

JUZ (PART) - 17 – *iqtaraba linnas* [Drew near the mankind...]

21. AL-ANBIYAA' [The Prophets] (Rukus-7; Verses-112)

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| 1 | The Day of Accountability is getting closer, but the disbelievers are still heedless to admonition and dispute as to how Rasool can be a human being? | 21:[1-10] |
| 2 | Prior nations were destroyed due to similar iniquities. The creation of the heavens and earth is not a game. If there were more than One God, the heavens and earth would have been in a state of disorder. All Rasools were sent with the same Message; "There is no god but Allah, so worship Him Alone." | 21:[11-15] 21:[16-18] 21:[19-24] 21:[25-29] |
| 3 | The skies and earth once were one mass, Allah split them asunder, and He created all living things from water. Allah has not granted immortality to any human being. If Rasools are destined to die, how disbelievers are going to live for ever! | 21:[30-33] 21:[34-41] |
| 4 | Invented gods can not even defend themselves, how they will defend the unbelievers against Allah? Scale of justice shall be set up on the Day of Judgment. Musa was given Al-Furqân (<i>the criterion of right and wrong</i>), so is this Qur'an. | 21:[42-47] 21:[48-50] |
| 5 | Ibrâheem questioned the idol worshipping of his father and his people. Ibrâheem broke all their idols to show, that the gods who can not even defend themselves, how they can be of any benefit to them. They decided to burn him alive but Allah commanded the fire to be cool and comfortable for Ibrâheem. Allah blessed Ibrâheem with a son (<i>Ishâq</i>) and then a grandson (<i>Ya'qoob</i>) and made each of them Prophets. | 21:[51-71] 21:[72-75] |
| 6 | Allah accepted the prayer of Nûh against the unbelievers. Allah blessed Prophets Daûd and Sulaimân with wisdom, knowledge and kingdoms. Allah accepted the Prophet Ayûb's prayer and removed his affliction. Allah accepted the prayers and blessed Prophets Isma`il, Zulkifl, Yûnus, Zakariyya and also blessed Maryam. Mankind is but one brotherhood. | 21:[76-77] 21:[78-82] 21:[83-84] 21:[85-91] 21:[92-93] |
| 7 | Whoever does good deeds, provided he is a believer, his endeavor will not be rejected. The Day of Judgment, and the fate of the disbelievers and the believers. Allah has sent Muhammad (pbuh) as a blessing for all the worlds (<i>Humans, Jinns and others</i>). | 21:[94-97] 21:[98-106] 21:[107-112] |

22. AL-HAJJ [The Pilgrimage] (Rukus-10; Verses-78)

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| 1 | A scene from the Hour of Doom. Life cycle, life in this world and the life in the Hereafter. People invoke other deities besides Allah, without knowledge and guidance. | 22:[1-4] 22:[5-7] 22:[8-10] |
| 2 | Behavior of those who are standing at the verge of faith. Allah always helps His Rasools. All the dwellers of the heavens and the earth prostrate before Allah. The disbelievers will have garments of fire, boiling water to drink and maces of iron to lash them with. | 22:[11-14] 22:[15-18] 22:[19-22] |
| 3 | Allah has given equal rights to all believers at Masjid-al-Harâm, whether they are natives or foreigners. | 22:[23-25] |
| 4 | Allah identified the site of Sacred House to Ibrâheem, commanded him to built the Ka'bah, then call mankind to come for Hajj (<i>Pilgrimage</i>). Committing shirk is as though he had fallen from the sky and his body is snatched away by birds. | 22:[26-30] 22:[31-33] |
| 5 | It is not the meat or the blood of the sacrificed animals that reaches Allah, it is your piety that reaches Him. | 22:[34-38] |
| 6 | Permission is granted to the believers to fight in self defence, and for the cause of Allah. O Muhammad, "you are not the only one being denied, all Prophets were denied before you." A day of your Rabb is equal to one thousand years of your calculation. | 22:[39-41] 22:[42-45] 22:[46-48] |
| 7 | Acceptors of Truth shall be forgiven, while others punished. Shaitân tampered with the wishes of all Rasools but Allah abrogated such interjection and On the Day of Judgment, Allah Himself shall be the Judge for all. | 22:[49-51] 22:[52-57] |
| 8 | Those who migrated for the sake of Allah shall be generously rewarded and Allah is the only One who is real, all other deities are false. | 22:[58-64] |
| 9 | Allah is the One Who has given you life, causes you to die and will bring you back to life for passing on His Judgment. Allah will judge between you concerning those matters in which you differ. | 22:[65-67] 22:[68-72] |
| 10 | So-called gods besides Allah have no power to create even a creature like a fly. Allah named the believers as Muslims in the prior Scriptures and also in this (<i>Qur'an</i>). | 22:[73-74] 22:[75-78] |