who rejects false deities and believes in Allah has grasped a firm handhold which will never break. Allah is Hearer, Knower.

لَا إِكْرَاهَ فِي الدِّينِ ۚ قَدْ تَبَيَّنَ
الرُّشْدُ مِنَ الْغَيِّ ۚ فَمَنْ يَكْفُرْ
بِالطَّاغُوتِ وَيُؤْمِنْ بِاللَّهِ فَقَدْ
اسْتَمْسَكَ بِالْعُرْوَةِ الْوُثْقَىٰ لَا
أَنْفِصَامَ لَهَا ۗ وَاللَّهُ سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ

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257. Allah is the Protecting Guardian of those who believe. He brings them out of darkness into light. As for those who disbelieve, their patrons are false deities. They bring them out of light into darkness. Such are rightful owners of the Fire. They will abide therein.

اللَّهُ وَلِيُّ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا
يُخْرِجُهُم مِّنَ الظُّلُمَاتِ إِلَى
النُّورِ ۗ وَالَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا
أَوْلِيَآؤُهُمُ الطَّاغُوتُ يُخْرِجُونَهُم
مِّنَ النُّورِ إِلَى الظُّلُمَاتِ ۗ
أُولَٰئِكَ أَصْحَابُ النَّارِ ۗ هُمْ
فِيهَا خَالِدُونَ

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258. Bethink thee of him who had an argument with Abraham about his Lord, because Allah had given him the kingdom; how, when Abraham said: My Lord is He Who gives life and causes death, he answered: I give life and cause death. Abraham said: Lo! Allah causes the sun to rise in the East, so do thou cause it to come up from the West. Thus was the disbeliever abashed. And Allah guides not wrongdoing folk.

أَلَمْ تَرَ إِلَى الَّذِي حَاجَّ إِبْرَاهِيمَ
فِي رَبِّهِ أَنْ آتَاهُ اللَّهُ الْمُلْكَ
إِذْ قَالَ إِبْرَاهِيمُ رَبِّيَ الَّذِي
يُحْيِي وَيُمِيتُ قَالَ أَنَا أُحْيِي
وَأُمِيتُ قَالَ إِبْرَاهِيمُ فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ
يَأْتِي بِالشَّمْسِ مِنَ الْمَشْرِقِ
فَأْتِ بِهَا مِنَ الْمَغْرِبِ فَبُهِتَ
الَّذِي كَفَرَ وَاللَّهُ لَا يَهْدِي الْقَوْمَ

الظَّالِمِينَ



259. Or (bethink thee of) the like of him who, passing by a township which had fallen into utter ruin, exclaimed: How shall Allah give this township life after its death? And Allah made him die a hundred years, then brought him back to life. He said: How long hast thou tarried? (The man) said: I have tarried a day or part of a day. (He) said: Nay, but thou hast tarried for a hundred years. Just look at thy food and drink which have not rotted! Look at thy donkey! And, that We may make thee a token unto mankind, look at the bones, how We adjust them and then cover them with flesh! And when (the matter) became clear unto him, he said: I know now that Allah is Able to do all things.

أَوْ كَالَّذِي مَرَّ عَلَىٰ قَرْيَةٍ وَهِيَ
خَاوِيَةٌ عَلَىٰ عُرُوشِهَا قَالَ أَنَّىٰ
يُحْيِي هَذِهِ اللَّهُ بَعْدَ مَوْتِهَا
فَأَمَاتَهُ اللَّهُ مِائَةَ عَامٍ ثُمَّ بَعَثَهُ
قَالَ كَمْ لَبِثْتُ قَالَ لَبِثْتُ
يَوْمًا أَوْ بَعْضَ يَوْمٍ قَالَ بَلْ
لَبِثْتَ مِائَةَ عَامٍ فَانظُرْ إِلَىٰ
طَعَامِكَ وَشَرَابِكَ لَمْ يَتَسَنَّهْ
وَأَنْظُرْ إِلَىٰ حِمَارِكَ
وَلِنَجْعَلَكَ آيَةً لِلنَّاسِ
وَأَنْظُرْ إِلَىٰ الْعِظَامِ كَيْفَ
نُنشِزُهَا ثُمَّ نَكْسُوهَا لَحْمًا
فَلَمَّا تَبَيَّنَ لَهُ قَالَ أَعْلَمُ أَنَّ
اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ

260. And when Abraham said (unto his Lord): My Lord! Show me how Thou gives life to the dead, He said: Dost thou not believe? Abraham said: Yea, but (I ask) in order that my heart may be at ease. (His Lord) said: Take four of the birds and cause them to incline unto thee, then place a part of them on each hill, then call them, they will come to thee in haste, and know that Allah is Mighty, Wise.

وَإِذْ قَالَ إِبْرَاهِيمُ رَبِّ أَرِنِي
 كَيْفَ تُحْيِي الْمَوْتَىٰ قَالَ أُولَٰئِكَ
 تُؤْمِنُونَ قَالَتْ بَلَىٰ وَإِن لِّيَاطْمِئِنَّ
 قَلْبِي قَالَ فَخُذْ أَرْبَعَةً مِّنَ الطَّيْرِ
 فَصُرْهُنَّ إِلَىٰكَ ثُمَّ أَجْعَلْ عَلَىٰ
 كُلِّ جَبَلٍ مِّنْهُنَّ جُزْءًا ثُمَّ ادْعُهُنَّ
 يَأْتِينَكَ سَعْيًا وَاعْلَمْ أَنَّ اللَّهَ
 عَزِيزٌ حَكِيمٌ

261. The likeness of those who spend their wealth in Allah's way is as the likeness of a grain which grows seven ears, in every ear a hundred grains. Allah gives increase manifold to whom He will. Allah is All-Embracing, All-Knowing.

مَثَلُ الَّذِينَ يُنْفِقُونَ أَمْوَالَهُمْ فِي
 سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ كَمَثَلِ حَبَّةٍ أَنبَتَتْ
 سَبْعَ سَنَابِلَ فِي كُلِّ سُنبُلَةٍ مِّائَةٌ
 حَبَّةٌ وَاللَّهُ يُضَعِفُ لِمَن يَشَاءُ
 وَاللَّهُ وَاسِعٌ عَلِيمٌ

262. Those who spend their wealth for the cause of Allah and afterward make not reproach and injury to follow that which they have spent; their reward is with their Lord, and there shall no fear come upon them, neither shall they grieve.

الَّذِينَ يُنْفِقُونَ أَمْوَالَهُمْ فِي
سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ ثُمَّ لَا يُتَّبِعُونَ مَا
أَنْفَقُوا مَنًّا وَلَا أَذًى لَهُمْ
أَجْرُهُمْ عِنْدَ رَبِّهِمْ وَلَا خَوْفٌ
عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا هُمْ يَحْزَنُونَ ﴿٢٦٢﴾

263. A kind word with forgiveness is better than almsgiving followed by injury. Allah is Absolute, Clement.

﴿ قَوْلٌ مَّعْرُوفٌ وَمَغْفِرَةٌ خَيْرٌ مِّنْ
صَدَقَةٍ يَتَّبِعُهَا أَذًى ۗ وَاللَّهُ غَنِيٌّ
حَلِيمٌ ﴾ ﴿٢٦٣﴾

264. O you who believe! Render not vain your almsgiving by reproach and injury, like him who spends his wealth only to be seen of men and believes not in Allah and the Last Day. His likeness is as the likeness of a rock whereon is dust of earth; a rainstorm smites it, leaving it smooth and bare. They have no control of aught of that which they have gained. Allah guides not the disbelieving folk.

يَأْتِيهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا لَا تَبْطُلُوا
صَدَقَاتِكُمْ بِالْمَنِّ وَالْأَذَى
كَالَّذِي يُنْفِقُ مَالَهُ رِثَاءَ النَّاسِ
وَلَا يُؤْمِنُ بِاللَّهِ وَالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ
فَمَثَلُهُ كَمَثَلِ صَفْوَانٍ عَلَيْهِ
تُرَابٌ فَأَصَابَهُ وَابِلٌ فَتَرَكَهُ
صَلْدًا ۗ لَا يَقْدِرُونَ عَلَىٰ شَيْءٍ
مِّمَّا كَسَبُوا ۗ وَاللَّهُ لَا يَهْدِي
الْقَوْمَ الْكَافِرِينَ



265. And the likeness of those who spend their wealth in search of Allah's pleasure, and for the strengthening of their souls, is as the likeness of a garden on a height. The rainstorm smites it and it brings forth its fruit twofold. And if the rainstorm smite it not, then the shower. Allah is Seer of what you do.

وَمَثَلُ الَّذِينَ يُنْفِقُونَ
أَمْوَالَهُمْ ابْتِغَاءَ مَرْضَاتِ اللَّهِ
وَتَثْبِيْتًا مِّنْ أَنفُسِهِمْ كَمَثَلِ جَنَّةٍ
بِرَبْوَةٍ أَصَابَهَا وَابِلٌ فَجَاءَتْ
أُكْلَهَا ضِعْفَيْنِ فَإِن لَّمْ
يُصِبْهَا وَابِلٌ فَطَلٌّ ۗ وَاللَّهُ بِمَا
تَعْمَلُونَ بَصِيرٌ



266. Would any of you like to have a garden of palm-trees and vines, with rivers flowing underneath it, with all kinds of fruit for him therein; and old age has stricken him and he has feeble offspring; and a fiery whirlwind strikes it and it is (all) consumed by fire. Thus Allah makes plain His revelations unto you, in order that you may give thought.

أَيُّودٌ أَحَدُكُمْ أَنْ تَكُونَ
لَهُ جَنَّةٌ مِّنْ نَّخِيلٍ وَأَعْنَابٍ
تَجْرِي مِنْ تَحْتِهَا الْأَنْهَارُ لَهُ
فِيهَا مِن كُلِّ الثَّمَرَاتِ
وَأَصَابَهُ الْكِبَرُ وَلَهُ ذُرِّيَّةٌ ضُعَفَاءُ
فَأَصَابَهَا إِعْصَارٌ فِيهِ نَارٌ
فَأَحْتَرَقَتْ كَذَلِكَ يُبَيِّنُ اللَّهُ
لَكُمْ الْآيَاتِ لَعَلَّكُمْ
تَتَفَكَّرُونَ



267. O you who believe! Spend of the good things which you have earned, and of that which We bring forth from the earth for you, and seek not the bad (with intent) to spend thereof (in charity) when you would not take it for yourselves save with disdain; and know that Allah is Absolute, Owner of Praise.

يَتَأْتِيهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا أَنْفِقُوا مِنْ
طَيِّبَاتِ مَا كَسَبْتُمْ وَمِمَّا
أَخْرَجْنَا لَكُمْ مِنَ الْأَرْضِ وَلَا
تَيَمَّمُوا الْخَبِيثَ مِنْهُ تُنْفِقُونَ
وَلَسْتُمْ بِعَاخِذِهِ إِلَّا أَنْ
تُغْمِضُوا فِيهِ وَاعْلَمُوا أَنَّ اللَّهَ
غَنِيٌّ حَمِيدٌ



268. The devil promises you destitution and enjoins on you lewdness. But Allah promises you forgiveness from Himself with bounty. Allah is All-Embracing, All-knowing.

الشَّيْطَانُ يَعِدُكُمُ الْفَقْرَ
وَيَأْمُرُكُم بِالْفَحْشَاءِ وَاللَّهُ
يَعِدُكُم مَّغْفِرَةً مِّنْهُ وَفَضْلًا وَاللَّهُ
وَاسِعٌ عَلِيمٌ

269. He gives wisdom unto whom He will, and he unto whom wisdom is given, he truly hath received abundant good. But none remember except men of understanding.

يُؤْتِي الْحِكْمَةَ مَن يَشَاءُ وَمَن
يُؤْتِ الْحِكْمَةَ فَقَدْ أُوتِيَ خَيْرًا
كَثِيرًا وَمَا يَذَّكَّرُ إِلَّا أُولُو
الْأَلْبَابِ

270. Whatever alms you spend or vow you vow, lo! Allah knows it. Wrong-doers have no helpers.

وَمَا أَنْفَقْتُمْ مِّنْ نَّفَقَةٍ أَوْ نَذَرْتُمْ
مِّنْ نَّذْرٍ فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ يَعْلَمُهُ وَمَا
لِلظَّالِمِينَ مِنْ أَنْصَارٍ

271. If you publish your almsgiving, it is well, but if you hide it and give it to the poor, it will be better for you, and will atone for some of your ill-deeds. Allah is Informed of what you do.

إِنْ تُبْدُوا الصَّدَقَاتِ فَنِعِمَّا هِيَ وَإِنْ تُخْفُوهَا وَتُؤْتُوهَا الْفُقَرَاءَ فَهُوَ خَيْرٌ لَكُمْ وَيُكَفِّرُ عَنْكُمْ مِنْ سَيِّئَاتِكُمْ وَاللَّهُ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ خَبِيرٌ



272. The guiding of them is not thy duty (O Muhammad), but Allah guides whom He will. And whatsoever good thing you spend, it is for yourselves, when you spend not save in search of Allah's Countenance; and whatsoever good thing you spend, it will be repaid to you in full, and you will not be wronged.

لَيْسَ عَلَيْكَ هُدَاهُمْ وَلَكِنَّ اللَّهَ يَهْدِي مَنْ يَشَاءُ وَمَا تُنْفِقُوا مِنْ خَيْرٍ فَلِأَنْفُسِكُمْ وَمَا تُنْفِقُونَ إِلَّا ابْتِغَاءَ وَجْهِ اللَّهِ وَمَا تُنْفِقُوا مِنْ خَيْرٍ يُوفَّ إِلَيْكُمْ وَأَنْتُمْ لَا تُظْلَمُونَ



273. (Alms are) for the poor who are straitened for the cause of Allah, who cannot travel in the land (for trade). The unthinking man accounts them wealthy because of their restraint. Thou shalt know them by their mark: They do not beg of men with importunity. And whatsoever good thing you spend, lo! Allah knows it.

لِلْفُقَرَاءِ الَّذِينَ أُحْصِرُوا
 فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ لَا
 يَسْتَطِيعُونَ ضَرْبًا فِي
 الْأَرْضِ يَحْسَبُهُمُ الْجَاهِلُ
 أَغْنِيَاءَ مِنَ التَّعَفُّفِ تَعْرِفُهُمْ
 بِسِيمَاهُمْ لَا يَسْأَلُونَ
 النَّاسَ إِيحَافًا وَمَا تَنْفِقُوا
 مِنْ خَيْرٍ فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ بِهِ عَلِيمٌ



274. Those who spend their wealth by night and day, by stealth and openly, verily their reward is with their Lord, and there shall no fear come upon them neither shall they grieve.

الَّذِينَ يُنْفِقُونَ أَمْوَالَهُمْ
 بِاللَّيْلِ وَالنَّهَارِ سِرًّا وَعَلَانِيَةً
 فَلَهُمْ أَجْرُهُمْ عِنْدَ رَبِّهِمْ وَلَا
 خَوْفٌ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا هُمْ
 يَحْزَنُونَ



275. Those who swallow usury cannot rise up save as he arises whom the devil has prostrated by (his) touch. That is because they say: Trade is just like usury; whereas Allah permits trading and forbids usury. He unto whom an admonition from his Lord comes, and (he) refrains (in obedience thereto), he shall keep (the profits of) that which is past, and his affair (henceforth) is with Allah. As for him who returns (to usury) - Such are rightful owners of the Fire. They will abide therein.

الَّذِينَ يَأْكُلُونَ الرِّبَا لَا
يَقُومُونَ إِلَّا كَمَا يَقُومُ الَّذِي
يَتَخَبَّطُهُ الشَّيْطَانُ مِنَ الْمَسِّ
ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّهُمْ قَالُوا إِنَّمَا الْبَيْعُ
مِثْلُ الرِّبَا وَأَحَلَّ اللَّهُ الْبَيْعَ
وَحَرَّمَ الرِّبَا فَمَنْ جَاءَهُ
مَوْعِظَةٌ مِنْ رَبِّهِ فَانْتَهَى فَلَهُ
مَا سَلَفَ وَأَمْرُهُ إِلَى اللَّهِ وَمَنْ
عَادَ فَأُولَئِكَ أَصْحَابُ النَّارِ
هُمْ فِيهَا خَالِدُونَ ﴿٢٧٥﴾

276. Allah has blighted usury and made almsgiving fruitful. Allah loves not the impious and guilty.

يَمْحَقُ اللَّهُ الرِّبَا وَيُرْبِي
الصَّدَقَاتِ وَاللَّهُ لَا يُحِبُّ
كُلَّ
كَفَّارٍ أَثِيمٍ ﴿٢٧٦﴾

277. Lo! those who believe and do good works and establish worship and pay the poor-due, their reward is with their Lord and there shall no fear come upon them neither shall they grieve.

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا
الصَّالِحَاتِ وَأَقَامُوا الصَّلَاةَ
وَأَتَوْا الزَّكَاةَ لَهُمْ أَجْرُهُمْ
عِنْدَ رَبِّهِمْ وَلَا خَوْفٌ عَلَيْهِمْ
وَلَا هُمْ يَحْزَنُونَ ﴿٢٧٧﴾

278. O you who believe! Observe your duty to Allah, and give up what remains (due to you) from usury, if you are (in truth) believers.

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا اتَّقُوا
اللَّهَ وَذَرُوا مَا بَقِيَ مِنَ الرِّبَا إِن
كُنْتُمْ مُؤْمِنِينَ ﴿٢٧٨﴾

279. And if you do not, then be warned of war (against you) from Allah and His messenger. And if you repent, then you have your principal (without interest). Wrong not, and you shall not be wronged.

فَإِن لَّمْ تَفْعَلُوا فَأْذَنُوا بِحَرْبٍ
مِّنَ اللَّهِ وَرَسُولِهِ وَإِن تُبْتُمْ
فَلََكُمْ رُءُوسُ أَمْوَالِكُمْ لَا
تُظْلَمُونَ وَلَا تَظْلَمُونَ ﴿٢٧٩﴾

280. And if the debtor is in straitened circumstances, then (let there be) postponement to (the time of) ease; and that you remit the debt as almsgiving would be better for you if you did but know.

وَإِنْ كَانَ ذُو عُسْرَةٍ فَنَظِرَةٌ إِلَىٰ مَيْسَرَةٍ ۗ وَأَنْ تَصَدَّقُوا خَيْرٌ لَّكُمْ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ تَعْلَمُونَ



281. And guard yourselves against a day in which you will be brought back to Allah. Then every soul will be paid in full that which it has earned, and they will not be wronged.

وَاتَّقُوا يَوْمًا تُرْجَعُونَ فِيهِ إِلَىٰ اللَّهِ ۖ ثُمَّ تُوَفَّىٰ كُلُّ نَفْسٍ مَّا كَسَبَتْ وَهُمْ لَا يُظْلَمُونَ

282. O you who believe! when you deal with each other, in transactions involving future obligations in a fixed period of time, reduce them to writing. Let a scribe write down faithfully as between the parties: let not the scribe refuse to write, as Allah has taught him, so let him write. Let him who incurs the liability dictate, but let him fear his Lord Allah, and not diminish

يَأْتِيهَا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا إِذَا تَدَايَنْتُمْ بِدَيْنٍ إِلَىٰ أَجَلٍ مُّسَمًّى فَاكْتُبُوهُ ۚ وَلْيَكْتُب بَيْنَكُمْ كَاتِبٌ بِالْعَدْلِ ۚ وَلَا يَأْب كَاتِبٌ أَنْ يَكْتُبَ كَمَا عَلَّمَهُ اللَّهُ ۚ فَلْيَكْتُبْ وَلْيَمْلِكِ الَّذِي عَلَيْهِ الْحَقُّ وَلْيَتَّقِ اللَّهَ رَبَّهُ وَلَا

ought of what he owes. If the party liable is mentally deficient, or weak, or unable himself to dictate, let his guardian dictate faithfully. And get two witnesses, out of your own men, and if there are not two men, then a man and two women, such as you choose, for witnesses, so that if one of them errs, the other can remind her. The witnesses should not refuse when they are called on (for evidence). Disdain not to reduce to writing (your contract) for a future period, whether it be small or big: it is more just in the sight of Allah, more suitable as evidence, and more convenient to prevent doubts among yourselves; but if it be a transaction which you carry out on the spot among yourselves, there is no blame on you if you reduce it not to writing. But take witnesses whenever you make a

يَبْخَسَ مِنْهُ شَيْئًا فَإِنْ كَانَ
الَّذِي عَلَيْهِ الْحَقُّ سَفِيهًا أَوْ
ضَعِيفًا أَوْ لَا يَسْتَطِيعُ أَنْ يُمِلَّ
هُوَ فَلْيُمِلِّ وَلِيُّهُ بِالْعَدْلِ
وَاسْتَشْهِدُوا شَهِدَيْنِ مِنْ
رِجَالِكُمْ فَإِنْ لَمْ يَكُونَا
رَجُلَيْنِ فَرَجُلٌ وَامْرَأَتَانِ مِمَّنْ
تَرْضَوْنَ مِنَ الشُّهَدَاءِ أَنْ تَضِلَّ
إِحْدَاهُمَا فَتُذَكِّرَ إِحْدَاهُمَا
الْأُخْرَى وَلَا يَأْبَ الشُّهَدَاءُ إِذَا
مَا دُعُوا وَلَا تَسْأَمُوا أَنْ
تَكْتُبُوهُ صَغِيرًا أَوْ كَبِيرًا إِلَى
أَجَلِهِ ذَٰلِكُمْ أَقْسَطُ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ
وَأَقْوَمُ لِلشَّهَادَةِ وَأَدْنَىٰ أَلَّا تَرْتَابُوا
إِلَّا أَنْ تَكُونَ تِجَارَةً حَاضِرَةً

commercial contract; and let neither scribe nor witness suffer harm. If you do (such harm), it would be wickedness in you. So fear Allah; for it is Allah that teaches you. And Allah is well acquainted with all things.

تُدِيرُونَهَا بَيْنَكُمْ فَلَيْسَ عَلَيْكُمْ
 جُنَاحٌ أَلَّا تَكْتُبُوهَا وَأَشْهَدُوا
 إِذَا تَبَايَعْتُمْ وَلَا يُضَارَّ كَاتِبٌ
 وَلَا شَهِيدٌ وَإِنْ تَفَعَّلُوا فَإِنَّهُ
 فُسُوقٌ بِكُمْ وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ
 وَيُعَلِّمُكُمُ اللَّهُ وَاللَّهُ بِكُلِّ
 شَيْءٍ عَلِيمٌ



283. If you be on a journey and cannot find a scribe, then a pledge in hand (shall suffice). And if one of you entrusts to another let him who is trusted deliver up that which is entrusted to him (according to the pact between them) and let him observe his duty to Allah his Lord. Hide not testimony. He who hides it, verily his heart is sinful. Allah is Aware of what you do.

❖ وَإِنْ كُنْتُمْ عَلَىٰ سَفَرٍ وَلَمْ
 تَجِدُوا كَاتِبًا فَرِهَانٌ مَّقْبُوضَةٌ
 فَإِنْ أَمِنَ بَعْضُكُم بَعْضًا فَلْيُؤَدِّ
 الَّذِي أَوْتُمِنَ أَمْنَتَهُ وَلْيَتَّقِ اللَّهَ
 رَبَّهُ وَلَا تَكْتُمُوا الشَّهَادَةَ
 وَمَنْ يَكْتُمْهَا فَإِنَّهُ رِءَاثِمٌ قَلْبُهُ
 وَاللَّهُ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ عَلِيمٌ



284. Unto Allah (belongs) whatsoever is in the heavens and whatsoever is in the earth; and whether you make known what is in your minds or hide it, Allah will bring you to account for it. He will forgive whom He will and He will punish whom He will. Allah is Able to do all things.

لِلَّهِ مَا فِي السَّمَوَاتِ وَمَا فِي
الْأَرْضِ وَإِنْ تُبَدُّوا مَا فِي
أَنْفُسِكُمْ أَوْ تُخْفُوهُ يُحَاسِبْكُمْ
بِهِ اللَّهُ فَيَغْفِرُ لِمَنْ يَشَاءُ
وَيُعَذِّبُ مَنْ يَشَاءُ وَاللَّهُ عَلَى
كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ



285. The messenger believes in that which has been revealed unto him from his Lord and (so do) believers. Each one believes in Allah and His angels and His scriptures and His messengers - We make no distinction between any of His messengers - and they say: We hear, and we obey. (Grant us) Thy forgiveness, our Lord. Unto Thee is the journeying.

ءَامَنَ الرَّسُولُ بِمَا أُنزِلَ إِلَيْهِ
مِنْ رَبِّهِ وَالْمُؤْمِنُونَ كُلٌّ ءَامَنَ
بِاللَّهِ وَمَلَائِكَتِهِ وَكُتُبِهِ وَرُسُلِهِ
لَا نُفَرِّقُ بَيْنَ أَحَدٍ مِّنْ رُّسُلِهِ
وَقَالُوا سَمِعْنَا وَأَطَعْنَا
غُفْرَانَكَ رَبَّنَا وَإِلَيْكَ الْمَصِيرُ



286. Allah tasks not a soul beyond its scope. For it (is only) that which it has earned, and against it (only) that which it has deserved. Our Lord! Condemn us not if we forget, or miss the mark! Our Lord! Lay not on us such a burden as thou did lay on those before us! Our Lord! Impose not on us that which we have not the strength to bear! Pardon us, absolve us and have mercy on us, Thou, our Protector, and give us victory over the disbelieving folk.

لَا يُكَلِّفُ اللَّهُ نَفْسًا إِلَّا وُسْعَهَا
لَهَا مَا كَسَبَتْ وَعَلَيْهَا مَا
أَكْتَسَبَتْ ۗ رَبَّنَا لَا تُؤَاخِذْنَا إِنْ
نَسِينَا أَوْ أَخْطَأْنَا ۗ رَبَّنَا وَلَا
تَحْمِلْ عَلَيْنَا إِمْرًا كَمَا
حَمَلْتَهُ عَلَى الَّذِينَ مِنْ قَبْلِنَا ۗ
رَبَّنَا وَلَا تُحَمِّلْنَا مَا لَا طَاقَةَ لَنَا
بِهِ ۗ وَاعْفُ عَنَّا وَاعْفِرْ لَنَا
وَارْحَمْنَا ۗ أَنْتَ مَوْلَانَا فَانصُرْنَا
عَلَى الْقَوْمِ الْكَافِرِينَ



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