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PROTECTION FROM OUTER ENTITIES
BENEFITS OF LEARNING – PROTECTION

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Ayaat 1-5

AL-FALAQ - THE DAYBREAK

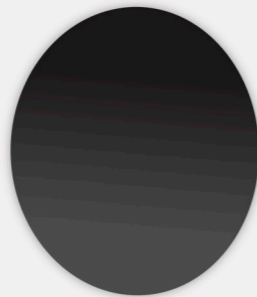
REFUGE FROM POTENTIAL EVIL OF CREATION,
DARKNESS, SORcery & JEALOUSY

We seek refuge in He who brings forth the dawn after the darkness
of night from the aspect of creation that we see as harmful:

- Potential evil of creation
- Utter darkness
- Sorcery (blowing on knots)
- Jealousy



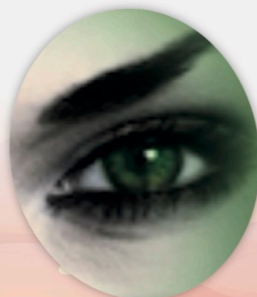
POTENTIAL EVIL OF
CREATION



UTTER DARKNESS



SORcery (BLOWING
ON KNOTS)



JEALOUSY

113. Al-Falaq ~ The Daybreak

5 Ayaat (Makki)

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DID YOU KNOW?

AL FALAQ & AL NAAS ARE KNOWN AS 'MAUDHATAYN' – THE TWO WHICH PROTECT. WE TAKE REFUGE IN ALLAH FROM EXTERNAL AND INTERNAL EVILS (NEGATIVE POWERS THAT WE DO NOT UNDERSTAND).

SELECTED AYAAT

- 113:1 Say! I place myself in the refuge of the Lord of daybreak
- 113:2 From the evil of those He created
- 113:3 And from the evil of intense darkness when it comes
- 113:4 And from the evil of those who blow on knots
- 113:5 And from the evil of the jealous one who is jealous

NARRATIVE

SURA AL NAAS AND SURA AL FALAQ ARE KNOWN AS MAUDHATAYN (THE TWO PROTECTORS). BOTH WERE REVEALED SIMULTANEOUSLY. BETWEEN AL FALAQ AND AL NAAS THERE ARE 5 'SHARRS' (EVILS - THAT WHICH CAUSE HARM) FROM WHICH PROTECTION IS SOUGHT.

THIS SURA ACKNOWLEDGES ALLAH'S POWER TO BRING LIGHT INTO THE DARKNESS AND DISCUSSES SEEKING REFUGE IN HIM FROM THE POTENTIAL OF THE EVIL OF CREATION, UTTER DARKNESS (IGNORANCE), 'BLOWING ON KNOTS' (SORcery) AND FROM THOSE WHO ARE JEALOUS.