

Professional Ethics and Islam

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Islam and Ethical Values

A few fundamental questions

- ① A strong tide of ethical and Professional corruption going on, how can I save myself?
- ② I am very religious so I am not so serious about the Professional values.
- ③ My boss is not here today, so I can do something else in my office.



(Q.1). How should I hold myself from the trend (!!!) ?

Sura Al-Asr (Sura no. 103)

- ① By Al-'Asr (the time).
- ② Verily, man is in loss.
- ③ Except those **who believe** (in Islamic Monotheism) and do **righteous good deeds**, and **recommend** one another to the **truth** and recommend one another to **patience**.



(Q.1). How should I hold myself from the trend (!!!) ? (Cont.)

Sura An Najm (Sura No. 53, Ayah No. 32)

Those who **avoid great sins** except the small faults, verily, your Lord is of vast forgiveness. **He knows you well** when He created you from the earth (Adam), and when you were fetuses in your mothers' wombs. So ascribe not purity to yourselves. He knows best him who fears Allah and keeps his duty to Him.



(Q.2)..not so serious about the Professional values..

Sura Nisa (Sura no. 4, Ayah No. 29)

O you who believe! **Eat not up your property among yourselves unjustly except it be a trade amongst you, by mutual consent.** And **do not kill yourselves** (nor kill one another). Surely, Allah is Most Merciful to you.

Sura Al Maeda (Sura No. 5, Ayah No. 1)

O you who have believed, **fulfill [all] contracts.**



(Q.2)..not so serious about the Professional values..(cont.)

Saying of our Prophet (sm) [Source: (Tirmidhi)]

The son of Adam will not pass away from Allah until he is asked about five things:

- ① how he **lived his life**
- ② how he utilized his **youth**
- ③ with what means did he **earn his wealth**
- ④ how did he **spend** his wealth
- ⑤ what did he do with his **knowledge**

