

exhortation has come to you from your Lord through a man from among yourselves that he may warn you? And remember *the time* when He made you inheritors of *His favours* after the people of Noah, and increased you abundantly in constitution. Remember, then, the favours of Allāh, that you may prosper.'

71. They said, 'Hast thou come to us that we may worship Allāh alone and forsake what our fathers used to worship? Bring us, then, that which thou threatenest us with, if thou art of the truthful.'

72. He replied, 'Indeed there have *already* fallen on you punishment and wrath from your Lord. Do you dispute with me about names which you have named—you and your fathers—for which Allāh has sent down no authority? Wait then, I am with you among those who wait.'

73. And We saved him and those who were with him, by Our mercy, and We cut off the last remnant of those who rejected Our Signs. And they were not believers.

R. 10.

74. And to Thamūd *We sent* their brother Šāliḥ. He said, 'O my people, worship Allāh; you have no other deity but Him. Verily there has come to you a clear evidence from your Lord—this she-camel of Allāh, a Sign for you. So leave her

عَلَى رَجُلٍ مِّنْكُمْ لِيُنذِرَكُمْ ۖ
وَادْكُرُوا إِذْ جَعَلَكُمْ خُلَفَاءَ مِن
بَعْدِ قَوْمِ نُوحٍ وَزَادَكُمْ فِي الْخَلْقِ
بَضْطَةً ۖ فَادْكُرُوا آلَاءَ اللَّهِ لَعَلَّكُمْ
تَفْلِحُونَ ﴿٥٠﴾

قَالُوا أَاجْتَنَّا لِنُعْبِدَ اللَّهَ وَحْدَهُ
وَنَذَرَ مَا كَانَ يَعْبُدُ آبَاؤُنَا ۚ فَاتِّبَاعًا
تَعِدُنَا إِنْ كُنْتَ مِنَ الصَّادِقِينَ ﴿٥١﴾

قَالَ قَدْ وَقَعَ عَلَيْكُمْ مِّن رَّبِّكُمْ رِجْسٌ
وَغَضَبٌ ۖ أَتُجَادِلُونَنِي فِي أَسْمَاءِ
سَمَّيْتُمُوهَا أَنْتُمْ وَآبَاؤُكُمْ مَا نَزَّلَ
اللَّهُ بِهَا مِنْ سُلْطَانٍ ۖ فَانْتَظِرُوا رَبِّي
مَعَكُمْ ۖ مِنَ الْمُنْتَظِرِينَ ﴿٥٢﴾

فَأَنْجَيْنَاهُ وَالَّذِينَ مَعَهُ بِرَحْمَةٍ مِنَّا
وَقَطَعْنَا ذِئْبَ الَّذِينَ كَذَّبُوا بِآيَاتِنَا
وَمَا كَانُوا مُؤْمِنِينَ ﴿٥٣﴾

وَإِلَى ثَمُودَ أَخَاهُمْ صَالِحًا ۚ قَالَ يَقَوْمُ
اعْبُدُوا اللَّهَ مَا لَكُمْ مِن إِلَهِ غَيْرُهُ ۚ
قَدْ جَاءَكُمْ بَيِّنَةٌ مِّن رَّبِّكُمْ ۖ هَذِهِ
نَاقَةُ اللَّهِ لَكُمْ آيَةٌ فَذَرُوهَا تَأْكُلْ

that she may feed in Allāh's earth, and do her no harm, lest a painful punishment seize you.

75. And remember *the time* when He made you inheritors of *His favours* after 'Ād, and assigned you an abode in the land; you build palaces in its plains, and you hew the mountains into houses. Remember, therefore, the favours of Allāh and commit not iniquity in the earth, causing disorder.'

76. The chief men of his people who were arrogant said to those who were reckoned weak—those among them who believed—'Do you know *for certain* that Ṣāliḥ is one sent by his Lord?' They answered, 'Surely, we believe in that with which he has been sent.'

77. Those who were arrogant said, 'Verily, we do disbelieve in that in which you believe.'

78. Then they hamstrung the she-camel and rebelled against the command of their Lord, and said, 'O Ṣāliḥ, bring us that which thou threatenest us with, if thou art *indeed one* of the Messengers.'

*79. So the earthquake seized them and in their homes they lay prostrate upon the ground.

80. Then Ṣāliḥ turned away from them and said, 'O my people, I did deliver the message of my Lord

فِي أَرْضِ اللَّهِ وَلَا تَمْسُوهَا بِسُوءٍ
فَيَاخُذْكُمْ عَذَابٌ أَلِيمٌ ٤٣

وَإِذْ كُنَّا إِذْ جَعَلَكُمْ خُلَفَاءَ مِنْ بَعْدِ
عَادٍ وَبَوَّأَكُمْ فِي الْأَرْضِ تَتَّخِذُونَ مِنْ
سُهُولِهَا قُصُورًا وَتَنْجِتُونَ الْجِبَالَ
بُيُوتًا فَادْكُرُوا الْآلَاءَ اللَّهِ وَلَا تَعْتُوا
فِي الْأَرْضِ مُفْسِدِينَ ٤٤

قَالَ الْمَلَأُ الَّذِينَ اسْتَكْبَرُوا مِنْ قَوْمِهِ
لِلَّذِينَ اسْتَضَعُّوهُ لِمَنْ أَمِنَ مِنْهُمْ
أَتَعْلَمُونَ أَنَّ صَالِحًا مُرْسَلٌ مِنْ رَبِّهِ
قَالُوا إِنَّا بِمَا أُرْسِلَ بِهِ مُؤْمِنُونَ ٤٥

قَالَ الَّذِينَ اسْتَكْبَرُوا إِنَّا بِالَّذِي
أَمَّنْتُمْ بِهِ كَافِرُونَ ٤٦

فَعَقَرُوا النَّاقَةَ وَعَتَوْا عَنْ أَمْرِ رَبِّهِمْ
وَقَالُوا يُصْلِحُ آبَتُنَا بِمَا عَدَّتْ آيَاتُ
كُنْتَ مِنَ الْمُرْسَلِينَ ٤٧

فَاخَذَتْهُمْ الرِّجْفَةُ فَاصْبَحُوا فِي
دَارِهِمْ جَثِمِينَ ٤٨

فَتَوَلَّى عَنْهُمْ وَقَالَ لِيَقُومُوا لِقَدْ
أَبْلَغْتُكُمْ رَسُولَ رَبِّي وَنَصَحْتُ

*79. Then the earthquake seized them so that they turned into corpses lying prone in their houses.

unto you and offered you sincere counsel, but you love not sincere counsellors.'

81. And *We sent* Lot—when he said to his people, 'Do you commit an abomination such as no one in the world ever did before you?

82. 'You approach men with lust instead of women. Nay, you are a people who exceed *all* bounds.'

83. And the answer of his people was no other than that they said, 'Turn them out of your town, for they are men who would keep pure.'

84. And *We* saved him and his family, except his wife: she was of those who stayed behind.

85. And *We* rained upon them a rain. Now see, what was the end of the sinners!

R. 11.

86. And to Midian *We sent* their brother Shu'aib. He said, 'O my people, worship Allāh; you have no other deity but Him. A clear Sign has indeed come to you from your Lord. So give full measure and full *weight, and diminish not unto people their things, and create not disorder in the earth after it has been set in order. This is better for you, if you are believers.

لَكُمْ وَلَكِنْ لَا تُحِبُّونَ النَّصِيحِينَ ﴿٨٠﴾

وَلَوْ طَا إِذْ قَالَ لِقَوْمِهِ أَتَأْتُونَ الْفَاحِشَةَ

مَا سَبَقَكُمْ بِهَا مِنْ أَحَدٍ مِنَ الْعَالَمِينَ ﴿٨١﴾

إِنَّكُمْ لَتَأْتُونَ الرِّجَالَ شَهْوَةً مِنْ دُونِ

النِّسَاءِ ۚ بَلْ أَنْتُمْ قَوْمٌ مُّسْرِفُونَ ﴿٨٢﴾

وَمَا كَانَ جَوَابَ قَوْمِهِ إِلَّا أَنْ قَالُوا

أَخْرِجُوهُمْ مِنْ قَرْيَتِكُمْ ۖ إِنَّهُمْ أَنْفُسُ

يَتَطَهَّرُونَ ﴿٨٣﴾

فَأَنْجَيْنَاهُ وَأَهْلَهُ إِلَّا امْرَأَتَهُ ۖ كَانَتْ

مِنَ الْغَابِرِينَ ﴿٨٤﴾

وَأَمْطَرْنَا عَلَيْهِمْ مَطَرًا ۖ فَانْظُرْ كَيْفَ

كَانَ عَاقِبَةُ الْمُجْرِمِينَ ﴿٨٥﴾

وَالِى مَذْيَنَ أَخَاهُمْ شُعَيْبًا ۚ قَالَ يٰقَوْمِ

اعْبُدُوا اللَّهَ مَا لَكُمْ مِنْ إِلَهٍ غَيْرُهُ ۚ

قَدْ جَاءَكُمْ بَيِّنَةٌ مِنْ رَبِّكُمْ ۚ فَاتَّقُوا

الْكَيْلَ ۚ وَالْمِيزَانَ وَلَا تَبْخَسُوا النَّاسَ

أَشْيَاءَهُمْ وَلَا تُفْسِدُوا فِي الْأَرْضِ بَعْدَ

إِصْلَاحِهَا ۚ ذَلِكُمْ خَيْرٌ لَكُمْ إِنْ

كُنْتُمْ مُّؤْمِنِينَ ﴿٨٦﴾

*86. and do not give people less than what rightfully belongs to them,