



AL-DHUHA - THE SOOTHING MORNING LIGHT

CONSOLATION AND COMFORT TO THE PROPHET AFTER A PAUSE IN REVELATION PROMISING AN AWESOME FUTURE AND CONTINUOUS SUPPORT FOR THE MISSION CARE AND PROTECTION OF DIVINITY

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THREE CONCLUDING STATEMENTS

1. Do not be domineering over orphans
2. Do not rebuke and humiliate the one who asks of you
3. Acknowledge Allah's innumerable blessings by sharing them

Ayaat 9-11

REMINDER OF ALLAH'S LIMITLESS GRACE TO THE PROPHET IN PROTECTION, GUIDANCE AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT

- The protection of Abu Talib when he was an orphan
- Divine guidance when he was seeking
- Khadija's wealth at his disposal to support the Prophetic mission



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Ayaat 6-8

CONSOLATION AND COMFORT TO THE PROPHET

- Pause in revelation did not mean that he was forsaken
- Awesome future promised
- Support in Prophetic mission



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Ayaat 3-5

TWO OATHS

1. Two contrasting phenomena
2. Morning brightness and silent darkness alluding to revelation and the stillness in the pause

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Ayaat 1-2

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FOCUS

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DID YOU KNOW?

BOTH THIS SURAH AND THE NEXT (AL INSHIRAAH) OVERLAP TO A DEGREE THAT THEY CAN BE COMBINED AND RECITED IN THE SAME RAKAA'A WITHOUT THE INTERVENING BISMILLAH..)

THE SURAS FOCUS ON THE PROPHET AND IN BOTH THE PROPHET IS DIRECTLY ADDRESSED NINE TIMES

SELECTED AYAAT

- 93:3 Your Rabb has not forsaken you nor is He unhappy with you.
 93:4 And the future will be better for you than the past.
 93:5 Your Rabb will surely grant you (ease in the difficulties of his mission).

NARRATIVE

THE CHAPTER BEGINS WITH AN OATH ON THE SOOTHING MORNING LIGHT AKIN TO REVELATION. THE NEXT OATH IS ABOUT THE STILLNESS OF THE NIGHT WHEN IT COMES ALLUDING TO THE PERIOD OF TIME WHEN THERE WAS A PAUSE IN REVELATION WHICH SADDENED THE PROPHET.

THE WIFE OF ABU LAHAB - UMM JAMEELA TAUNTED HIM TELLING HIM THAT HIS GOD HAD FORSAKEN HIM.

THE CHAPTER CONTINUES WITH AN ASSERTION FROM DIVINITY THAT HE HAS NOT ABANDONED HIM NOR IS HE UNHAPPY WITH HIM. IT CONTINUES TO REMIND THE PROPHET OF ALLAH'S LIMITLESS GRACE AND SUPPORT FOR HIM.

THE MAIN THEME OF THE CHAPTER IS CONSOLATION TO THE PROPHET ENDING WITH AN EXHORTATION TO CARE FOR THE ORPHANS, NEVER TO REBUKE THE ONE WHO ASKS AND TO PROCLAIM DIVINE BLESSINGS.