

Stop Signs

To facilitate the reading without
distorting the meanings

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
م	لازم Compulsory	Must stop; otherwise the meanings will be mixed up.

لَقَدْ سَمِعَ اللَّهُ قَوْلَ الَّذِينَ قَالُوا إِنَّ اللَّهَ فَعِيرٌ
وَنَحْنُ أَغْنِيَاءُ م سَنَكُتُبُ مَا قَالُوا ---

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○	Given at the verse ending along with an Ayah number.	Stop according to Sunnah of the Prophet ﷺ

وَإِنَّهُ لَحَقُّ الْيَقِينِ (٥٢)

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
سكته / س	Stop	Stop for a duration of 2 Harakah without taking a breath and then continue.

وَقِيلَ مَنْ رَاقٍ س (27)

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
وقفة	Stop	It is a long Saktah (سكتة). Stop for a longer time but don't take any breath and then continue.

وَأَعْفُ عَنَّا ^{وقفة} وَاعْفِرْ لَنَا ^{وقفة} وَارْحَمْنَا ^{وقفة} أَنْتَ
مَوْلَانَا فَانصُرْنَا عَلَى الْقَوْمِ الْكَافِرِينَ ^ع (286)

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
مع مع ∴ ∴	Pair of 3-dots	Stop at one of them.

ذَلِكَ الْكِتَابُ لَا رَيْبَ ^ط فِيهِ ^ج هُدًى لِّلْمُتَّقِينَ

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
ط	Stop	Better to stop at this signal.

يُضِلُّ بِهِ كَثِيرًا ^ط وَيَهْدِي بِهِ كَثِيرًا

وَمَا يُضِلُّ بِهِ إِلَّا الْفَاسِقِينَ ^ل (26)

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
قف	Stop	Stop here.

أُولَئِكَ عَلَيْهِمْ صَلَوَاتٌ مِّن رَّبِّهِمْ وَرَحْمَةٌ

وَأُولَئِكَ هُمُ الْمُهْتَدُونَ (157)

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
ج، صل	Permissible	You may stop or continue

يُخَدَعُونَ اللَّهُ وَالَّذِينَ آمَنُوا وَمَا
يَخَدَعُونَ إِلَّا أَنْفُسَهُمْ وَمَا يَشْعُرُونَ -

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
لا	لا on the circle	You may continue or stop

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
ز، ص، ق، ص		Better to continue

ذَلِكَ بِمَا عَصَوْا وَكَانُوا يَعْتَدُونَ^ق
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وَلَا تَشْتَرُوا بِآيَاتِي ثَمَنًا قَلِيلًا^ز وَإِيَّايَ فَاتَّقُونِ^ق
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فَأَخْرَجَهُمَا مِمَّا كَانَا فِيهِ^ص

SIGN	Meaning	Explanation
لا	No Stopping	If you stop here, you will give a wrong meaning. If you do that for some constraint, then go back and start from the point where the message is clear

الَّذِينَ تَتَوَفَّيْهِمُ الْمَلَائِكَةُ طَيِّبِينَ^{لا} يَقُولُونَ
سَلَامٌ عَلَيْكُمْ^{لا} ادْخُلُوا الْجَنَّةَ بِمَا كُنْتُمْ
تَعْمَلُونَ^{لا}
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