

ASSIGNMENT

Week - 5

Question 1:

TRANSLATION:

They ask you 'O Prophet' regarding the spoils of war. Say, "Their distribution is decided by Allah and his Messenger. So be mindful of Allah, settle your affairs, and obey Allah and His Messenger if you are 'true' believers?"

Question 2:

Long Question:

Ans:

Surah Anfal is a Madni Surah and it is the 8th chapter of the Holy Quran, located in the 9th and 10th Juz. It consists of 75 verses. The name of this surah has been derived from the word "Anfal", used twice in its first word.

Main Subject:

The main subject of Surah Al-Anfal is "Describing the manners and virtues of Jihad in the way of Allah."

and the principles of peace and war."

Basic Subjects:

The Surah includes different topics and contains many commandments for Muslims such as financial matters, including the spoils of war, the battle of Badr and its lessons, the characteristics of the believers, the rulings of Jihad and the duties of the Muslims towards the enemy, the ~~Prophets~~ Prophet (Peace Be Upon Him)'s migration from Makkah to Madina, the state of the polytheists and their superstitions before Islam, the rulings of the Khums and how it has to be distributed, the necessity of military, social and political preparation for Jihad in every time and place, the superiority of the Muslims over the enemy despite the former's lower ~~number~~ number, the rulings regarding the captives and the right ~~of~~ behaviour towards them, making a pact ~~with~~ with the polytheists and fulfilling it, fighting with the hypocrites and how to recognize them.

General Standards of War:

Moreover, the Surah states the general standards of war and states how these standards are to be used for the ethical preparation of Muslims ~~in the~~ as ~~an~~ this ~~is~~ is an incredible battle. The Battle of Badr teaches humbleness rather than bragging over the triumph,

the ethical ~~shortcomings~~ shortcomings that had risen to the top in that endeavor have been called attention to with the goal that Muslims should attempt their best to change themselves. By this surah, it has been inculcated in the Muslims that the victory is only because of the accomplishment of Allah Almighty preferably over to their valor and dauntlessness so the Muslims ought to figure out how to depend on Allah Almighty and His ~~Rasool~~ Prophet (PBUH).

Topics of Surah Anfal:

The ~~st~~ subjects of Surah Anfal can be described in points as follows:

- The beginning of the Surah:

At the beginning of the Surah, Muslims are taught piety, obedience to the truth, remembrance of God and trust in Allah.

- Attributes of the true Believers: ~~At~~ ~~At~~

At the beginning and the end of the Surah, the attributes of the true believers ~~are~~ are described and the ~~best~~ blessings from Allah have also been mentioned.

- Battle of Badr:

In the Battle of Badr, the unseen help of Allah through the descent of angels is mentioned.

◦ Obeying Allah:

The order of worshipping Allah and the Holy Prophet (PBUH) has been given with great emphasis.

◦ Persisting in Jihad:

Along with the exhortation to persist in Jihad, instructions have been given about how to keep relations with the disbelievers.

◦ Mutual Disputes:

A warning is given of the bad consequences of mutual quarrels and differences.

◦ The Character of the ~~Pharaoh~~ Pharaoh:

The people of ~~the~~ Makkah have been warned, ~~about~~ the people of the Pharaoh have also been warned about the sameness of their role and their end.

◦ ~~Peace~~ Peace and War:

Comprehensive instructions have been given regarding the laws of peace and war and prisoners of war.

◦ Prophet's Migration:

At the time of Migration to Madinah, Allah's measures have been mentioned regarding the Prophet's safety.

◦ Exhortation to Migrate =

Apart from Madinah, Muslims residing in other areas have also been advised to migrate and come to Madinah.

Important Points =

◦ External Resources:

Trusting in the Self of Allah rather than external resources and entrusting one's affairs to Allah is the success of man guaranteed.

◦ Blessings of Allah:

Remembering the blessings of Allah Almighty creates a feeling of gratitude.

◦ Wealth and Children:

Exceeding in the limit of ~~love~~ in the love of wealth and children is a cause of temptation.

◦ Right and Wrong:

As a result of the conflict between right and wrong, a difference is established ~~between~~ between the people of truth and the people of falsehood.

◦ The Religion of Islam:

The main purpose of Jihad in Islam is the end of fitna and the dominance of its religion on the earth of Allah.

◦ Open Enemy:

Satan is the open enemy of man and he makes his evil deeds beautiful.

◦ Requirements of Times :

Allah has instructed the believers to be ready at all times to face the ~~existing~~ enemies and to meet the demands and needs of every age and the production and supply of war equipment has been ordered accordingly.

◦ Children of faith:

The Children of Faith are those who migrate in the way of Allah Almighty and do Jihad in His way. They wish each other well and help each other in times of need.