

Sūrat al-Takāthur (Rivalry)

سورة التكاثر

Súrah – 102

No of Ayat – 8

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This is a 'Meccan' sūrah.

The surah that opens with the mention of the Rivalry as mentioned in verse 1. The surah criticizes man's preoccupation with worldly wealth and stresses that he will be brought to account on the Day of Resurrection.

The Holy Prophet (s.a.w.) said that whoever recites this surah before going to sleep at night will be saved from the torments of the grave. If this surah is recited in *faraa'idh* prayers, the reciter will get the reward of a hundred martyrs. If recited in the *nawafil* prayers, he will get the reward of fifty martyrs.

It is especially recommended to recite surah *at-Takāthur* in the 'Asr prayers and the person who does this remains under the protection of Allah until the day ends. Recitation of this surah is a cure from headaches. Another way of reciting *salaat al-Wahshat* (apart from the commonly known way) is to recite *Ayaatul Kursi* once and surah *al-Ikhlās* twice after the surah *al-Hamd* of the first rak'at and then recite surah *at-Takaathur* ten times after the surah *al-Hamd* of the second rak'at.

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بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

**In the Name of Allāh,
the All-beneficent, the All-merciful.**

عظیم اور دائمی رحمتوں والے خدا کے نام سے

अल्लाह के नाम से जो बड़ा कृपालु और अत्यन्त दयावान हैं।

bi-smi llāhi r-raḥmāni r-raḥīmi

أَلْهَاكُمْ التَّكَاثُرُ ﴿١﴾

Rivalry [and vainglory] distracted you

تمہیں باہمی مقابلہ کثرت مال و اولاد نے غافل بنا دیا

تुम्हें एक-दूसरे के मुक़ाबले में बहुतायत के प्रदर्शन और घमंड ने ग़फ़लत में डाल रखा है,

'alhākumu t-takāṭuru

حَتَّىٰ زُرْتُمُ الْمَقَابِرَ ﴿٢﴾

until you visited [even] the graves.

یہاں تک کہ تم نے قبروں سے ملاقات کرلی

यहाँ तक कि तुम क़ब्रिस्तानों में पहुँच गए

ḥattā zurtumu l-maqābira

﴿ ۳ ﴾ كَلَّا سَوْفَ تَعْلَمُونَ

**No indeed!
Soon you will know!**

دیکھو تمہیں عنقریب معلوم ہو جائے گا

कुछ नहीं, तुम शीघ्र ही जान लगे

kallā sawfa ta'lamūna

ثُمَّ كَلَّا سَوْفَ تَعْلَمُونَ ﴿٤﴾

**Again, no indeed!
Soon you will know!**

اور پھر خوب معلوم ہو جائے گا

فیر، کھ نہیں، تھہں شےہ ہی مالوم ہو آہہہہ -

thumma kallā sawfa ta'lamūna

﴿ ٥ ﴾ كَلَّا لَوْ تَعْلَمُونَ عِلْمَ الْيَقِينِ

**No indeed!
Were you to know with certain knowledge,**

دیکھو اگر تمہیں یقینی علم ہو جاتا

कुछ नहीं, अगर तुम विश्वसनीय ज्ञान के रूप में जान लो! (तो तुम धन-दौलत के पुजारी न बनो) -

kallā law ta 'lamūna 'ilma l-yaqīni

لَتَرَوُنَّ الْجَحِيمَ ﴿٦﴾

you would surely see hell.

کہ تم جہنم کو ضرور دیکھو گے

अवश्य ही तुम भड़कती आग से दो-चार होंगे

la-tarawunna l-ġaḥīma

ثُمَّ لَتَرَوُنَّهَا عَيْنَ الْيَقِينِ ﴿٧﴾

Again, you will surely see it with the eye of certainty.

پھر اسے اپنی آنکھوں دیکھے یقین کی طرح دیکھو گے

فیر سونو، उसे अवश्य देखोगे इस दशा में कि वह यथावत विश्वास होगा

tumma la-tarawunnahā 'ayna l-yaqīni

ثُمَّ لَتُسْأَلُنَّ يَوْمَئِذٍ عَنِ النَّعِيمِ ﴿٨﴾

Then, that day, you will surely be questioned concerning the blessing.

اور پھر تم سے اس دن نعمت کے بارے میں سوال کیا جائے گا

فیر نیشچہ ہی اس دن تمسے نعمتوں کے بارے میں پوچھا جائےگا

thumma la-tus'alunna yawma'idin 'ani n-na'imi

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