

Qur'anic Verses About Prophet Muhammad (ﷺ): Role, Character, Authority & Special Rulings

This handout gathers verses that speak *about* the Messenger of Allah (Prophet Muhammad, ﷺ)—his mission, character, authority, support, status, and special rulings—beyond simple direct addresses. It's organized by theme with concise summaries for teaching and study. (References use the standard surah:verse notation.)

1) Mission & Scope

Surah / Verse	Summary
21:107 (al-Anbiyﷻ)	Sent only as mercy to all worlds.
34:28 (Sabaﷻ)	Sent to all humanity as bearer of good news and warner.
7:158 (al-A'rafﷻ)	Say: O mankind, I am the Messenger of Allah to you all.
25:1 (al-Furqanﷻ)	Criterion sent upon His servant to be a warner to the worlds.
48:8 (al-Fatḥﷻ)	Sent as witness, bringer of good tidings, and warner.
33:45–46 (al-Ahzabﷻ)	Witness, bearer, warner, caller to Allah by His permission, and an illuminating lamp.
33:40 (al-Ahzabﷻ)	Seal of the Prophets—the final prophet.

2) Teaching & Guidance

Surah / Verse	Summary
2:151 (al-Baqarah)	Recites verses, purifies, and teaches the Book and wisdom.
3:164 (al-Imranﷻ)	Allah's favor: a messenger to recite, purify, and teach.
62:2 (al-Jumu'ah)	Among the unlettered: recitation, purification, teaching.
42:52 (ash-Shuraﷻ)	Revelation made a light; he guides by it.
53:3–4 (an-Najm)	He does not speak from desire—what he says is revelation.
75:16–19 (al-Qiyamah)	Etiquette of receiving revelation—do not hasten; Allah will explain.
87:6–7 (al-Alaﷻ)	Allah will make him recite and not forget (except what Allah wills).
73:1–5; 73:20 (al-Muzzammil)	Night prayer and bearing the “heavy word” of revelation.
74:1–7 (al-Muddaththir)	Rise and warn; magnify your Lord; be steadfast.

3) Judging & Authority

Surah / Verse	Summary
4:105 (an-Nisaﷻ)	Book sent so he may judge by what Allah showed him.
5:48–50 (al-Maidah)	Judge by what Allah revealed; Qur'an as criterion.
4:65 (an-Nisaﷻ)	True faith requires making him judge—with full acceptance.
4:59 (an-Nisaﷻ)	Obey Allah and the Messenger; refer disputes to them.
4:80 (an-Nisaﷻ)	Obeying the Messenger is obeying Allah.
59:7 (al-Ashr)	What the Messenger gives—take; what he forbids—abstain.
3:31 (al-Imranﷻ)	Following him is proof of loving Allah; earns love and forgiveness.

3:132 (■ ■ ■ Imr ■ ■ ■ n)	Obey Allah and the Messenger so you may receive mercy.
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4) Character & Example

Surah / Verse	Summary
68:4 (al-Qalam)	He is upon a great moral character.
33:21 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	Beautiful example for those who hope in Allah and the Last Day.
9:128 (at-Tawbah)	Grieved by believers' hardship; kind and merciful to the faithful.
7:199 (al-A ■ ■ r ■ ■ f)	Pardon, enjoin good, and turn away from the ignorant.
48:29 (al-Fat ■ ■ ■)	"Muhammad is the Messenger of Allah..."; describes his Companions and community's ethos.

5) Protection, Support & Victory

Surah / Verse	Summary
5:67 (al-M ■ ■ ■ idah)	Convey fully—Allah will protect you from the people.
15:95 (al- ■ ■ ijr)	Allah will suffice him against the mockers.
8:64 (al-Anf ■ ■ ■ l)	Allah suffices the Prophet and the believers who follow him.
48:1–3 (al-Fat ■ ■ ■)	Clear victory; forgiveness and completion of favor.
110:1–3 (an-Na ■ ■ ■ r)	Allah's help and victory; glorify and seek forgiveness.

6) Status & Blessings

Surah / Verse	Summary
33:56 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	Allah and the angels send blessings; believers commanded to do so.
94:1–4 (ash-Shar ■ ■ ■)	Expanded breast, burden lifted, renown raised.
48:2 (al-Fat ■ ■ ■)	Forgiveness of what preceded and what followed; favor perfected.
108:1–3 (al-Kawthar)	Gift of al-Kawthar; command to pray and sacrifice.
17:79 (al-Isr ■ ■ ■ ■ ■)	Extra night prayer; promised the praised station (maq ■ ■ ■ m ma ■ ■ ■ m ■ ■ ■ d).

7) Special Rulings & Household (Kha ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ i ■ ■ & Adab)

Surah / Verse	Summary
33:6 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	The Prophet is closer to believers than themselves; his wives are their mothers.
33:28–34 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	Guidance for the Prophet's wives and his household.
33:32 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	Wives of the Prophet are not like other women.
33:50–52 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	Special marital rulings unique to him.
33:53 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	Etiquette with his home; prohibition to marry his wives after him.
33:37–38 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	Marriage to Zaynab; abolishing pre-Islamic taboos; no blame for what Allah made lawful.
33:59 (al-A ■ ■ z ■ ■ b)	Jilb ■ ■ ■ b guidance for his wives/daughters and believing women.
49:1–3 (al- ■ ■ ujur ■ ■ ■ t)	Do not precede Allah and His Messenger; lower voices before him.
24:62–63 (an-N ■ ■ ■ r)	Etiquette in his assemblies; do not treat his call like ordinary calls.

8) Repentance & Supplication with Him

Surah / Verse	Summary
4:64 (an-Nisā)	If they wrong themselves and come to the Messenger seeking forgiveness—and he seeks forgiveness for them—then they will be forgiven. And he seeks forgiveness for them.
9:103 (at-Tawbah)	Take charity from them and pray for them; his prayer brings tranquility.

9) Mortality & Admonitions (Humanity of the Messenger)

Surah / Verse	Summary
3:144 (al-Imrān)	Muhammad is but a messenger; other messengers passed away—faith does not hinge on his life.
66:1 (at-Takwīm)	Why prohibit what Allah made lawful? A gentle correction.
9:43 (at-Tawbah)	“May Allah pardon you; why did you give them leave?” Instruction and guidance.
80:1–10 (al-Abasa)	He frowned and turned away—prioritize sincere seekers.
17:73–75 (al-Isrā)	Warning against compromise; firmly supported by Allah.