

PROPHET MUSA (PBUH)

Kallimullah – The one who talked with Allah

Part Two

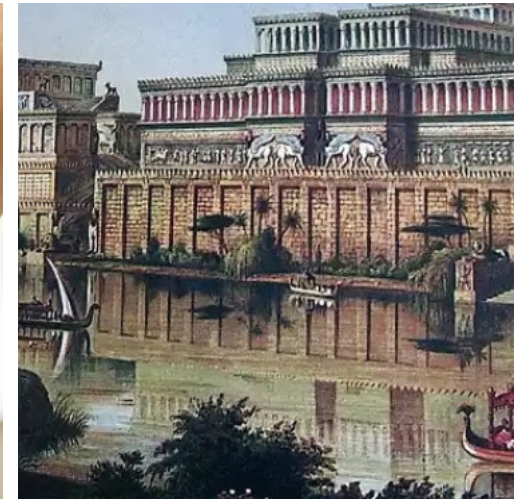
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RECAP

Below are a series of events that took place in Musa's life.

- Put them in the correct order.
- Write a couple of lines explaining what is happening in each event.



THE HAPPIEST TEN YEARS OF MUSA'S LIFE



1. What is the name of Musa's wife?
2. Which of the two terms of the contract did Musa (pbuh) fulfil?
3. Musa (pbuh) used to live in a palace, a life of luxury. Why then were these 10 years of hard work the happiest years of his life?
4. The contract has been fulfilled, what will Musa (pbuh) plan the way forward?

GOING HOME



Musa together with his wife and their two sons left Madaain and took a journey westwards.

Before they left Prophet Shuaib (pbuh) gave Musa a very special gift, a staff.

1. Where do you think Musa and his family are setting of to?
2. Who was the original owner of the staff?
3. What is the staff made up of?
4. What use will Musa make of the staff?
5. If Musa had stayed with you for 10 years, what farewell gift would you have given him?

MUSA (PBUH) IN THE DESERT



Riding through the desert and passing by mountains, Musa (pbuh) and his family loose direction.

1. How will Musa (pbuh) find his way through the desert, without a Sat Nav?
2. What is the weather like in the desert at night?
3. Write a paragraph on how each person in this little group of travellers must be going through in this long, dark and cold night in the middle of the desert!

THE BURNING BUSH



From where Musa stood, he could see a fire on the side of the mountain, on the right of the valley.

1. What do you think the fire symbolized?
2. Look up the following verses: Surah Naml 27:7 and Surah Qasas 28:29
3. Study the two verses, write the translations and highlight the similarities.
4. What does this tell you about the source of information (The Qur'an)?
5. Which 2 things did Musa say he will bring to his family?

MOUNT SINAI



1. Look at both the mountains, write down the differences and similarities that you see.
2. Which trees do you think are growing on one of the mountains? Support your answer with some evidence.
3. Did you know that SINAI or SANA means a mountain that has some vegetation on it and that TOUR means mountain. What is another word for mountain in the Arabic language?
4. In which country would you find Mount Sinai?
5. In which chapter does Allah swear by The Mount Sinai?

ON MOUNT SINAI



Musa receives some instructions from Allah, from the list below choose the right instructions and put them in the correct order: Refer to (27:8-9), (28-31) & (20:12-14) for the answer.

1. I am Allah, there is no god, but I, therefore serve Me.
2. Remove your shoes.
3. Listen to what is revealed.
4. Raise your hands.
5. I have chosen you.
6. Serve Me
7. Repeat after Me.
8. Cast down your staff.
9. Keep up prayer for remembrance.

ALLAH TALKS TO MUSA (PBUH)



Complete the conversation below by referring to (20:17-22)

Allah: "what is this in your right hand, O Musa!"

Musa: "..... "

Allah: "cast it down, O Musa!"

Musa cast it down.

Allah: " And press your hand under your armpit
..... "

ALLAH TALKS TO MUSA (PBUH)



1. When Allah asked Musa a simple question, what is in your hand? Why did Musa give a detailed explanation? Can you relate to Musa's behaviour?
2. When Musa (pbuh) cast his staff down what happened?
3. What was the reaction of Musa (pbuh) on seeing his staff change form?
4. When Musa (pbuh) was asked to hold it and it would be returned to its original state. What did Musa have to have in him to be able to hold it?
5. When Musa (pbuh) pressed his hand under his armpit, what happened?

MIRACLES OF MUSA (PBUH)



In the Qur'an three words are used for SNAKE; THU'BAN, HAYYA and JAAN

From your Qur'an look up the meanings of the three words above for snake using references: (20:19-21), (27:10-13), (28: 30-32) and (7: 107-108)

The TWO Miracles:

1. Staff changes into a snake.
2. Hand in his armpit, white without any flaw turns into a light bulb.

Musa (pbuh) is asked to go to Firawn with these two miracles.

MUSA (PBUH) INSTRUCTED TO MEET FIRAWN



Allah asked Musa to go and meet Firawn and to guide him as he is an oppressor.

1. Who is an oppressor?
2. Why do you think they oppress?
3. Today, where do you think oppression is taking place?
4. How can you and your friends help the oppressed?

MUSA (PBUH) INSTRUCTED TO MEET FIRAWN



Prophet Musa (pbuh) said: 28:33-34 that he was afraid lest they kill him. He also said to send Haroon with him as his helper.

Using 28:33-34 answer the following questions:

1. Why was Musa afraid that they would kill him?
2. Musa, is a prophet of Allah why would he need assistance from another person?
3. Who is Haroon and how is he related to Musa (pbuh)?

ALLAH REASSURES MUSA (PBUH)



20:46 - He said: Fear not, surely I am with you both: I do hear and see.

Allah has used two of His attributes "As Samee" and "Al Baseer".

Explain in a couple of paragraphs - Allah hears silence, and he is independent of a pupil of an eye.

DUA OF MUSA (PBUH) – DUA OF ELOQUENCE



He said: O my Lord! Expand my breast for me, and make my affair easy to me, and loose the knot from my tongue, (That) they may understand my word; 20:25-28.

1. How many things does Musa ask in the above dua?
2. What does the phrase "expand my breast mean"?
3. Which affairs were difficult for Musa?
4. Is there a knot in Musa's tongue?
5. When would you recite the above dua?
6. What does eloquence mean?

MUSA (PBUH) MEETS FIRAWN



Musa and Haroon both went to see Firawn. Musa told Firawn that he was a messenger of Allah and that he had come with true signs. Firawn demanded to see the signs. Musa cast his rod which turned into a serpent and he drew forth his hand which was white and bright.

Firawn got scared and angry. He told those around him that Musa was a skillful magician and that all this is magic.

Firawn has a plan to counterattack Musa.

What is Firawn's plan and how will he execute it? Refer to (7:111-112)

FIRAWN'S PLAN



Firawn summoned 1000 magicians from all over the country.

He then narrowed them down to the top 80.

He promised them a share of his power if they defeated Prophet Musa (pbuh).

He told them that if Prophet Musa (pbuh) defeats them, then he would confirm Musa's prophethood.

FIRAWN'S PLAN



1. Why were the magicians narrowed down to 80?
2. What consequences would Firawn face in either of these cases:
 - Giving a share of his power to the magicians?
 - Accepting Musa's prophethood?

THE TRUTH WAS ESTABLISHED



Narrate what happened on this great event.
Your story **MUST** contain the who, what, where,
when and how of the entire incident

PROPHET MUSA'S SUCCESS



When Musa (pbuh) cast his rod, it ate up all the "snakes" of the magicians. Everyone gasped, The magicians fell into prostration and Firawn was worried sick

This was a clear success for Prophet Musa (pbuh)!

PROPHET MUSA'S SUCCESS



And the enchanters were thrown down, prostrating (themselves). They said: We believe in the Lord of the worlds, The Lord of Musa and Haroun. 7:120-122

1. Why did the magicians fall into sajda?
2. What will be the reaction of Firawn towards his magicians?
3. Will Firawn accept the prophethood of Musa?

QARUN THE ELITE



Qarun was the cousin of Musa. Allah had granted him lots of treasures. He used to keep his treasure safe behind very heavy logs (which acted as keys) and these needed many men to lift and move them. There was absolutely no chance that anyone could steal his treasure.

However, instead of helping and sharing his treasures with the needy he used to boast and oppress people. People did try and tell him not to behave haughtily but he didn't listen.

Due to his arrogance, he had a terrible end, which became a lesson for generations to come. Refer to 28:77-81 and write down the fate of Qarun and lessons learnt from his life.

MUSA (PBUH) IN SURA BAQARA



A faithful family of mum and son had an unblemished cow. The son followed Musa and often recited the salawaat which Musa had taught him.

One day in their town there was a murder, as there were no witnesses, no one knew who was the murderer.

Musa said to the people that he will ask Allah to help reveal the murderer.

MUSA (PBUH) IN SURA BAQARA



Read 2:67-73 to answer the following questions:

1. What part did the unblemished cow play?
2. What traits of the Bani Israel are revealed in this story?
3. How did the young boy guard his wealth?
4. How many times did Musa have to go up the mountain to ask the people's questions?
5. Did Musa manage to solve the mystery?
6. What lessons did you learn from this story?