59. And those who malign believing men and believing women for what they have not earned shall bear *the guilt of* a calumny and a manifest sin.

R. 8

- *60. O Prophet! tell thy wives and thy daughters and the women of the believers that they should draw close to them portions of their *loose* outer coverings. That is nearer that they may *thus* be distinguished and not molested. And Allāh is Most Forgiving, Merciful.
- *61. If the hypocrites, and those in whose heart is a disease, and those who cause agitation in the city, desist not, We shall surely give thee authority over them; then they will not dwell therein as thy neighbours, save for a little while.
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 62. Then they will be accursed. وَا اللَّهُ اللَّالَّا اللَّهُ الللَّاللَّا اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّلَّا اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللّ
 - 63. Such has been the way of Allāh in *the case of* those who passed away before, and thou wilt never find a change in the way of Allāh.
 - 64. Men ask thee concerning the Hour. Say, 'The knowledge of it is with Allāh *alone*.' And what will

وَ الَّذِيْنَ يُؤُذُوْنَ الْمُؤْمِنِيْنَ وَ الْمُؤْمِنْتِ بِغَيْرِ مَا اكْتَسَبُوْا فَقَرِ احْتَمَلُوا بُهْتَانًا وَّ إِثْمًا مُّبِيْنًا ﴿ إِلَّا الْتَبِيُّ قُلْ لِّإِزْوَا جِكَ وَ بَنْتِكَ يَاكُيُّهَا النَّبِيُّ قُلْ لِّإِزْوَا جِكَ وَ بَنْتِكَ وَ نِسَاءِ الْمُؤْمِنِيْنَ يُدْنِيْنَ عَلَيْهِنَّ مِنْ حَلَا بِيْبِهِنَّ وَ ذَٰكَ اَذْنَى عَلَيْهِنَّ مِنْ حَلَا بِيْبِهِنَّ وَ ذَٰكَ اَذْنَى اَنْ يُعْرَفْنَ فَلَا

لَكِنْ لَّمْ يَنْتَهِ الْمُنْفِقُونَ وَ الَّذِينَ فِي قُلُوبِهِمْ مَّرَضً وَّ الْمُرْجِفُونَ فِي الْمَرِيْنَةِ لَنُغْرِيَنَّكَ بِهِمْ ثُمَّ لَا يُجَاوِرُونَكَ فِيْهَا لِلَّا قَلِيْلًا أَلَّ

نُؤُذَيْنَ ﴿ وَ كَانَ اللَّهُ غَفُورًا رَّحِنْمًا ١٠

مَّلُعُوْنِيْكَ الْمَيْنَمَا ثُقِفُوٓا اُخِذُوْا اَلَٰ وَقُتِّلُوا تَقْتِيْلًا ﴿

سُنَّةَ اللهِ فِي الَّذِيْنَ خَلَوْا مِنْ قَبْلُ: وَكَنْ تَجِدَ لِسُنَّةِ اللهِ تَبْدِيْلًا ﴿ ثَمَّ يَشَّلُكَ النَّاسُ عَنِ السَّاعَةِ اقُلُ إِنَّمَا عِلْمُهَا عِنْدَ اللهِ ، وَ مَا يُوْرِيْكَ

^{*60.} O Prophet! Tell your wives and your daughters, and the women of the believers, that they should pull down upon them of their outer cloaks from their heads over their faces. That is more likely that they may thus be recognized and not molested.

^{*61.} If the hypocrites, and those in whose hearts there is disease, and those who spread baseless rumours in the city, do not desist, We shall surely make you stand up against them; then they will no longer tarry around you but a little.

make thee know that the Hour may be nigh?

- 65. Allāh has surely cursed the disbelievers, and has prepared for them a burning fire,
- 66. Wherein they will abide for ever. They will find *therein* no friend nor helper.
- 67. On the day when their faces are turned over in the Fire, they will say, 'Oh, would that we had obeyed Allāh and obeyed the Messenger!'
- 68. And they will say, 'Our Lord, we obeyed our chiefs and our great ones and they led us astray from the way.
- 69. 'Our Lord, give them double punishment and curse them with a very great curse.'

R. 9.

- *70. O ye who believe! be not like those who vexed and slandered Moses; but Allāh cleared him of what they spoke *of him*. And he was honourable in the sight of Allāh.
 - 71. O ye who believe! fear Allāh, and say the right word.
- *72. He will bless your works for you and forgive you your sins. And whoso obeys Allāh and His

لَعَلَّ السَّاعَةَ تَكُوْنُ قَرِيْبًا ﴿

اِنَّ اللهُ لَعَنَ الْكُفِرِيْنَ وَ اَعَدَّ لَهُمْ سَعِيْرًا اللهِ

خٰلِدِيْنَ فِيْهَاۤ ٱبَدًا ۦ كَا يَجِدُوْنَ وَلِيَّا وَ لَا نَصِيْرًا شَ

يُوْمَ تُقَلَّبُ وُجُوْهُهُمْ فِ النَّارِ يَقُوْلُوْنَ لِلَيْتَنَ اَطَعْنَا اللهَ وَ اَطَعْنَا الرَّسُولَا@

وَ قَالُوْا رَبَّنَ اِئَّا اَطَعْنَا سَاءَتَنَا وَكُبَرَاءَنَا فَا ضَلُّوْنَا السَّبِيْلَا ۞

رَبَّنَآ اٰتِهِمْ ضِعْفَيْنِ مِنَ الْعَذَابِ وَ الْعَنْهُمْ لَعْنًا كَبِيْرًا ۞

آيَا يُّهَا الَّذِيْنَ أَمَنُوا اتَّقُوا اللَّهَ وَ قُوْلُوْا قَوْلًا سَدِيْدًاكُ

يُّصْلِحْ لَكُمْ اَعْمَالَكُمْ وَ يَغْفِرْلَكُمْ ذُنُوْبِكُمْ ﴿ وَمَنْ يُطِعِ اللهُ وَرَسُولَهُ

^{*70.} O ye who believe! Be not like those who vexed *and slandered* Moses; Allāh cleared him of what they spoke *of him*.

^{*72.} He will reform your conduct for you and forgive you your sins.

Messenger, shall surely attain a mighty success.

73. Verily, We offered the Trust to the heavens and the earth and the mountains, but they refused to bear at and were afraid of it. But man bore it. Indeed, he is capable of being unjust to, and neglectful of, himself.

74. The result is that Allāh will punish hypocritical men and hypocritical women, and idolatrous men and idolatrous women; and Allāh turns in mercy to believing men and believing women; and Allāh is Most Forgiving, Merciful.

فَقَدْ فَازَ فَوْزًا عَظِيْمًا ۞

إِنَّا عَرَضْنَا الْاَ مَانَةَ عَلَى السَّمُوْتِ
وَ الْاَرْضِ وَ الْجِبَالِ فَاكِيْثَ آثُ
يَحْمِلْنَهَا وَ الشَّفَقْنَ مِنْهَا وَحَمَلَهَا
الْإِنْسَانُ ﴿ إِنَّهُ كَانَ ظَلُومًا جَهُولًا ﴿
لِيْعَزِّبَ اللَّهُ الْمُنْفِقِيْنَ وَ الْمُنْفِقْتِ
وَ الْمُشْرِكِيْنَ وَ الْمُشْرِكْتِ وَيَتُوْبَ
اللهُ عَلَى الْمُؤْمِنِيْنَ وَ الْمُؤْمِنِيْنَ وَ الْمُؤْمِنْتِ ﴿
وَكَانَ اللهُ عَلَى الْمُؤْمِنِيْنَ وَ الْمُؤْمِنِيْنَ وَ الْمُؤْمِنْتِ ﴿

*73. But the man bore it. Indeed he was too cruel to himself, unmindful of the consequences.