

the way of Allāh—He will never render their works vain.

*6. He will guide them and improve their condition,

*7. And admit them into the Garden which He has made known to them.

8. O ye who believe! if you help *the cause of Allāh*, He will help you and will make your steps firm.

9. But *as for* those who disbelieve, perdition is their *lot*; and He will make their works vain.

10. That is because they hate what Allāh has revealed; so He has made their works futile.

11. Have they not travelled in the earth and seen what was the end of those who were before them? Allāh *utterly* destroyed them, and for the disbelievers there will be the like thereof.

12. That is because Allāh is the Protector of those who believe, and as for the disbelievers, there is no protector for them.

R. 2.

13. Verily, Allāh will make those who believe and do good works enter the Gardens underneath which rivers flow; while those who disbelieve enjoy themselves and eat even as the cattle eat, and the Fire will be their resort.

يُضِلُّ أَعْمَالَهُمْ ⑤

سَيَهْدِيهِمْ وَيُصْلِحُ بَالَهُمْ ⑥

وَيُدْخِلُهُمُ الْجَنَّةَ عَرَفَهَا لَهُمْ ⑦

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا إِن تَنْصُرُوا اللَّهَ

يَنْصُرْكُمْ وَيُثَبِّتْ أَقْدَامَكُمْ ⑧

وَالَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا فَتَعْسًا لَهُمْ وَأَضَلَّ

أَعْمَالَهُمْ ⑨

ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّهُمْ كَرِهُوا مَا أَنْزَلَ اللَّهُ

فَاخْبَطَ أَعْمَالَهُمْ ⑩

أَفَلَمْ يَسِيرُوا فِي الْأَرْضِ فَيَنْظُرُوا

كَيْفَ كَانَ عَاقِبَةُ الَّذِينَ مِنْ

قَبْلِهِمْ ؕ دَمَّرَ اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِمْ

وَالْكَافِرِينَ أَمْثَالَهَا ⑪

ذَلِكَ بِأَنَّ اللَّهَ مَوْلَى الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا

وَأَنَّ الْكَافِرِينَ لَا مَوْلَى لَهُمْ ⑫

إِنَّ اللَّهَ يُدْخِلُ الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا

الصَّالِحَاتِ جَنَّاتٍ تَجْرِي مِنْ تَحْتِهَا

الْأَنْهَارُ ؕ وَالَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا يَكْمَثُونَ

وَيَأْكُلُونَ كَمَا تَأْكُلُ الْأَنْعَامُ

وَالنَّارُ مَثْوًى لَهُمْ ⑬

*6. He will guide them and **reform their conduct**.

*7. And admit them into the Garden which He beautified and made distinguished for them.

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14. And how many a township, more powerful than thy town which has driven thee out, have We destroyed, and they had no helper!

وَكَايِنٍ مِّنْ قَرْيَةٍ هِيَ أَشَدُّ قُوَّةً
مِّنْ قَرْيَتِكَ الَّتِي أَخْرَجْتكَ
أَهْلَكْنَاهُمْ فَلَا نَاصِرَ لَهُمْ ۝١٣

15. Is he then who stands upon a clear proof from his Lord like those to whom the evil of their deeds is made to look beautiful and who follow their evil inclinations?

أَفَمَن كَانَ عَلَىٰ بَيِّنَةٍ مِّن رَّبِّهِ
كَمَن زُيِّنَ لَهُ سُوءُ عَمَلِهِ وَاتَّبَعُوا
أَهْوَاءَهُمْ ۝١٤

16. A description of the Garden promised to the righteous: therein are rivers of water which corrupts not; and rivers of milk of which the taste changes not; and rivers of wine, a delight to those who drink, and rivers of clarified honey. And in it will they have all kinds of fruit, and forgiveness from their Lord. Can those who enjoy such bliss be like those who abide in the Fire and who are given boiling water to drink so that it tears their bowels?

مَثَلُ الْجَنَّةِ الَّتِي وُعدَ الْمُتَّقُونَ ۖ
فِيهَا أَنْهَارٌ مِّنْ مَّاءٍ غَيْرِ آسِنٍ ۖ
وَأَنْهَارٌ مِّنْ لَّبَنٍ لَّمْ يَتَغَيَّرْ طَعْمُهُ ۖ
وَأَنْهَارٌ مِّنْ خَمْرٍ لَّذَّةٍ لِلشَّارِبِينَ ۖ
وَأَنْهَارٌ مِّنْ عَسَلٍ مُّصَفًّى ۖ وَلَهُمْ فِيهَا
مِن كُلِّ الثَّمَرَاتِ وَمَغْفِرَةٌ مِّن رَّبِّهِمْ ۖ
كَمَن هُوَ خَالِدٌ فِي النَّارِ وَسُقُوا مَاءً
حَمِيمًا فَقَطَّعَ أَمْعَاءَهُمْ ۝١٥

17. And among them are some who listen to thee till, when they go forth from thy presence, they say to those who have been given knowledge, 'What has he been talking about just now?' These are they whose hearts Allāh has sealed, and who follow their own evil inclinations.

وَمِنْهُمْ مَّن يَسْتَمِعُ إِلَيْكَ ۖ حَتَّىٰ
إِذَا خَرَجُوا مِنْ عِنْدِكَ قَالُوا لِلَّذِينَ
أُوتُوا الْعِلْمَ مَاذَا قَالَ آنِفًا ۚ أُولَٰئِكَ
الَّذِينَ طَبَعَ اللَّهُ عَلَىٰ قُلُوبِهِمْ
وَاتَّبَعُوا أَهْوَاءَهُمْ ۝١٦

18. But as for those who follow guidance, He adds to their guidance, and bestows on them their righteousness.

وَالَّذِينَ اهْتَدَوْا زَادَهُمْ هُدًى
وَأَتَتْهُمْ تَقْوَاهُمْ ۝١٧

19. They wait not but for the Hour, that it should come upon them suddenly. The signs thereof have already come. But *of* what *avail* will their admonition be to them when it has *actually* come upon them?

فَهَلْ يَنْظُرُونَ إِلَّا السَّاعَةَ أَنْ تَأْتِيَهُمْ
بَغْتَةً ۖ فَكَدْ جَاءَ أَشْرَاطُهَا ۚ فَأَنَّى
لَهُمْ إِذَا جَاءَتْهُمْ ذِكْرُهُمْ ﴿١٩﴾

20. Know, therefore, that there is no god other than Allāh, and ask forgiveness for thy frailties, and for believing men and believing women. And Allāh knows the place where you move about and the place where you stay.

فَاعْلَمْ أَنَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَاسْتَغْفِرْ
لِذُنُوبِكَ وَلِلْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ ۚ
وَاللَّهُ يَعْلَمُ مُتَقَلَّبَكُمْ وَمَثْوَاكُمْ ﴿٢٠﴾

R. 3.

21. And those who believe say, 'Why is not a Sūrah revealed?' But when a decisive Sūrah is revealed and fighting is mentioned therein, *thou seest those in whose hearts is a disease looking towards thee with the look of one who is fainting on account of *approaching* death. So ruin seize them!

وَيَقُولُ الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا لَوْ لَا نُزِّلَتْ
سُورَةٌ ۚ فَإِذَا نُزِّلَتْ سُورَةٌ مُحْكَمَةٌ
وَذُكِرَ فِيهَا الْقِتَالُ ۖ رَأَيْتَ الَّذِينَ
فِي قُلُوبِهِمْ مَرَضٌ يَنْظُرُونَ إِلَيْكَ
نَظَرَ الْمَغْشِيِّ عَلَيْهِ مِنَ الْمَوْتِ ۚ
فَأُولَئِكَ لَهُمْ ﴿٢١﴾

22. Obedience and a kind word *is better for them*. And when the matter is determined upon, it is good for them if they were true to Allāh.

طَاعَةٌ وَقَوْلٌ مَعْرُوفٌ ۚ فَإِذَا عَزَمَ
الْأَمْرُ ۚ فَلَوْ صَدَقُوا اللَّهَ لَكَانَ خَيْرًا
لَّهُمْ ﴿٢٢﴾

23. Would you then, if you are placed in authority, create disorder in the land and sever your ties of kinship?

فَهَلْ عَسَيْتُمْ إِنْ تَوَلَّيْتُمْ أَنْ تُفْسِدُوا
فِي الْأَرْضِ وَتَقَطَّعُوا أَرْحَامَكُمْ ﴿٢٣﴾
أُولَئِكَ الَّذِينَ لَعَنَهُمُ اللَّهُ فَأَصَمَّهُمْ
وَأَعَمَّى أَبْصَارَهُمْ ﴿٢٤﴾

24. It is these whom Allāh curses so that He makes them deaf and makes their eyes blind.

*21. you will see those whose hearts are diseased looking at you with a look of one dazed by the shadow cast upon him by death. So ruin seize them!

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