

53. *Their case is* like the case of the people of Pharaoh and those before them: they disbelieved in the Signs of Allāh; so Allāh punished them for their sins. Surely, Allāh is Powerful *and* severe in punishing.

كَذَابِ آلِ فِرْعَوْنَ ۖ وَالَّذِينَ مِنْ قَبْلِهِمْ ۖ كَفَرُوا بِآيَاتِ اللَّهِ فَآخَذَهُمُ اللَّهُ بِذُنُوبِهِمْ ۚ إِنَّ اللَّهَ قَوِيٌّ شَدِيدُ الْعِقَابِ ﴿٥٣﴾

54. This is because Allāh would never change a favour that He has conferred upon a people until they change their own condition, and *know* that Allāh is All-Hearing, All-Knowing.

ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّ اللَّهَ لَمْ يَكُ مُغَيِّرًا نِعْمَةً أَنْعَمَ هَا عَلَى قَوْمٍ حَتَّى يُغَيِّرُوا مَا بِأَنْفُسِهِمْ ۚ وَأَنَّ اللَّهَ سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ ﴿٥٤﴾

55. *Their case is* like the case of the people of Pharaoh and those before them: they rejected the Signs of their Lord, so We destroyed them for their sins. And We drowned the people of Pharaoh, for they were all wrongdoers.

كَذَابِ آلِ فِرْعَوْنَ ۖ وَالَّذِينَ مِنْ قَبْلِهِمْ ۖ كَذَّبُوا بِآيَاتِ رَبِّهِمْ فَأَهْلَكْنَاهُمْ بِذُنُوبِهِمْ ۚ وَأَغْرَقْنَا آلَ فِرْعَوْنَ ۚ وَكُلٌّ كَانُوا ظَالِمِينَ ﴿٥٥﴾

*56. Surely, the worst of beasts in the sight of Allāh are those who are ungrateful. So they will not believe,

إِنَّ شَرَّ الدَّوَابِّ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا فَهُمْ لَا يُؤْمِنُونَ ﴿٥٦﴾

57. Those with whom thou didst make a covenant; then they break their covenant every time, and they do not fear God.

الَّذِينَ عَاهَدْتَ مِنْهُمْ ثُمَّ يَنْقُضُونَ عَهْدَهُمْ فِي كُلِّ مَرَّةٍ ۚ وَهُمْ لَا يَتَّقُونَ ﴿٥٧﴾

58. So, if thou catchest them in war, then by *routing* them strike fear in those that are behind them, that they may be admonished.

فَمَا تَتَّقُهُمْ فِي الْحَرْبِ فَشَرِّدْ بِهِمْ مَنِ خَلْفَهُمْ لَعَلَّهُمْ يَذَّكَّرُونَ ﴿٥٨﴾

59. And if thou fearest treachery from a people, throw back to them *their covenant* with equity. Surely, Allāh loves not the treacherous.

وَأَمَّا اتَّخَفْتُمْ مِنْ قَوْمٍ خِيَانَةً فَانْزِلْ إِلَيْهِمْ عَلَى سَوَاءٍ ۚ إِنَّ اللَّهَ لَا يُحِبُّ الْخَائِنِينَ ﴿٥٩﴾

*56. Surely, the worst of **creatures** in the sight of Allāh are those who are ungrateful. So they will not believe,

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R. 8.

60. And let not those who disbelieve think that they have outstripped *Us*. Surely, they cannot frustrate *God's purpose*.

61. And make ready for them whatever you can of *armed force* and of mounted pickets at the frontier, whereby you may frighten the enemy of Allāh and your enemy and others besides them whom you know not, *but* Allāh knows them. And whatever you spend in the way of Allāh, it shall be repaid to you in full and you shall not be wronged.

62. And if they incline towards peace, incline thou also towards it, and put thy trust in Allāh. Surely, it is He Who is All-Hearing, All-Knowing.

63. And if they intend to deceive thee, then surely Allāh is sufficient for thee. He it is Who has strengthened thee with His help and with the believers;

64. And He has put affection between their hearts. If thou hadst expended all that is in the earth, thou couldst not have put affection between their hearts, but Allāh has put affection between them. Surely, He is Mighty, Wise.

65. O Prophet, Allāh is sufficient for thee and for those who follow thee of the believers.

R. 9.

66. O Prophet, urge the believers to

وَلَا يَحْسَبَنَّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا سَبَقُوا
إِنَّهُمْ لَا يُعْجِزُونَ ﴿٦٠﴾

وَأَعِدُّوا لَهُمْ مَا اسْتَطَعْتُمْ مِنْ قُوَّةٍ
وَمِنْ رِبَاطِ الْخَيْلِ تُرْهِبُونَ بِهِ عَدُوَّ
اللَّهِ وَعَدُوَّكُمْ وَأَخْرِينَ مِنْ دُونِهِمْ
لَا تَعْلَمُونَهُمُ اللَّهُ يَعْلَمُهُمْ ۚ وَمَا
تُنْفِقُوا مِنْ شَيْءٍ فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ يُوَفَّ
إِلَيْكُمْ وَ أَنْتُمْ لَا تَظْلَمُونَ ﴿٦١﴾

وَإِنْ جَنَحُوا لِلسَّلْمِ فَاجْنَحْ لَهَا وَتَوَكَّلْ
عَلَى اللَّهِ ۚ إِنَّهُ هُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْعَلِيمُ ﴿٦٢﴾

وَإِنْ يُرِيدُوا آتٍ يَخَذَعُوكَ فَإِنَّ
حَسْبَكَ اللَّهُ ۚ هُوَ الَّذِي آيَّدَكَ بِنَصْرِهِ
وَبِالْمُؤْمِنِينَ ﴿٦٣﴾

وَأَلَّفَ بَيْنَ قُلُوبِهِمْ ۚ لَوْ أَنْفَقْتَ مَا
فِي الْأَرْضِ جَمِيعًا مَّا أَلَّفْتَ بَيْنَ
قُلُوبِهِمْ وَلَكِنَّ اللَّهَ أَلَّفَ بَيْنَهُمْ ۚ
إِنَّهُ عَزِيزٌ حَكِيمٌ ﴿٦٤﴾

يَا أَيُّهَا النَّبِيُّ حَسْبُكَ اللَّهُ وَمَنِ
اتَّبَعَكَ مِنَ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ ﴿٦٥﴾

يَا أَيُّهَا النَّبِيُّ حَرِّضِ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ عَلَى

fight. If there be of you twenty who are steadfast, they shall overcome two hundred; and if there be a hundred of you, they shall overcome a thousand of those who disbelieve, because they are a people who do not understand.

67. For the present Allāh has lightened your burden, for He knows that there is weakness in you. So, if there be a hundred of you who are steadfast, they shall overcome two hundred; and if there be a thousand of you, they shall overcome two thousand by the command of Allāh. And Allāh is with those who are steadfast.

68. It does not behove a Prophet that he should have captives until he engages in regular fighting in the land. You desire the goods of the world, while Allāh desires *for you* the Hereafter. And Allāh is Mighty, Wise.

69. Had there not been a decree from Allāh which had gone before, great distress would have surely overtaken you in *connection with that* which you took.

70. So eat of that which you have won *in war* as lawful and good, and fear Allāh. Surely, Allāh is Most Forgiving, Merciful.

R. 10.

71. O Prophet, say to the captives who are in your hands, 'If Allāh knows any good in your hearts, He will give you better than that which

الْقِتَالِ ۚ إِنْ يَكُنْ مِنْكُمْ عِشْرُونَ
صَابِرُونَ يَغْلِبُوا مِائَتِينَ ۚ وَإِنْ يَكُنْ
مِنْكُمْ مِائَةٌ يَغْلِبُوا أَلْفًا مِنَ الَّذِينَ
كَفَرُوا يَا أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ لَا يَفْقَهُونَ ۝٦٧

أَلَنْ خَفَّفَ اللَّهُ عَنْكُمْ وَعَلِمَ أَنَّ
فِيكُمْ ضَعْفًا فَإِنْ يَكُنْ مِنْكُمْ مِائَةٌ
صَابِرَةٌ يَغْلِبُوا مِائَتَيْنِ ۚ وَإِنْ يَكُنْ
مِنْكُمْ أَلْفٌ يَغْلِبُوا أَلْفَيْنِ بِإِذْنِ اللَّهِ
وَاللَّهُ مَعَ الصَّابِرِينَ ۝٦٨

مَا كَانَ لِلنَّبِيِّ أَنْ يَكُونَ لَهُ أَشْرَى حَتَّى
يُخْرَجَ فِي الْأَرْضِ ۚ تُرِيدُونَ عَرَصَ
الدُّنْيَا ۚ وَاللَّهُ يُرِيدُ الْآخِرَةَ ۚ وَاللَّهُ
عَزِيزٌ حَكِيمٌ ۝٦٩

لَوْ لَا كَتَبَ مِنَ اللَّهِ سَبَقَ لَمَسَكُمُ
فِيمَا أَخَذْتُمْ عَذَابٌ عَظِيمٌ ۝٧٠

فَكُلُوا مِمَّا غَنِمْتُمْ حَلَالًا طَيِّبًا ۚ
وَاتَّقُوا اللَّهَ ۚ إِنَّ اللَّهَ غَفُورٌ رَحِيمٌ ۝٧١

يَا أَيُّهَا النَّبِيُّ قُلْ لِمَنْ فِي أَيْدِيكُمْ مِنَ
الْأَشْرَى ۚ إِنْ يَعْلَمِ اللَّهُ فِي قُلُوبِكُمْ