



وَدَّ كَثِيرٌ مِّنْ أَهْلِ الْكِتَابِ

from (the) People (of) the Book	Wish[ed] many
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لَوْ يَرُدُّونَكُمْ مِّنْ بَعْدِ إِيمَانِكُمْ كُفَّارًا حَسَدًا مِّنْ عِنْدِ

from	(out of) jealousy	(to) disbelievers,	your (having) faith	after	if they could turn you back
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أَنْفُسِهِمْ مِّنْ بَعْدِ مَا تَبَيَّنَ لَهُمُ الْحَقُّ فَاعْفُوا

So forgive	the truth.	to them,	[what] became clear	(even) after	themselves,
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وَاصْفَحُوا حَتَّىٰ يَأْتِيَ اللَّهُ بِأَمْرِهِ إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ

on everything	indeed Allah	His Command,	Allah brings	until	and overlook
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قَدِيرٌ ۚ وَأَقِيمُوا الصَّلَاةَ وَآتُوا الزَّكَاةَ وَمَا تَقَدَّمُوا

you send forth	and whatever	and give [the] Zakah.	And establish the prayer	(is) All-Powerful.
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لِأَنْفُسِكُمْ مِّنْ خَيْرٍ تَجِدُوهُ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ إِنَّ اللَّهَ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ بَصِيرٌ ۚ

(is) All-Seer.	of what you do	Indeed Allah	with Allah.	you will find it	of good (deeds),	for yourselves
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### Brief Explanation:

- **حَسَدًا مِّنْ عِنْدِ أَنْفُسِهِمْ...**: Why did the people of the book develop jealousy? They were the People of the Book. Before the Prophet's arrival, they had a unique leadership position among the Arabs. They wanted a Prophet from among them, but this didn't happen.
- Out of their arrogance they refrained from accepting Islam. They knew the truth, the virtue, the greatness of the teachings brought by Muhammad ﷺ.
- They were jealous of the fact that Muslims were developing into a noble and a dominant society. They wanted Muslims to go back to their old religion.
- **Imagine** a person who lost his leadership because of his arrogance. He will have an evil attitude. He will always wish that, "Since I'm failing everyone should fail."
- Forgive them and overlook. Focus on your work.
- **حَتَّىٰ يَأْتِيَ اللَّهُ بِأَمْرِهِ...**: Allah will take the necessary action against the enemies. He has all the power. He is just giving them time to correct themselves.
- **وَأَقِيمُوا الصَّلَاةَ...**: Focus on improving yourselves by performing Salah the best way, giving charity, and doing good deeds. Worry about what you have done for the hereafter.
- **إِنَّ اللَّهَ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ بَصِيرٌ**: Keep the feeling alive that Allah is watching you at all times and in all situations.

**Hadith:** Narrated Ibn `Abbas رضي الله عنه: The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم sent Mu`adh to Yemen and said, "Invite the people to testify that none has the right to be worshipped but Allah and I am Allah's Messenger صلى الله عليه وسلم and if they obey you to do so, then teach them that Allah has enjoined on them five prayers in every day and night (in twenty-four hours), and if they obey you to do so, then teach them that Allah has made it obligatory for them to pay the Zakat from their property and it is to be taken from the wealthy among them and given to the poor." (Bukhari, 1395)

**Lessons, Du'aas, and Plans:** Many lessons, Du'as, and plans can be derived from these ayaat. Below are some examples.

- Don't consume your energies by worrying about people's negative attitude.
- Focus on how to improve yourselves by doing good deeds.
- Keep the feeling alive that Allah is watching us all times and in all situations.

**Du'a:** O Allah! Help us to focus on improving ourselves instead of just talking about enemies and conspiracies.

**Plan:** InshaAllah! I will identify deficiencies in my life and make plans to improve myself and the society.

**Nouns and Verbs:** For ease in practice, search only 3-letter sound verbs in the verses and practice their 6 keys. Again, from the start, search for the 3-letter weak verbs and practice their 6 keys. Finally, look for Mazeed Feeh verbs from the start and practice their 6 keys.

Verbs: Practice the 3 verb keys and the 3 noun keys for each verb given below using TPI.								Nouns			
Meaning	Name of action	اسم مفعول	اسم فاعل	فعل امر	فعل مضارع	فعل ماخض	Root & Code	Rep.	Meaning	Plural	Singular
to overlook	صَفَحَ	مَصْفُوحٌ	صَافِحٌ	اِصْفَحْ	يَصْفَحُ	صَفَحَ	ص ف ح ف	8	command	أُمُورٌ	أَمْرٌ
to see	بَصَرَ	مَبْصُورٌ	بَصِيرٌ	أَبْصُرْ	يَبْصُرُ	بَصُرَ	ب ص ر ك	66	prayer	صَلَوَاتٌ	صَلَاةٌ
to forgive	عَفُوَ	مَعْفُورٌ	عَافٍ	أَعْفُ	يَعْفُو	عَفَا	ع ف و د	30			
to come	إِتْيَانٌ	مَأْتِيٌّ	إِتٍ	إِئْتِ	يَأْتِي	أَتَى	أ ت ي هـ	275			
to wish	مَوَدَّةٌ	مَوْدُودٌ	وَادٌّ	وَدِّ	يَوُدُّ	وَدَّ	و د د مـ	25			
to turn back	رَدٌّ	مَرْدُودٌ	رَادٌّ	رُدِّ	يَرُدُّ	رَدَّ	ر د د ظنـ	44			
to become clear	تَبَيَّنَ	مُتَبَيِّنٌ	مُتَبَيِّنٌ	تَبَيَّنْ	يَتَبَيَّنُ	تَبَيَّنَ	ب ي ن تـ	18			
to send forth	تَقْدِيمٌ	مُقَدَّمٌ	مُقَدِّمٌ	قَدِّمْ	يُقَدِّمُ	قَدَّمَ	ق د م عـ	27			