

بِسْمِ الله، ٱلْحَمْدُ لِلهِ وَالصَّلْوةُ وَالسَّلَامُ عَلَىٰ رَسُولِ اللهِ، رَبِّ اشْرَحُ لِي صَدري وَيَسِّولِي أَمْرِي وَاحْلُلُ عُقْدَةً مِّن لِّسَانِي يَفْقَهُوا قَوْلِي السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكُمْ وَرَحْمَةُ اللهِ وَبَرَكَاتُهُ



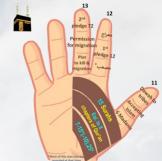


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Remember important events – the easy way

Lesson – 3: Life before Prophethood





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- He was born around 1500 years ago in Makkah, in 571 C.E.
- In the month of Rabi'ul-Awwal
- Father: Abdullah, Mother: Aminah, Grandfather: Abdul-Muttalib
- His tribe was the most respected tribe of Arab
- He belonged to the noble lineage of Ibrahim^A.
- Although the people of Makkah were following the religion of Ibrahim^A but Shirk and other evil practices had developed amongst them.



- Prophet's father passed away 2 months before his birth.
 He was born as an orphan.
- He stayed with mother Aminah, and then was sent with Halimah Sa'adia, as per the Arab culture of that time.
- Returned to his mother when he was 4 or 5 years old.
- His mother passed away when he was 6. Then his grandfather Abdul-Muttalib raised him.
- His grandfather passed away when he www was 8, so his uncle Abu Talib raised him.



- The Prophet went through many hardships at a young age. It is very difficult for such a child to be successful.
- But Allah made him the greatest and most successful person of the world
- · This success is also a miracle of the Prophet





His travels & Marriage





- At age 12, Prophet Muhammad we went on a journey to Syria with his uncle Abu-Talib but came back midway.
- Later, at age 25, he traveled again for business purposes at Khadija's^R request.



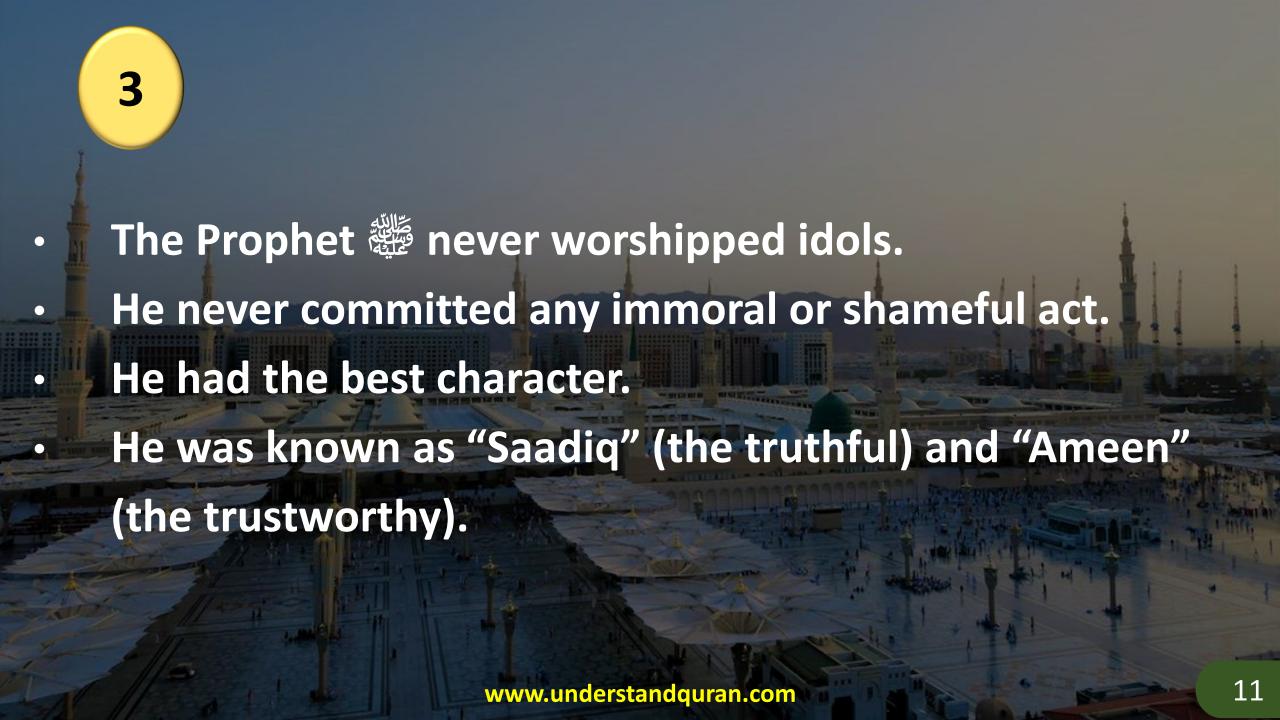
- She received huge profit, and was very impressed by Prophet's honesty & trustworthiness.
- He got married at the age of 25.





- Prophet was an honest & successful businessman.
- He preferred a virtuous woman for marriage even though she was 40 years old and a widow







- When the Ka'aba was being rebuilt, tribes argued about who should place the "Hajar-e-Aswad" (black stone). The Prophet was selected to find a solution.
- He put the stone on a cloth and had each tribe's representative hold an edge. They lifted it together, and then he placed the stone in Kaaba's wall. Everyone was satisfied with this solution.



- Muhammad was always interested in stopping violence & injustice even before he became a prophet. We should also follow his example.
- It must be noted that when he never lied or cheated for 40 years, how could he suddenly start telling the biggest lie about Allah!





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O Allah!!! Help us

- > to study the Seerah of the Prophet,
- > to teach it,
- > act upon it,
- > to spread it,
- > and to preach his Deen.

شبَحَانَكَ اللّٰهُمّ وَبِحَمْدِكَ نَشْهَدُ أَن لّا إِللهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ شُبَحَانَكَ اللّٰهُمّ وَبِحَمْدِكَ نَشْهَدُ أَن لّا إِللهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ نُسْتَغُفِرُكَ وَنَتُوبُ إِلَيْكَ.

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