



Qur'an Lesson-2b: No Guidance for Munafiqeen

(Al-Baqarah: 8-10)

Lesson Outcomes

- The definition of the Munafiqeen.
- Munafiqeen's behavior and their actions.
- Why Allah increased them in their disease.

Keywords: يُخَدَعُونَ، يَخْدَعُونَ، يَشْعُرُونَ، مَرَضٌ، فَرَّادَهُمْ، أَلِيمٌ، يَكْذِبُونَ

Recitation and Explanation

وَمِنَ النَّاسِ	مَنْ يَقُولُ	أَمَّا	بِاللَّهِ	وَبِالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ	وَمَا هُمْ
and of the people (are some)	who say:	“we believe	in Allah	and in the Last Day	but they are not
بِمُؤْمِنِينَ ۝۸	يُخَدَعُونَ	اللَّهُ	وَالَّذِينَ	أَمَنُوا	وَمَا يَخْدَعُونَ
believers.	They [seek to] deceive	Allah	and those	who believe,	but they do not deceive
إِلَّا	أَنْفُسَهُمْ	وَمَا يَشْعُرُونَ ۝۹	فِي	قُلُوبِهِمْ	مَرَضٌ ۝۹
themselves except	and they do not perceive [it].	In	their hearts	(is) a disease	so Allah has increased them
مَرَضًا ۝۱۰	وَلَهُمْ	عَذَابٌ أَلِيمٌ ۝۱۰	بِمَا	كَانُوا يَكْذِبُونَ ۝۱۰	
(in) disease;	and for them	(is) a painful punishment	because	they [habitually] used to lie.	

Three categories of people described in the starting verses of Surah Baqarah are:

1. Believers (Mu'mineen), 2: Non-believers (Kafireen) and 3: Hypocrites (Munaafiqeen). The third category is very harmful. Therefore their details are given here.

- When Muslims were getting powerful in Madinah, some people got jealous. They claimed to be Muslims but had evil intentions. They planned to deceive Allah and the believers.
- Diseases of the heart are of two types: (1) *Disease of doubts* in the Quran, Prophet, Aakhirah, etc., because they did not care to ponder; they were too 'busy.' (2) *Disease of evil desires* for power, money, position; They will even adopt haram means to achieve them.
- Punishment of Munaafiqeen: Allah will increase their disease. And in the hereafter, they will get painful punishment.

Hadith: Allah's Messenger ﷺ said, "The signs of a hypocrite are three: Whenever he speaks, he tells a lie; and whenever he promises, he breaks his promise; and whenever he is entrusted, he betrays (proves to be dishonest). (Bukhari: 6095)

Tadabbur & Tadhakkur

- **Imagine & Feel:** Imagine a person who has two behaviors, one is very good, and the other is very bad. Would you like to make him your friend? No.
- How do you feel when you come to know that one of your friends is always spreading lies against you? Will you continue to be friends with him?
- **Dua:** O Allah! Increase me in faith. Protect me from hypocrisy. Protect me from doubts and evil desires.
- **Evaluate:** Read the Hadith above and evaluate yourself.
- **Plan:** In sha Allah! I will purify my heart by Studying the Qur'an and Hadith and keeping good company.

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								
Meaning	Name of action	اسم مفعول	اسم فاعل	فعل امر	فعل مضارع	فعل ماضٍ	Root	Code
To decide	خَدَاعٌ	مَخْدُوعٌ	خَادِعٌ	اِخْدَعُ	يَخْدَعُ	خَدَعَ	خ د ع	ف
To perceive	شُعُورٌ	مَشْعُورٌ	شَاعِرٌ	أَشْعُرُ	يَشْعُرُ	شَعَرَ	ش ع ر	ن
To lie	كَذِبٌ	مَكْذُوبٌ	كَاذِبٌ	اِكْذِبْ	يَكْذِبُ	كَذَبَ	ك ذ ب	ض

Nouns		
Meaning	Plural	Singular
Day	أَيَّامٌ	يَوْمٌ
Soul	أَنْفُسٌ	نَفْسٌ
Desease	أَمْرَاضٌ	مَرَضٌ

PRACTICE QUESTIONS

1. Who are the Munafiqeen?
2. Which three categories of people mentioned in these verses?
3. Why has Allah increased the Munafiqeen in their disease?