

Lesson 27

Making جملة اسمية Restrictive (only)

To make جملة اسمية Restrictive follow the two steps below.

1. Put a ضمير between مبتدا and خبر, the ضمير should be agreeing the مبتدا.
2. Make the خبر definite (معرفة).

Example:

الْقُرْآنُ هُوَ الْحَقُّ	اللَّهُ هُوَ الْغَفُورُ
The Quran is the only truth	Allah is the one All forgiving
أُولَئِكَ هُمُ الْمُفْلِحُونَ	إِنَّ اللَّهَ هُوَ الْغَفُورُ
It is just these who are successful	Indeed Allah is the one All forgiving
إِنَّهُمْ هُمُ السَّفَهَاءُ	إِنَّهُمْ هُمُ الْمُفْسِدُونَ
It is, in fact, they who are the fools	Verily! They are the ones who make mischief
وَإِنَّ الدَّارَ الْآخِرَةَ لَهِيَ الْحَيَوَانُ	هَذَا هُوَ كِتَابُكَ
Verily, the home of the Hereafter, that is the life indeed	This is your book

Lesson 28

Making جملة اسمية Negative

The particles **إِنَّ** , **لَا** , **لَيْسَ** , **مَا** are used at the beginning of جملة اسمية to make the جملة اسمية negative.

لَيْسَ or **مَا** puts خبر - khabr in حالة نصب i.e. in accusative case. After the introduction of **لَيْسَ** or **مَا** the مبتدا - mubtada is no longer called مبتدا - mubtada, but is instead, called ismu-maa اسم / ismu-lysa ليس اسم and the خبر is khabru-maa خبر ليس / khabru-lysa خبر ليس

The اسم after **لَا** is always نكرة.

Examples:

Zaid is pious	زَيْدٌ صَالِحٌ
Zaid is not a pious	مَا زَيْدٌ صَالِحًا
Zaid is not a pious man	لَيْسَ زَيْدٌ صَالِحًا
He is not a human	مَا هُوَ بَشَرًا
This is not a human	مَا هَذَا بَشَرًا
They are not their mothers	مَا هُنَّ أُمَّهَاتُهُمْ
There is no boy who is hard working	لَا وَلَدٌ مُّجْتَهِدًا
the boy is not hard working	إِنَّ الْوَلَدَ صَالِحًا

When there is **لا نفي** جنس **لا** after **نكرة منصوب**, the **لا** is called **لا نفي** it negates the category totally.

Examples:

There is no God but Allah	لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ	has no doubt in it	لَا رَيْبَ فِيهِ
	وَمَنْ يَضِلَّ فَلَا هَادِيَ لَهُ		مَنْ يَهْدِيَ اللَّهُ فَلَا مُضِلَّ لَهُ

The combination of **حرف نفي** and **إِلَّا** for emphatic.

Examples:

Mohammad (SAW) is not but a messenger	مَا مُحَمَّدٌ إِلَّا رَسُولٌ	There is no god but Allah	لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ
This is none other than a noble angel!	إِنْ هَذَا إِلَّا مَلَكٌ كَرِيمٌ	There will be no food for them except from a thorny plant	لَيْسَ لَهُمْ طَعَامٌ إِلَّا مِنْ ضَرِيعٍ

Making **جملة اسمية** Emphatic Negative

In **جملة اسمية** Negative use **حرف جار ب** with **خبر** to make **جملة اسمية** emphatic negative.

And indeed Allâh is not unaware	وَمَا اللَّهُ بِغَافِلٍ
Indeed they are not believers	مَا هُمْ بِمُؤْمِنِينَ
Indeed Zaid is not a pious man	مَا زَيْدٌ بِصَالِحٍ
Indeed Zaid is not sitting	لَيْسَ زَيْدٌ بِجَالِسٍ