



# Qur'an Lesson-3b: 2nd Example: Rain

(Al-Baqarah: 19-20)

## Lesson Outcomes

- The relevance of Rain example to the topic.
- Munafiqeen would be in real trouble if they did not reform.
- No one can escape from Allah.

**Keywords:** رَعْدٌ وَبَرْقٌ، أَصَابِعُهُمْ، الصَّوَاعِقِ، قَدِيرٌ

## Recitation and Explanation

أَوْ كَصَيْبٍ مِّنَ السَّمَاءِ فِيهِ ظُلُمَاتٌ وَرَعْدٌ وَبَرْقٌ يَجْعَلُونَ

they put	and thunder and lightning,	within which is darkness	from the sky	like a rainstorm	Or
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19 أَصَابِعَهُمْ فِي آذَانِهِمْ مِنَ الصَّوَاعِقِ حَذَرَ الْمَوْتِ وَاللَّهُ مُحِيطٌ بِالْكَافِرِينَ

of the disbelievers.	and Allah is encompassing	(in) fear of death.	against the thunderclaps	in their ears	their fingers
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يَكَادُ الْبَرْقُ يَخْطَفُ أَبْصَارَهُمْ كُلَّمَا أَضَاءَ لَهُمْ

for them	it flashes	every time	their sight.	snatches away	the lightning almost
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مَشَوْا فِيهِ وَإِذَا أَظْلَمَ عَلَيْهِمْ قَامُوا وَلَوْ شَاءَ اللَّهُ

Allah had willed,	and if	they stand (still).	over them	darkness comes	and when	therein,	they walk
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20 لَذَهَبَ بِسَمْعِهِمْ وَأَبْصَارِهِمْ إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ

competent.	is over all things	Indeed, Allah	and their sight.	their hearing,	He could have taken away
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- Allah mentions another example to describe the horrible nature of Nifaaq.
- They follow Islam only when it suits their desires and give it up when tests or challenges come, or if they are required to make a sacrifice.
- As a person put his fingers into his ears to avoid the sound of thunder fearing death, like this the Munafiqeen are too scared to follow the truth because it involves facing challenges.
- They wish to avoid any threats or risks. They are not beyond the power of Allah. He wants to give them a chance to rectify their doubts and desires.

**Hadith:** Allah's Messenger ﷺ said, "Allah gives respite to the oppressor, but when He takes him over, He never releases him." (Bukhari: 4686)

### Tadabbur & Tadhakkur

- **Imagine & Feel:** Imagine that it's raining very hard, and you hear thunderclaps very loudly. What will be your reaction? Surely, you will feel the fear and you will try to be safe.
- **Dua:** O Allah! Help me follow Your commands despite challenges and difficulties.
- **Evaluate:** Do we pray Fajr Salah or we prefer to sleep? Do we fast in Ramadhan or skip the fasting? Do we follow the Islamic teaching in our lives or make excuses?
- **Plan:** In sha Allah! I will try to be patient through the tests of life.

**Nouns and Verbs:** Below are some of the nouns and the verbs from the Ayaat of this lesson.

Verbs: Practice the six keys of verbs mentioned below with TPI									Nouns		
Meaning	Name of action	اسم مفعول	اسم فاعل	فعل امر	فعل مضارع	فعل ماضٍ	Root	Code	Meaning	Plural	Singular
To fear	حَدَرَ	مَحْدُورٌ	حَاذِرٌ	إِحْدَرْ	يَحْدُرُ	حَدَرَ	ح ذ ر	س	Sky	سَمَاوَات	سَّمَاء
To leave	تَرَكَ	مَتْرُوكٌ	تَارِكٌ	أَتْرُكُ	يَتْرُكُ	تَرَكَ	ت ر ك	ن	Darkness	ظُلُمَات	ظُلْمَةٌ
To snatch	خَطَفَ	مَخْطُوفٌ	خَاطِفٌ	أَخْطِفُ	يَخْطِفُ	خَطَفَ	خ ط ف	س	Finger	أَصَابِع	أُصْبُعٌ
To go	ذَهَبَ	—	ذَاهِبٌ	أَذْهَبُ	يَذْهَبُ	ذَهَبَ	ذ ه ب	ف	Ear	آذَان	أُذُنٌ
To die	مُوتَ	—	مَيِّتٌ	مُتُّ	يَمُوتُ	مَاتَ	م و ت	قا	Thunderclap	صَوَاعِق	صَاعِقَةٌ
To walk	مَشَى	—	مَاشٍ	أَمْشِ	يَمْشِي	مَشَى	م ش ي	هد	Sight	أَبْصَار	بَصْرٌ
To stand	قَامَ	—	قَائِمٌ	قُمْ	يَقُومُ	قَامَ	ق و م	قا	Thing	أَشْيَاء	شَيْءٌ

### PRACTICE QUESTIONS

1. Why are Munafiqeen in real trouble?
2. Explain the example given in this verse.?
3. Why are Munafiqeen too scared to follow the truth?