

AlQiamah ٱلْقِيَامَة



In the name of Allah, Most Gracious, Most Merciful

- 1. Nay, I swear by the Day of Resurrection.
- 2. Nay, I swear by the accusing soul (that this Scripture is true).
- 3. Thinks man that We shall not assemble his bones.
- 4. Yea, verily. We are Able to restore his very fingers.
- 5. But man would fain deny what is before him.
- 6. He asks: When will be this Day of Resurrection.
- 7. But when sight is confounded.
- 8. And the moon is eclipsed.
- 9. And sun and moon are united.
- 10. On that day man will cry: Whither to flee.
- 11. Alas! No refuge.
- 12. Unto thy Lord is the recourse that day.
- 13. On that day man is told the tale of that which he has sent before and left behind.

- 14. Oh, but man is a telling witness against himself.
- 15. Although he tender his excuses.

- 16. Stir not thy tongue herewith to hasten it.17. Lo! Upon Us (rests) the putting together thereof and the reading thereof.18. And when We read it, follow thou the reading.
- 19. Then lo! Upon Us (rests) the explanation thereof.
- 20. Nay, but you do love the fleeting Now.
- 21. And neglect the Hereafter.
- 22. That day will faces be resplendent.
- 23. Looking toward their Lord.
- 24. And that day will other faces be despondent.
- 25. Thou wilt know that some great disaster is about to fall on them.
- 26. Nay, but when the life comes up to the throat.
- 27. And men say: Where is the wizard (who can save him now).
- 28. And he knows that it is the parting.
- 29. And agony is heaped on agony.
- 30. Unto thy Lord that day will be the driving.
- 31. For he neither trusted, nor prayed.
- 32. But he denied and flouted.
- 33. Then went he to his folk with glee.
- 34. Nearer unto thee and nearer.
- 35. Again nearer unto thee and nearer (is the doom).
- 36. Thinks man that he is to be left aimless.
- 37. Was he not a drop of fluid which gushed forth.
- 38. Then he became a clot; then (Allah) shaped and

fashioned.

39. And made of him a pair, the male and female.

40. Is not He (Who does so) Able to bring the dead to life.