

"Anything that doesn't begin in the
Name of Allah is deprived of all blessings".
So, let's begin in the name of Allah....

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

In the name of Allah,
the Merciful, the Mercy-giving

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Seven
Reasons Why
You **MUST**
Read the
Qur'an!



Reason #1

It is *For You* and *About You*.

لَقَدْ أَنْزَلْنَا إِلَيْكُمْ كِتَابًا فِيهِ ذِكْرُكُمْ ۖ أَفَلَا تَعْقِلُونَ

“We have revealed for you (O people!)
a book in which is a Message for you:
will you not then understand?”

(The Qur'an: 21: 10)



The Qur'an enlightens You....

- Who You Are?
- Where have You come from? Where you're heading to?
- What is the Purpose of Your Creation?
- Why you must live in the shade of the Qur'an?
- Which path will lead you to success?
- How to live in this world?

The Qur'an shows you the most comprehensive system involving all aspects of your life in this world, the Dunya.

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It is Your Roadmap showing how to get to the Paradise in the next world, the Aakhirah.



Reason # 2

It is the Lord's Gift of Guidance

إِنَّ هَذَا الْقُرْآنَ يَهْدِي لِلَّتِي هِيَ أَقْوَمُ وَيُبَشِّرُ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ
الَّذِينَ يَعْمَلُونَ الصَّالِحَاتِ أَنَّ لَهُمْ أَجْرًا كَبِيرًا

“Verily this Qur'an guides to That Which Is Straight (and Most Suitable), and gives the Glad Tidings to the Believers who do deeds of righteousness, that they shall have a magnificent reward”.

(The Qur'an: 17: 9)

ونزلنا عليك الكتاب تبيانا لكلّ شيءٍ وهدى
ورحمةً و بشرى للمسلمين

“and We have sent down to You the Book explaining all things, a Guide, a Mercy, and Glad Tidings to Muslims.

(The Qur'an: 16: 89)

يا ايّها الناس قد جاءتكم موعظة من ربّكم
وشفاء لما في الصدور وهدى ورحمة للمؤمنين

“O mankind! there hath come to you a direction from your Lord and a healing for the (diseases) in your hearts,- and for those who believe, a guidance and a Mercy”

(The Qur'an: 10: 57)



The Qur'an is.....

- Guidance par excellence!
- Doesn't leave you in the lurch!
- The Answer to all problems
- Glad Tidings/Good News for the Believers
- The Fountain of Mercy
- The Healing

The Qur'an is the Maker's Instruction Manual

If you operate a machine contrary to its manufacturer's specification you will ruin that machine.

If you live a life contrary to Your Maker's Instructions, you will ruin yourself!

Cling to the Qur'an lest you fail to function!



Reason # 3

It is *Your Calling Card to
Communicate with Your Lord*

“Prophet Muhammad (صَلَّى اللهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ) said that
Allah had said:

I have divided prayer between Myself and My
servant into two halves, and My servant shall have
what he has asked for.

When the servant says: الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ

Allah says: My servant has praised Me.

And when he says: الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ,

Allah says: My servant has extolled Me,

and when he says: مَا لِكَ يَوْمَ الدِّينِ

Allah says: My servant has glorified Me - and on one
occasion He said: My servant has submitted to My
Power.

And when he says: **اِيَّاكَ نَعْبُدُ وَ اِيَّاكَ نَسْتَعِينُ**

He says: This is between Me and My servant, and My servant shall have what he has asked for.

And when he says: **اهْدِنَا الصِّرَاطَ الْمُسْتَقِيمَ
صِرَاطَ الَّذِينَ أَنْعَمْتَ عَلَيْهِمْ غَيْرِ الْمَغْضُوبِ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا الضَّالِّينَ**

He says: This is for My servant, and My servant shall have what he has asked for”.

(Narrated by Abu Hurayrah. This Hadith Qudsi is mentioned in Muslim, Muwatta, at-Tirmidhi, Abu-Dawud, an-Nasa'i and Ibn Majah).

What a beautiful way to converse with one's Lord!



The Qur'an is....

- Your Lord's Way to communicate with You.
- *Your Way to respond to the Lord's Communication.*
- Your Hotline with Your Creator that is never busy!
- *Your Online Calling Card whose credits never get over!*



These 3 Strong Reasons are sufficient enough for sensible minds and longing hearts to Read the Qur'an.



Some brains are not satisfied.
They ask for stronger reasons!

Scientific Reasons....



Reason # 4

The Qur'an is Inimitable!



The challenge to disprove **the inimitability of the Qur'an** was presented to the Arabs and **mankind** in three stages:

Challenge 1: Produce the whole Qur'an!

قُلْ لَئِنِ اجْتَمَعَتِ الْإِنْسُ وَالْجِنُّ عَلَىٰ أَنْ يَأْتُوا بِمِثْلِ هَذَا
الْقُرْآنِ لَا يَأْتُونَ بِمِثْلِهِ وَلَوْ كَانَ بَعْضُهُمْ لِبَعْضٍ ظَهِيرًا

“Say: "If the whole of mankind and Jinns were to gather together to produce the like of this Qur'an, they could not produce the like thereof, even if they backed up each other with help and support.

(The Qur'an: 17: 88)

Challenge 2: Produce Ten Chapters!

أَمْ يَقُولُونَ افْتَرَاهُ ۗ قُلْ فَأْتُوا بِعَشْرِ سُوْرٍ مِثْلِهِ مُفْتَرِيَاتٍ
وَادْعُوا مَنْ اسْتَطَعْتُمْ مِنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ صَادِقِينَ

“Or do they say that he has invented it? Say (to them),
‘Bring ten invented chapters like it, and call (for help) on
whomever you can besides Allah, if you are truthful”

(The Qur’an: 11: 13)

Challenge 3: Produce at least One Chapter!

وَإِنْ كُنْتُمْ فِي رَيْبٍ مِمَّا نَزَّلْنَا عَلَىٰ عَبْدِنَا
فَأْتُوا بِسُورَةٍ مِثْلِهِ وَادْعُوا شُهَدَاءَكُمْ مِنْ دُونِ اللَّهِ
إِنْ كُنْتُمْ صَادِقِينَ

“And if you all are in doubt about what We have revealed to Our servant, bring a single chapter like it, and call your witnesses besides Allah if you are truthful”

(The Qur'an: 2: 23)



The Qur'an's inimitability is forever!

- The Qur'an dares to disprove it!
- None has met the challenge since 14 centuries nor shall the challenge ever be met!
- Billions of Books have been written but **not another one** like the Qur'an!



Reason # 5

The Qur'an is Incorruptible!

إِنَّا نَحْنُ نَزَّلْنَا الذِّكْرَ وَإِنَّا لَهُ لَحَافِظُونَ

“We have, without doubt, sent down the Message; and We will assuredly guard it (from corruption).”

(The Qur'an: 15: 9)

Allah is the Guardian of The Qur'an!

- The Qur'an is the **only Revealed Book** available on the face of the earth which is **pure** and **intact** since the time it was revealed!
- **Nothing was added to it.** Nothing was removed from it. **Nothing was changed in it!**
- When Allah is its Guardian, none can tamper it!



Reason # 6

The Qur'an is Unsurpassable!

مَا كَانَ مُحَمَّدٌ أَبَا أَحَدٍ مِنْ رِجَالِكُمْ وَلَكِنْ رَسُولَ اللَّهِ
وَأَخْتَمَ النَّبِيِّينَ ۗ وَكَانَ اللَّهُ بِكُلِّ شَيْءٍ عَلِيمًا

“Muhammad is not the father of any of your men, but (he is) the Messenger of Allah, and the Seal of the Prophets: and Allah has full knowledge of all things.

(The Qur'an: 33: 40)

فَبِأَيِّ حَدِيثٍ بَعْدَهُ يُؤْمِنُونَ

“Then What message after that
will they believe in?”

(The Qur'an: 77: 50)

The Qur'an is the last & final Revelation

- Allah gave the Taurah to Prophet Musa (Peace be on him).
When He sent Prophet Isa (Peace be on him), He gave him a different Book, the Injeel.
- Coming of a another Prophet means the probable revelation of another book.
- The reality is that the chain of Prophets ended with Prophet Muhammad (Peace be upon him) as he is the seal of the all Prophets.
- No other book will ever come from Allah to surpass the Qur'an!



Reason # 7

The Qur'an is Indisputable!

أَفَلَا يَتَدَبَّرُونَ الْقُرْآنَ ۗ وَلَوْ كَانَ مِنْ عِنْدِ غَيْرِ اللَّهِ
لَوَجَدُوا فِيهِ اخْتِلَافًا كَثِيرًا

“Do they not ponder over the Qur'an?
Had it been from anyone other than
Allah, they would surely have found
therein much contradiction”.

(The Qur'an: 4: 82)

سَنُرِيهِمْ آيَاتِنَا فِي الْأَفَاقِ وَفِي أَنْفُسِهِمْ حَتَّىٰ يَتَبَيَّنَ لَهُمْ أَنَّهُ الْحَقُّ

“We will show them Our signs in the universe, and in their own selves, until it becomes manifest to them that This (the Qur’an) is the truth.

(The Qur’an: 41: 53)

The Qur'an is the *Living* Miracle!

- The Qur'an has withstood the test of time and scrutiny.
- It speaks of the past and it turns out to be right.
- It speaks of the future and it turns out to be right.
- It speaks of scientific facts and it amazes the scientists.
- Every other book needs to be revised in accordance with modern knowledge. **Not so the Qur'an!**
- **The Qur'an is unique in every respect!**

Summary

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The Qur'an *is...*

- *For* You, *about* You.
- Divine Guidance/The Maker's Instruction Manual
- **Your Calling Card to talk to Your Creator!**
- Inimitable
- **Incorruptible**
- Unsurpassable
- **Indisputable**

Should it be told that
you must Read the
Qur'an with
Understanding?

I leave it to your
common sense!

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رَبَّنَا تَقَبَّلْ مِنَّا
إِنَّكَ أَنْتَ السَّمِيعُ الْعَلِيمُ
صَلَّى اللهُ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ
صَلَّى اللهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ

Jazakallah Khair