



AlMaarij الْمَعَارِج

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

In the name of Allah, Most Gracious, Most Merciful

1. A questioner questioned concerning the doom about to fall.

سَأَلَ سَائِلٌ بِعَذَابٍ وَاقِعٍ ﴿١﴾

2. Upon the disbelievers, which none can repel.

لِلْكَافِرِينَ لَيْسَ لَهُ دَافِعٌ ﴿٢﴾

3. From Allah, Lord of the Ascending Stairways.

مِّنَ اللَّهِ ذِي الْمَعَارِجِ ﴿٣﴾

4. (Whereby) the angels and the Spirit ascend unto Him in a Day whereof the span is fifty thousand years.

تَعْرُجُ الْمَلَائِكَةُ وَالرُّوحُ إِلَيْهِ فِي يَوْمٍ كَانَ مِقْدَارُهُ خَمْسِينَ أَلْفَ سَنَةٍ ﴿٤﴾

5. But be patient (O Muhammad) with a patience fair to see.

فَاصْبِرْ صَبْرًا جَمِيلًا ﴿٥﴾

6. Lo! They behold it afar off.

إِنَّهُمْ يَرَوْنَهُ بَعِيدًا ﴿٦﴾

7. While we behold it nigh.

وَنَرْنَهُ قَرِيبًا ﴿٧﴾

8. The day when the sky will become as molten copper.

يَوْمَ تَكُونُ السَّمَاءُ كَالْمُهْلِ ﴿٨﴾

9. And the hills become as flakes of wool.

وَتَكُونُ الْجِبَالُ كَالْعِهْنِ ﴿٩﴾

10. And no familiar friend will ask a question of his friend.

وَلَا يَسْأَلُ حَمِيمٌ حَمِيمًا ﴿١٠﴾

11. Though they will be given sight of them. The guilty man will long to be able to ransom himself from the punishment of that day at the price of his children.

يُبْصِرُونَهُمْ ۚ يَوَدُّ الْمُجْرِمُ لَوْ يَفْتَدِي مِنْ عَذَابِ يَوْمِئِذٍ بِبَنِيهِ ﴿١١﴾

12. And his spouse and his brother.

وَصَاحِبَتِهِ وَأَخِيهِ ﴿١٢﴾

13. And his kin that harbored him.

وَفَصِيلَتِهِ الَّتِي تُؤْوِيهِ ﴿١٣﴾

14. And all that are in the earth, if then it might deliver him.

وَمَنْ فِي الْأَرْضِ جَمِيعًا ثُمَّ يُنْجِيهِ ﴿١٤﴾

15. But nay! For lo! It is the fire of hell.

كَلَّا إِنَّهَا لَظَىٰ ﴿١٥﴾

16. Eager to roast.

نَزَّاعَةً لِّلشَّوَىٰ ﴿١٦﴾

17. It calls him who turned and fled (from truth).

تَدْعُوا مَنْ أَدْبَرَ وَتَوَلَّى ﴿١٧﴾

18. And hoarded (wealth) and withheld it.

وَجَمَعَ فَأَوْعَى ﴿١٨﴾

19. Lo! man was created anxious.

﴿١٩﴾ إِنَّ الْإِنْسَانَ خُلِقَ هَلُوعًا

20. Fretful when evil befalls him.

﴿٢٠﴾ إِذَا مَسَّهُ الشَّرُّ جَزُوعًا

21. And, when good befalls him, grudging.

﴿٢١﴾ وَإِذَا مَسَّهُ الْخَيْرُ مَنُوعًا

22. Save worshippers.

﴿٢٢﴾ إِلَّا الْمُصَلِّينَ

23. Who are constant at their worship.

الَّذِينَ هُمْ عَلَى صَلَاتِهِمْ دَائِمُونَ

﴿٢٣﴾

24. And in whose wealth there is a right acknowledged.

وَالَّذِينَ فِي أَمْوَالِهِمْ حَقٌّ مَّعْلُومٌ

﴿٢٤﴾

25. For the beggar and the destitute.

﴿٢٥﴾ لِلسَّائِلِ وَالْمَحْرُومِ

26. And those who believe in the Day of Judgment.

وَالَّذِينَ يُصَدِّقُونَ بِيَوْمِ الدِّينِ

﴿٢٦﴾

27. And those who are fearful of their Lord's doom.

وَالَّذِينَ هُمْ مِّنْ عَذَابِ رَبِّهِمْ
مُشْفِقُونَ ﴿٢٧﴾

28. Lo! The doom of their Lord is that before which none can feel secure.

إِنَّ عَذَابَ رَبِّهِمْ غَيْرُ مَا مُونٍ ﴿٢٨﴾

29. And those who preserve their chastity.

وَالَّذِينَ هُمْ لِفُرُوجِهِمْ حَافِظُونَ
﴿٢٩﴾

30. Save with their wives and those whom their right hands possess, for thus they are not blameworthy.

إِلَّا عَلَىٰ أَزْوَاجِهِمْ أَوْ مَا مَلَكَتْ
أَيْمَانُهُمْ فَإِنَّهُمْ غَيْرُ مَلُومِينَ ﴿٣٠﴾

31. But whoso seeks more than that, those are they who are transgressors.

فَمَنْ أَتَغَىٰ وَرَاءَ ذَٰلِكَ فَأُولَٰئِكَ
هُمُ الْعَادُونَ ﴿٣١﴾

32. And those who keep their pledges and their covenant.

وَالَّذِينَ هُمْ لِأَمْتِنَتِهِمْ وَعَهْدِهِمْ
رَاعُونَ ﴿٣٢﴾

33. And those who stand by their testimony.

وَالَّذِينَ هُمْ بِشَهَادَتِهِمْ قَائِمُونَ
﴿٣٣﴾

34. And those who are attentive at their worship.

وَالَّذِينَ هُمْ عَلَى صَلَاتِهِمْ تَحَافِظُونَ



35. These will dwell in Gardens, honored.

أُولَئِكَ فِي جَنَّاتٍ مُّكْرَمُونَ



36. What ails those who disbelieve, that they keep staring toward thee (O Muhammad), open-eyed.

فَمَا لِلَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا قِبَلَكَ مُهْطِعِينَ



37. On the right and on the left, in groups.

عَنِ الْيَمِينِ وَعَنِ الشِّمَالِ عِزِينَ



38. Does every man among them hope to enter the Garden of Delight.

أَيُّطْمَعُ كُلُّ امْرِئٍ مِنْهُمْ أَنْ يُدْخَلَ جَنَّةَ نَعِيمٍ



39. Nay, verily Lo! We created them from what they know.

كَلَّا إِنَّا خَلَقْنَاهُمْ مِمَّا يَعْلَمُونَ



40. But nay! I swear by the Lord of the rising-places and the setting-places of the planets that We verily are Able.

فَلَا أُقْسِمُ بِرَبِّ الْمَشْرِقِ وَالْمَغْرِبِ إِنَّا لَقَادِرُونَ



41. To replace them by
(others) better than them.
And we are not to be outrun.

عَلَىٰ أَنْ نُبَدِّلَ خَيْرًا مِّنْهُمْ وَمَا نَحْنُ
بِمَسْبُوقِينَ ﴿٤١﴾

42. So let them chat and play
until they meet their Day
which they are promised.

فَدَرَهُمْ تَحُوضُوا وَيَلْعَبُوا حَتَّىٰ
يَلْقُوا يَوْمَهُمُ الَّذِي يُوعَدُونَ
﴿٤٢﴾

43. The day when they come
forth from the graves in
haste, as racing to a goal.

يَوْمَ يَخْرُجُونَ مِنَ الْأَجْدَاثِ
سِرَاعًا كَأَنَّهُمْ إِلَىٰ نُصُبٍ يُوفِضُونَ
﴿٤٣﴾

44. With eyes aghast,
abasement stupefying them:
Such is the Day which they
are promised.

خَشِعَةً أَبْصَرُهُمْ تَرْهَقُهُمْ ذِلَّةٌ
ذَٰلِكَ الْيَوْمِ الَّذِي كَانُوا يُوعَدُونَ
﴿٤٤﴾

