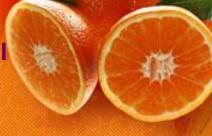


In the name of Allah, Most Beneficent, Most Merciful



Lesson-3a

Al-Kawthar





Allah talks about 3 things in the 3 verses of this Surah:

- Allah's favors on Prophet Muhammad pubh.
- Therefore, the Prophet pbuh is asked to pray and offer sacrifice.
- Even though the enemies of Islam may try their best, in the end they will be losers in this world as well as in the hereafter.

Let us now study the Surah verse by verse.

Let us start with the 1st Verse

الْكُوْثَرَ (1)		أغطيناك			إِنَّا	
'a'-"aynaakal-kaw-sar.					. 'Innaaa	
Al-Kawthar.		[We] have granted you			Indeed, We	
وَانْحَرُ (2)		لِرَ بِّكَ			فَصَلِّ	
wanḥar		li-Rabbika		Fa-șalli		
and sacrifice (to Him alone).		to your Lord T		The	herefore pray	
الْأَبْعَرُ (3)		هُوَ	نِئكُ	شَا	إِنَّ	
huwal-'abtar			shaani-	-'aka	'Inna	
is the one without posterity / cut-off.		he	your enemy,		Indeed,	





Allah gave the Prophet pbuh many favors in this world.

He made Muhammad the last Prophet pbuh.

He revealed Qur'an on the Prophet pbuh.

Billions and billions of Muslims throughout the history love, respect, and obey the Prophet pbuh.

Favors in the hereafter:

- Allah will give a great river Al-Kawthar having a very special drink in the Paradise.
- Allah will give the pond of Kawthar to the Prophet pbuh on the day of judgment. On that day, people will be extremely thirsty.
 The Prophet pbuh will offer people a cool pleasant drink from the pond of Kawthar.
- Only those people who followed the way of the Prophet pbuh will be allowed to have that drink.

VISUALIZE



- We all want to meet the Prophet pbuh...
 We all would like to get the drink from his hands. So, we should love and obey him.
- Who loves him??? Raise your hands. MashaAllah.
- If we love him, we should listen to him; we should follow him.

Practice 1st Verse 3 times; Go to the next...

الْكُوْثَرَ (1)	أعُظيناك			إِثّا	
'a'-¨aynaakal-kaw-sar.				. 'Innaaa	
Al-Kawthar.	[We] have granted you			Indeed, We	
وَانْحَرُ (2)	لِرَ بِّكَ		فَصَلِّ		
wanḥar	li-Rabbika	li-Rabbika		Fa-ṣalli	
and sacrifice (to Him alone).	to your Lord		The	Therefore pray	
الْأَبْتَرُ (3)	هُوَ	انِئك	ش	إِنَّ	
huwal-'abtar			'aka	'Inna	
is the one without posterity / cut-off	. he	your ene	emy,	Indeed,	

Practice 2nd verse 3 times;** Go to the last ...

الْكُوْثَرَ (1)	أغطيناك				إِثّا	
'a'-¨aynaakal-kaw-sar.					. 'Innaaa	
Al-Kawthar.		[We] have granted you			Indeed, We	
وَانْحَرُ (2)		لِرَ بِّكَ			فَصَلِّ	
wanḥar		li-Rabbika			Fa-ṣalli	
and sacrifice (to Him alone).		to your Lord		The	herefore pray	
الْأَبْعَرُ (3)		هُوَ	نِئكُ	شًا	إِنَّ	
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- 1. Salah and
- 2. sacrifice.

And the Prophet pbuh did that throughout his life extensively.

We are also asked to recite this verse.

We should realize the blessings that each one of us have. Allah has given us:

- Islam. Qur'an the excellent book of guidance.
 He sent to us the Prophet who showed how to follow the Qur'an.
- Life and health. Eyes and ears; hands and legs; etc.
- Parents, home, school, friends, relatives, etc. so many...

We too are blessed....

- Just look at the millions of people who don't have any thing to eat, or suitable clothes to wear or a proper house to live in. Allah has indeed given us a lot.
- Since we are also blessed with so much, we should follow the Prophet and thank Allah by offering Salah in time. That is 1st and most important thing.





- When it is time for Salah, we should sacrifice playing, watching cartoons or games.
- If you want to be loved by Allah, then keep giving sacrifice.

Sacrifice in the family

- When mummy or daddy asks for something, we should sacrifice our interesting games or cartoons and go to them, listen to them.
- By making mummy or daddy and the teacher happy, we will please Allah because He asked us to make them happy.
- If they ask you to share something with your brothers and sisters, you have to sacrifice and share it with others. If it is time to study, you have to sacrifice your interest in playing.





وَانْحَرُ (2)	لِرَ بِّكَ	فَصَلِّ
wanḥar	li-Rabbika	Fa-ṣalli
and sacrifice (to Him alone).	to your Lord	Therefore pray

Practice the 3rd Verse 3) times.

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'a'-¨aynaakal-kaw-sar.					. 'Innaaa	
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wanḥar		li-Rabbika			Fa-ṣalli	
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الأَبْتَرُ (3)		هُوَ	نِئكَ	شًا	إِنَّ	
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- He is Cut off from all good things.
 Abu Jahl, Abu Lahab and other enemies of the Prophet pbuh and the enemies of Islam were destroyed. Nobody loves them or respects them. They are cut-off from all good things in this world
- They will be punished very severely in the hellfire. They will be cutoff from all good in the hereafter too.





Similarly, the enemies of Islam today will also be destroyed.

- Allah is just giving them time to correct. He has all control over them.
- If not in this world, as soon as they die, they will face severe punishment.

On the opposite side, Allah will bless those who obey Him. We should therefore obey Allah as much as we can.





الْأَبْتَرُ (3)	هُوَ	شانِئك	إِنَّ
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Don't forget to do the HWs

- Listen to a tape
- Paste the poster in your room and learn the meanings from it at different times in the day
- Fill up the worksheets in your book شَبْحَانَ اللهُ وَبِحَمْدِهِ شُبْحَانَكَ اللّهُمَّ وَبِحَمْدِكَ نَشْبَحَانَكَ اللّهُمَّ وَبِحَمْدِكَ نَشْبَحُانَكَ اللّهُ وَبِحَمْدِكَ نَشْبَحُانَكَ اللّهُ وَبِحَمْدِكَ نَشْبَحُونُكَ وَنَتُوبُ نَشْبَعُفُورُكَ وَنَتُوبُ نَشْبَعُفُورُكَ وَنَتُوبُ