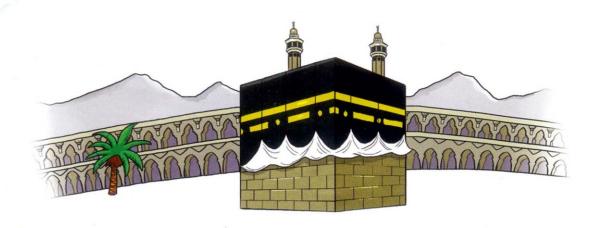


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To my dear husband, Nafeh, for believing in me from the very start.

To my babies Sofia and Sarah who I hope will reap the benefits of this book.

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In the Name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful.

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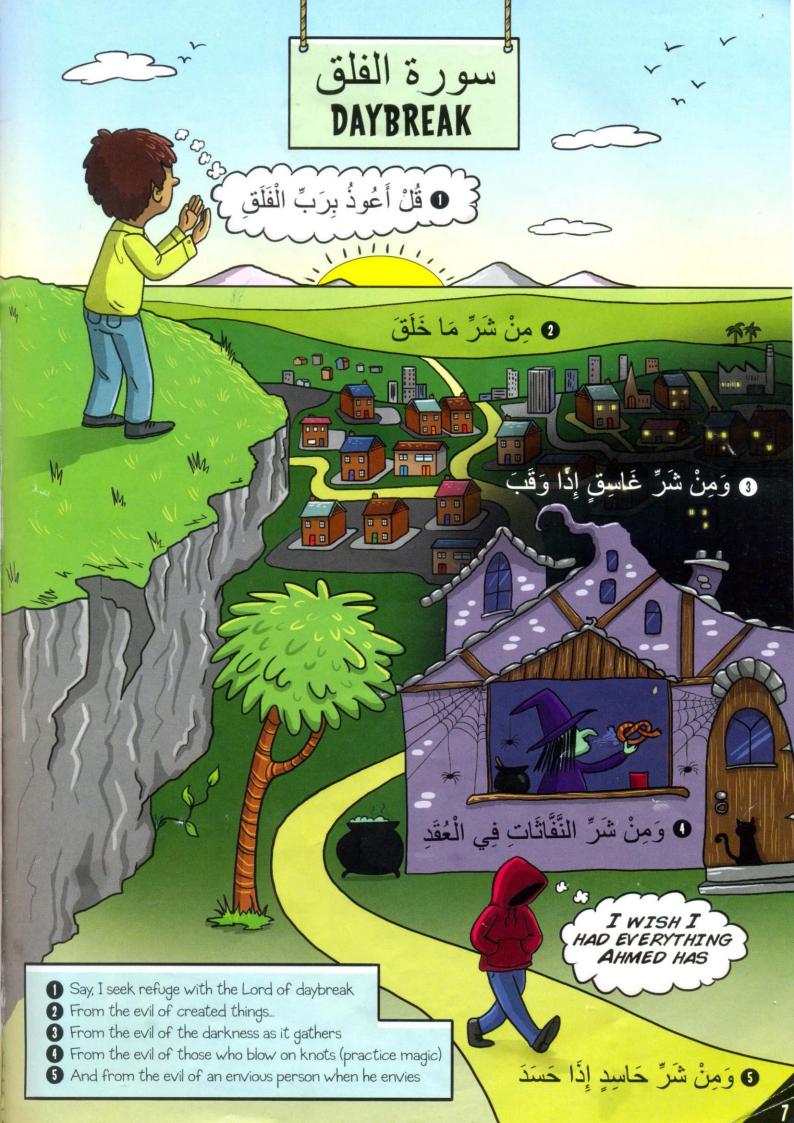
#### سورة الناس MANKIND

When the Prophet Muhammad (saw) began spreading the message of Islam, some people didn't like it and tried to hurt him. A man named Labeed Ibn a'Asam even used magic to make him ill. So Allah sent Surah Al-Naas and Surah Al-Falaq for the prophet to ask for Allah's protection from any evil. We can also read these surahs to protect ourselves.



1 2 3 Say, "I seek refuge in the Lord of mankind, the King of mankind, the God of mankind

- 1 From the evil of the sneaky whisperer
- 5 who whispers into the hearts of mankind
- 6 from among Jinn and among people

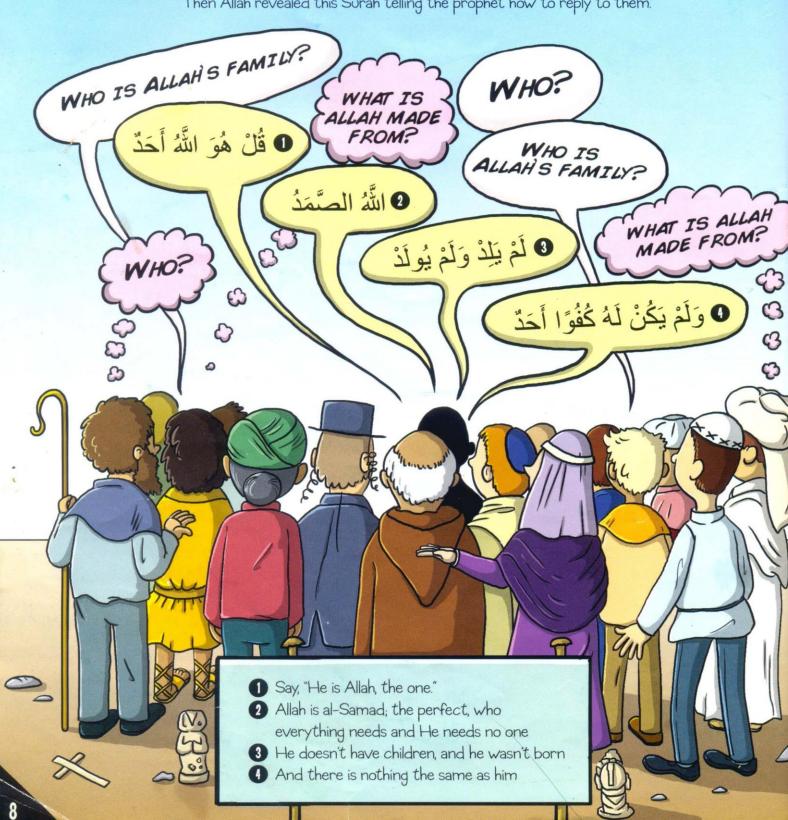


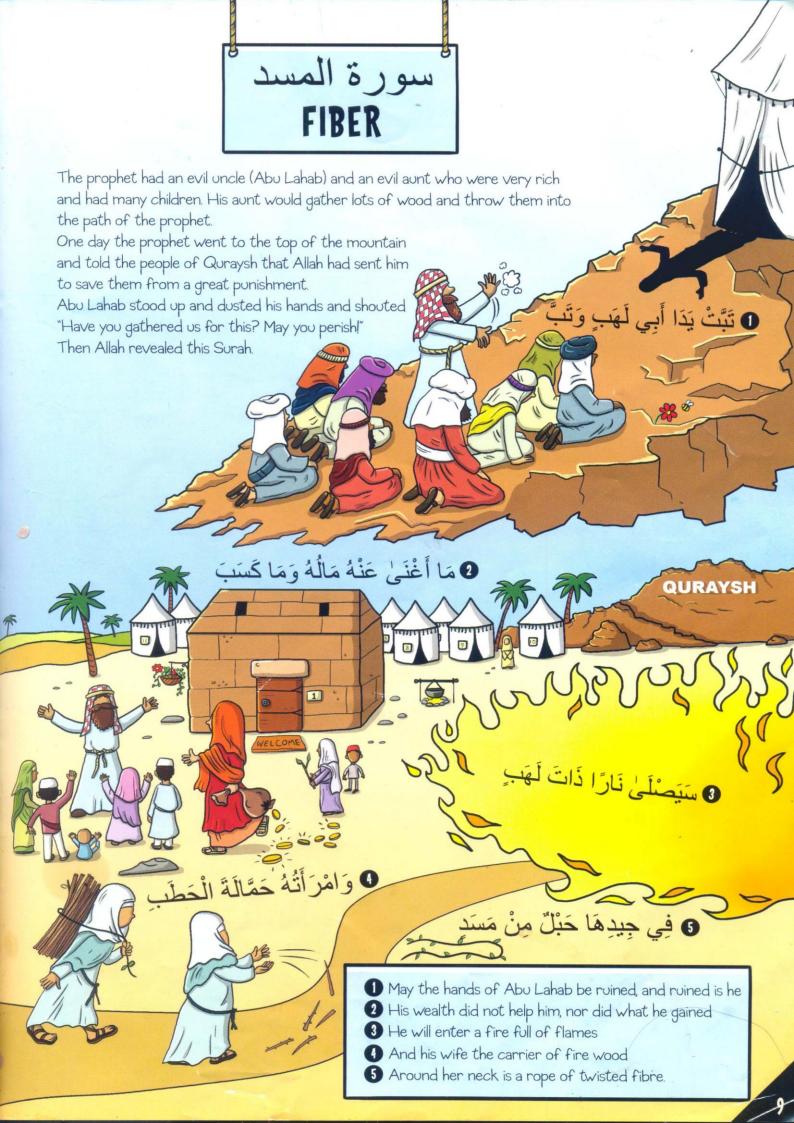
### سورة الإخلاص **PURIFICATION**

At the time of the prophet, people worshipped different things. Some people worshipped fire and others made their gods using their own hands. They made gods from wood, stones, dates, or even gold. Sometimes they worshipped more than one god, and sometimes their god had a partner or son.

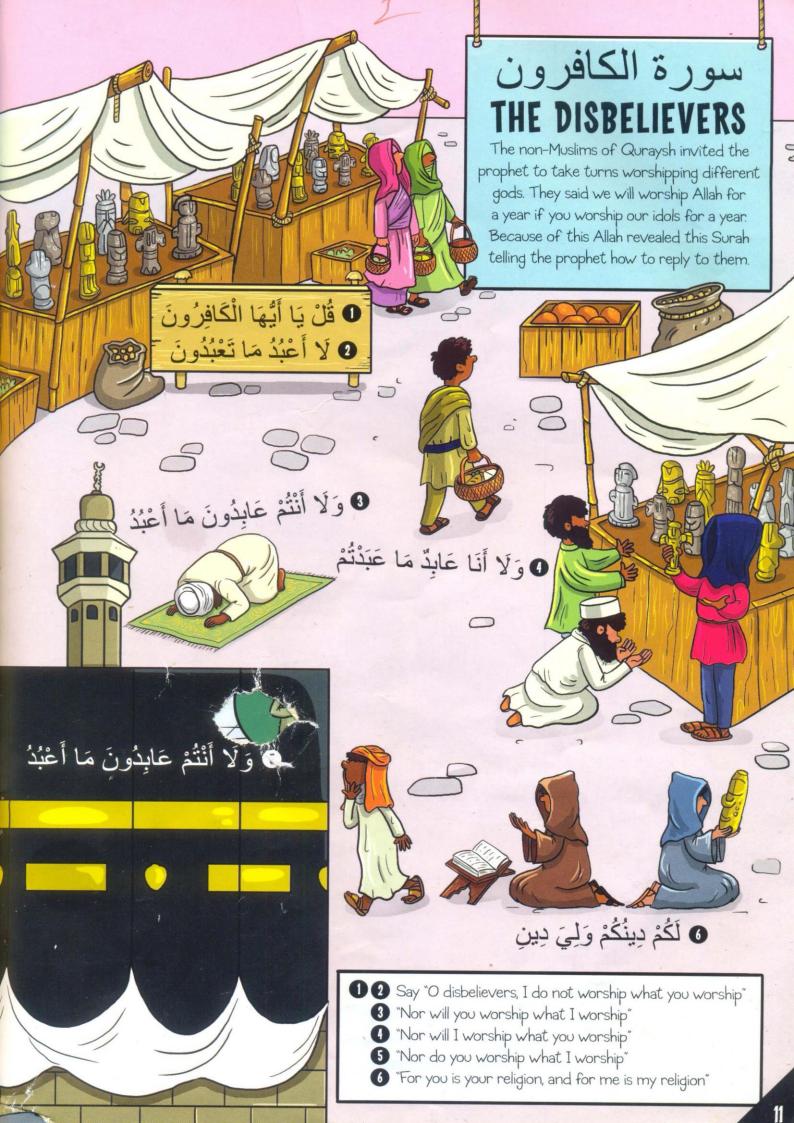
When these people heard about Allah they wanted to know more about Him so they asked the prophet "who is Allah's family?"

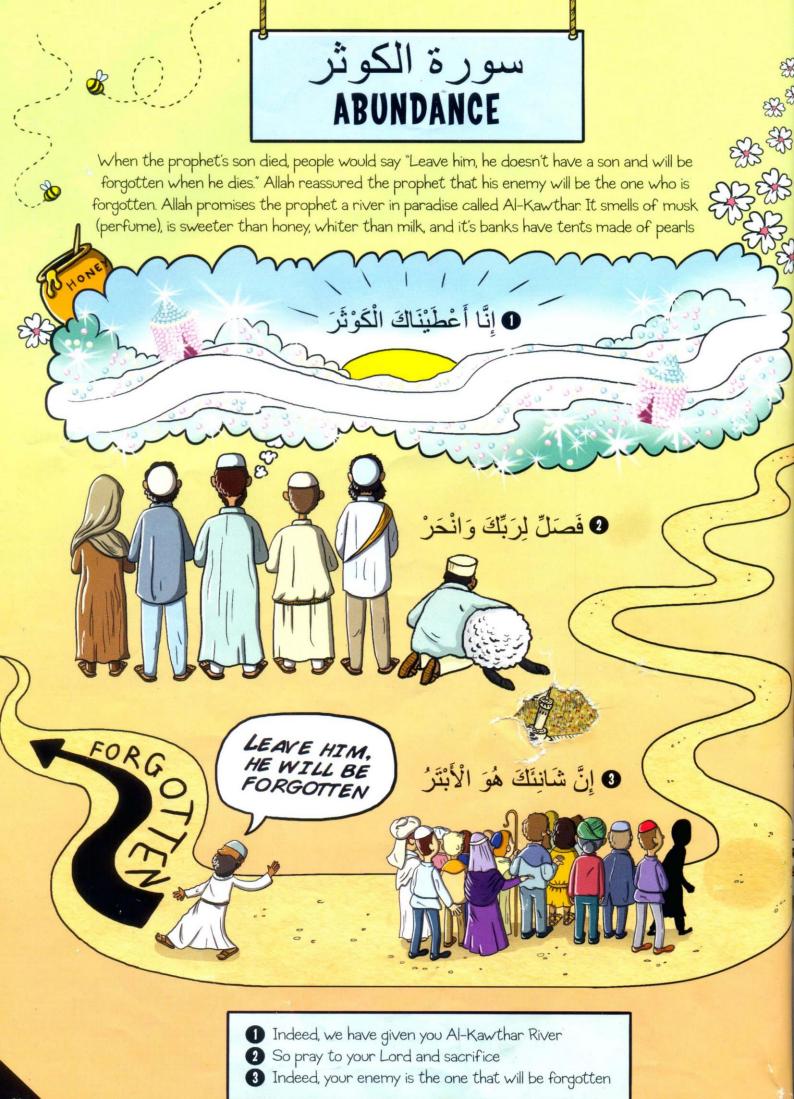
Then Allah revealed this Surah telling the prophet how to reply to them.







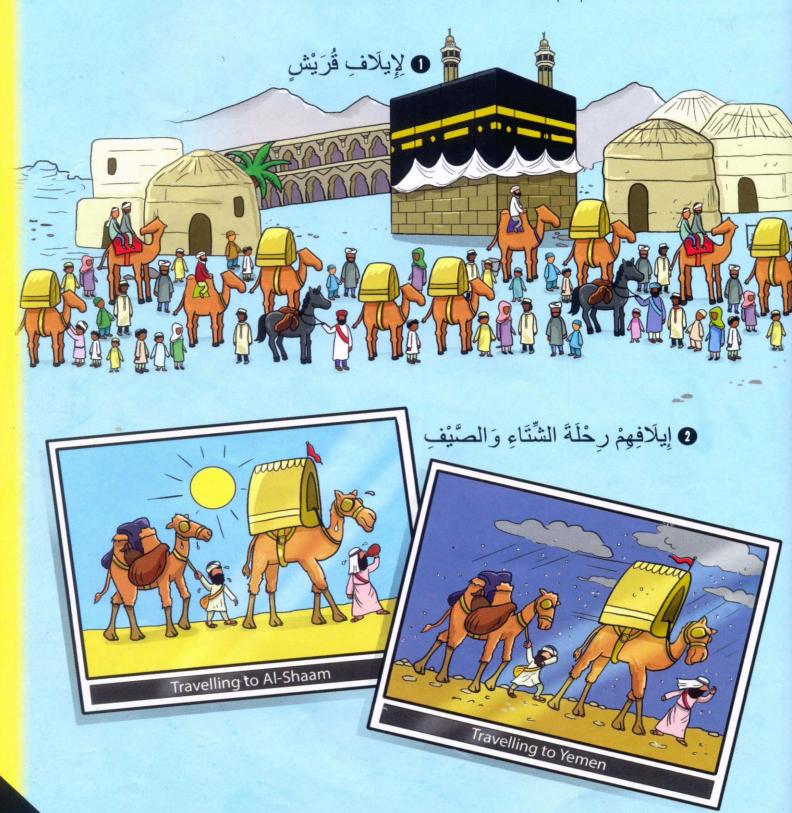


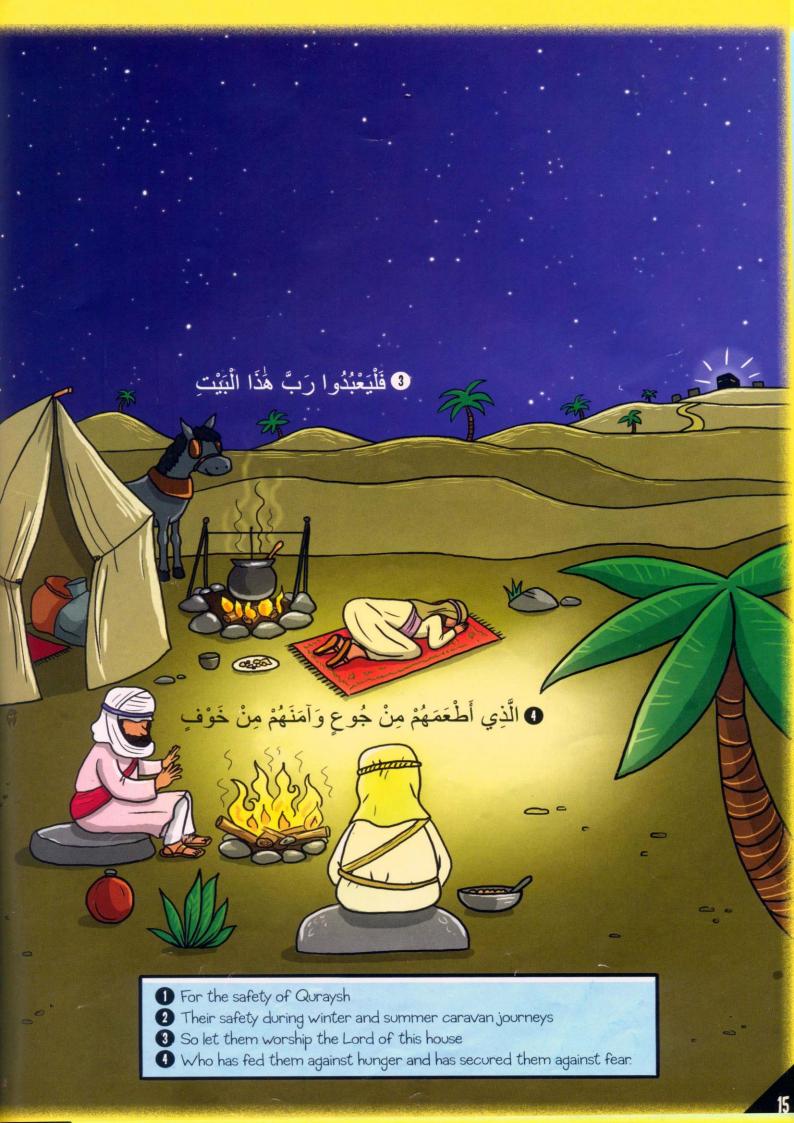




#### سورة قريش THE TRIBE OF QURAYSH

The people of Quraysh would travel for business and would go in a big group called a "caravan". They would travel during the summer to Al-Shaam and during winter to Yemen. They would then return safely to Makkah. Allah tells them to be grateful by worshipping Him, as He is the one who fed them from hunger and kept them safe during their journey. These good things were given to them because of the House of Allah, and that they were it's people.



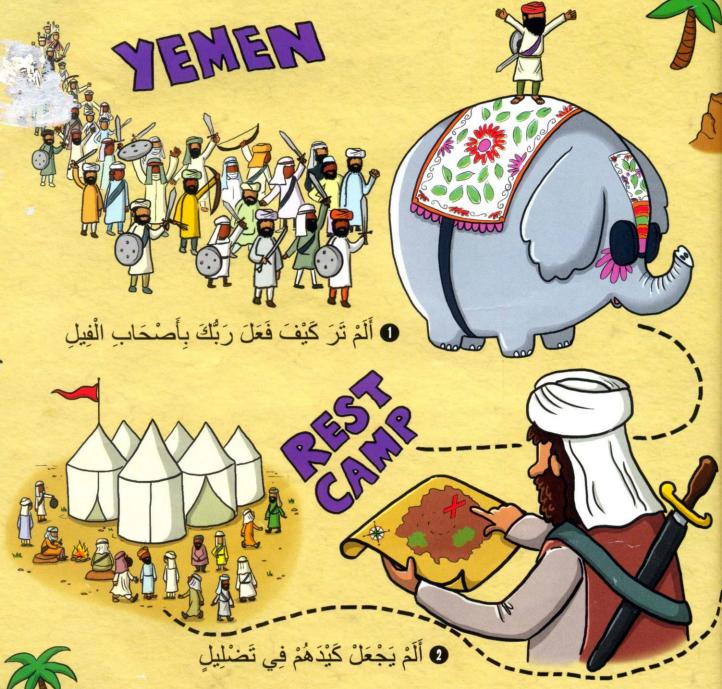




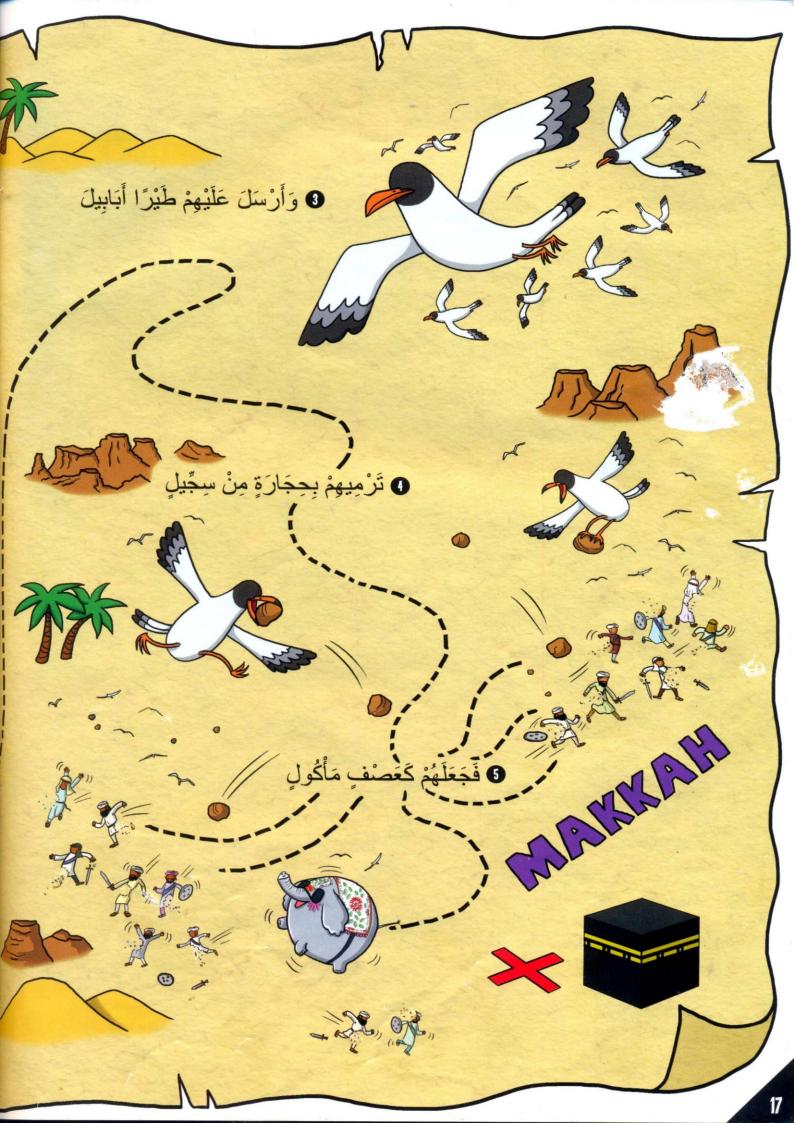
# سورة الفيل THE ELEPHANT



A man called Abrahah ruled Yemen. He was really jealous of Makkah because so many people from around the world would visit the Ka'bah. He prepared a very big and powerful army to attack Makkah. He even took a huge elephant with him to destroy the Ka'bah, but Allah sent birds from the sea to attack him. Each bird carried three small stones to punish them.

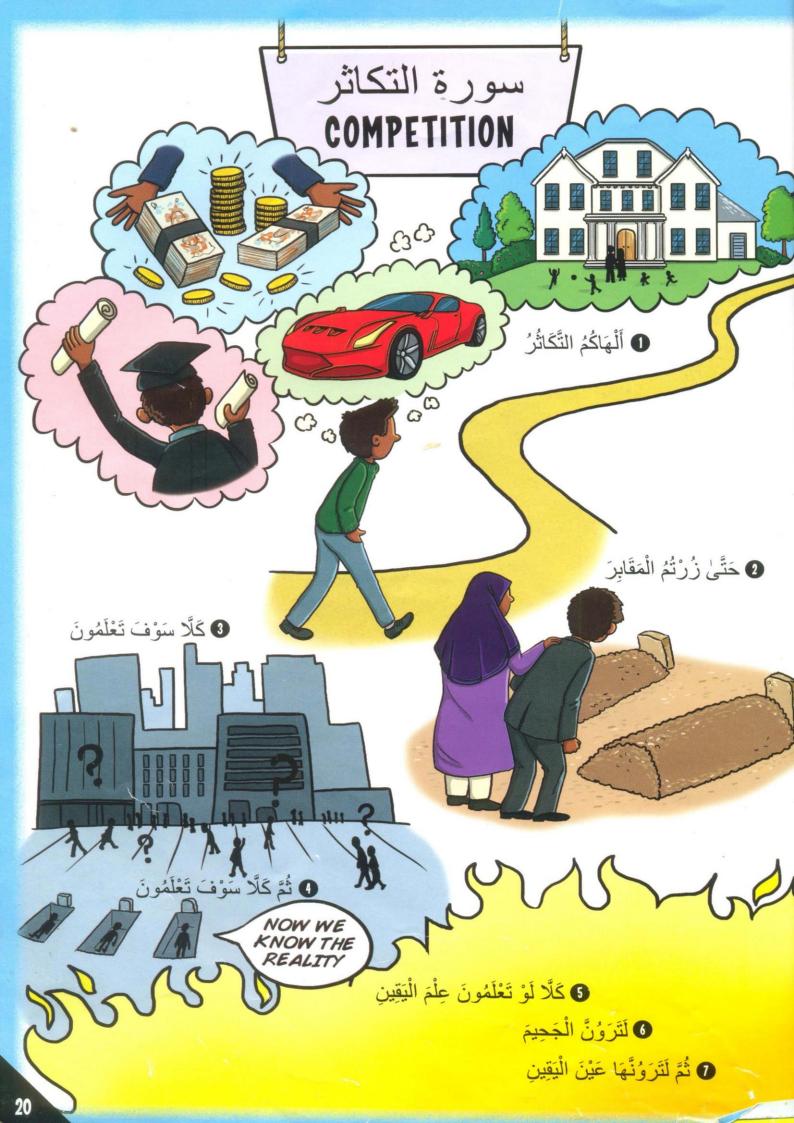


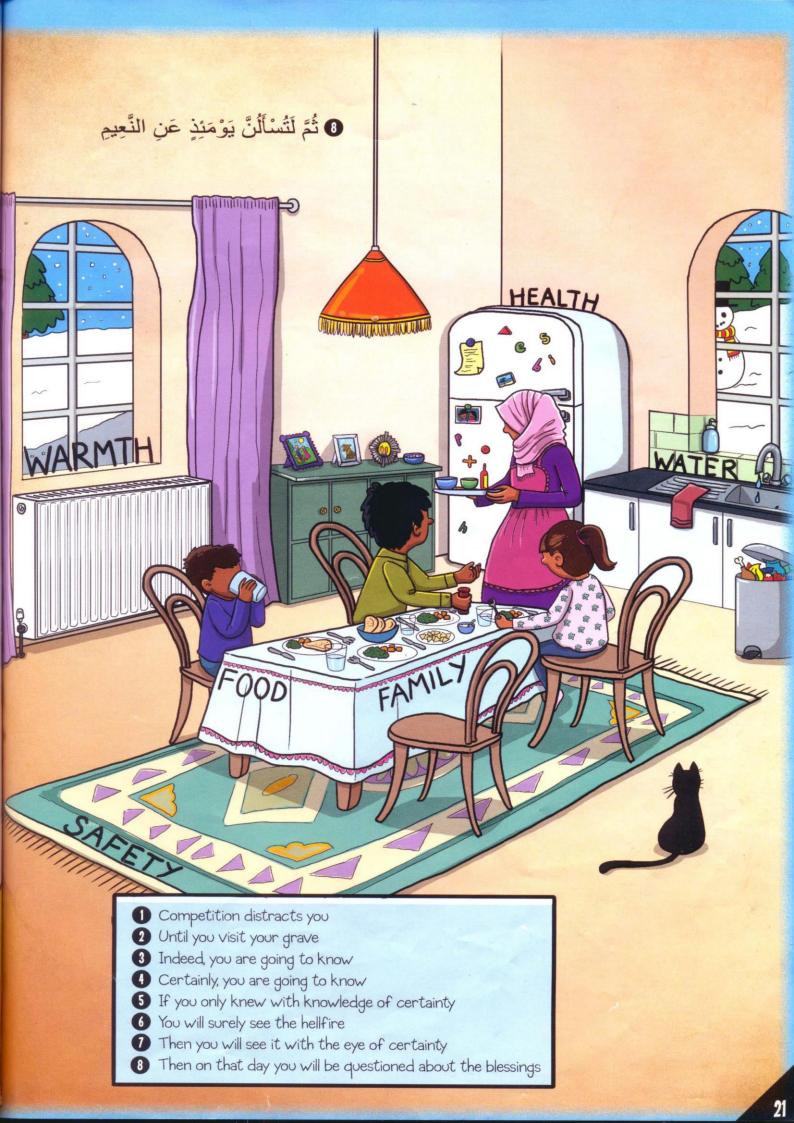
- 1 Have you not seen how your Lord dealt with the people of the elephant?
- 2 Did He not make their plan go wrong?
- 3 He sent against them birds in flocks
- 1 Throwing at them rocks of baked clay
- 5 Leaving them like chewed-up leaves











## سورة القارعة THE SHOCKER



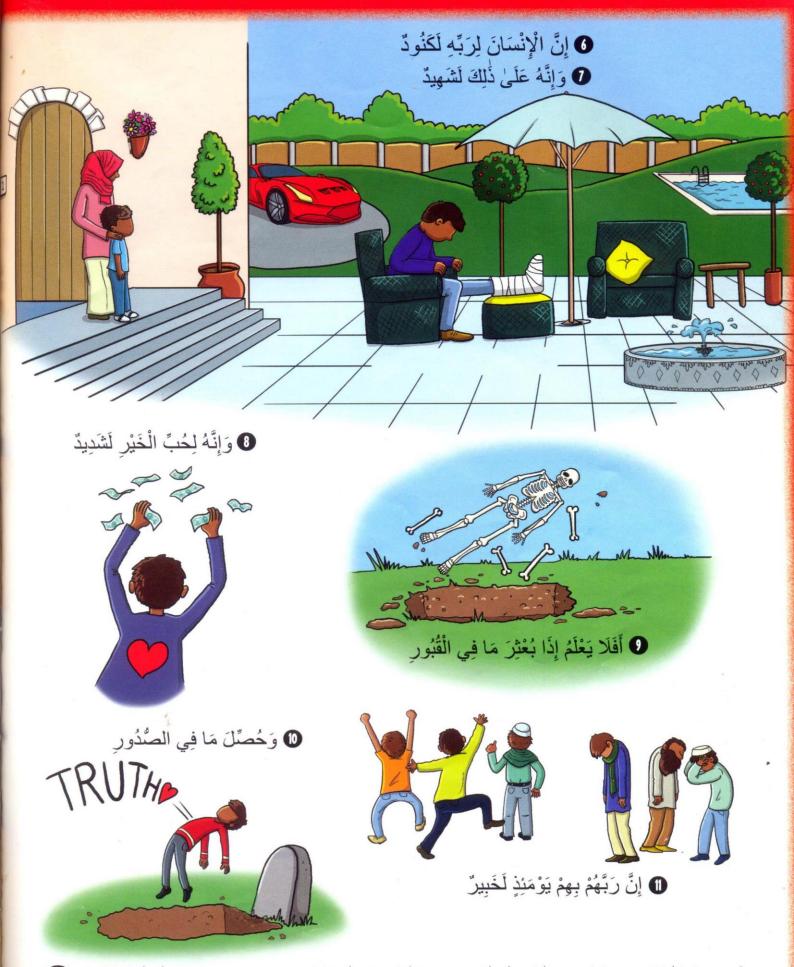




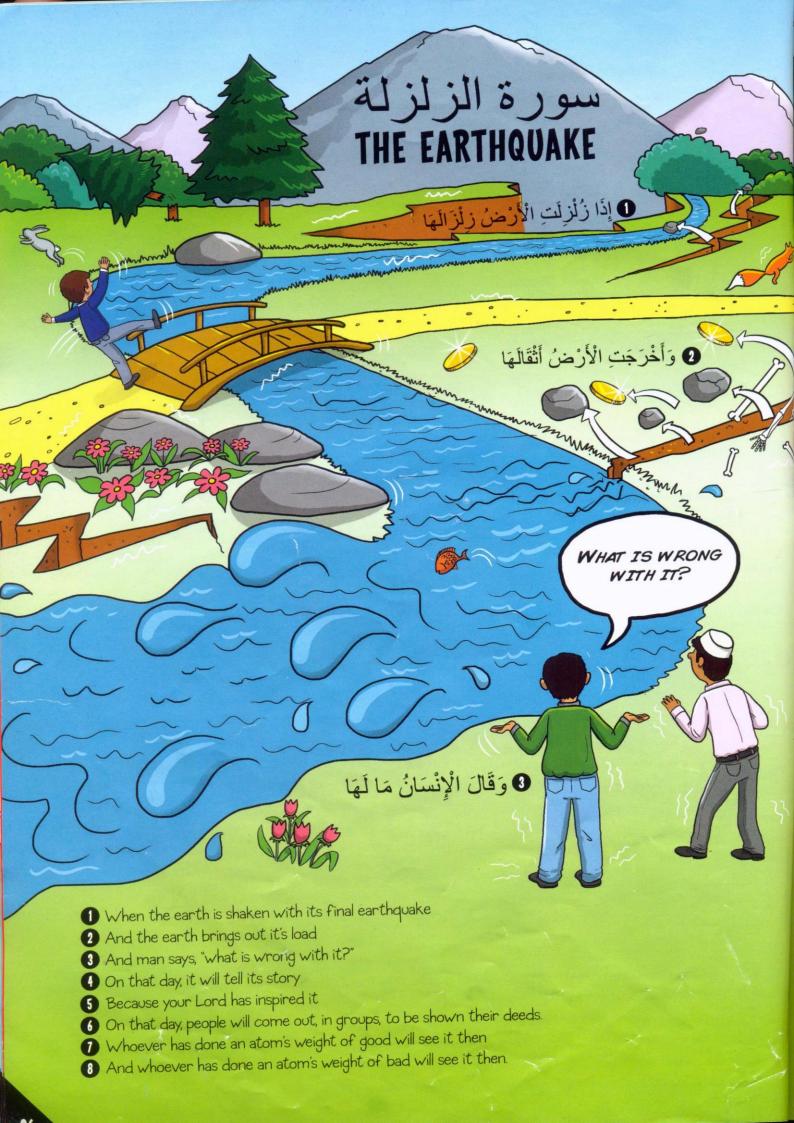


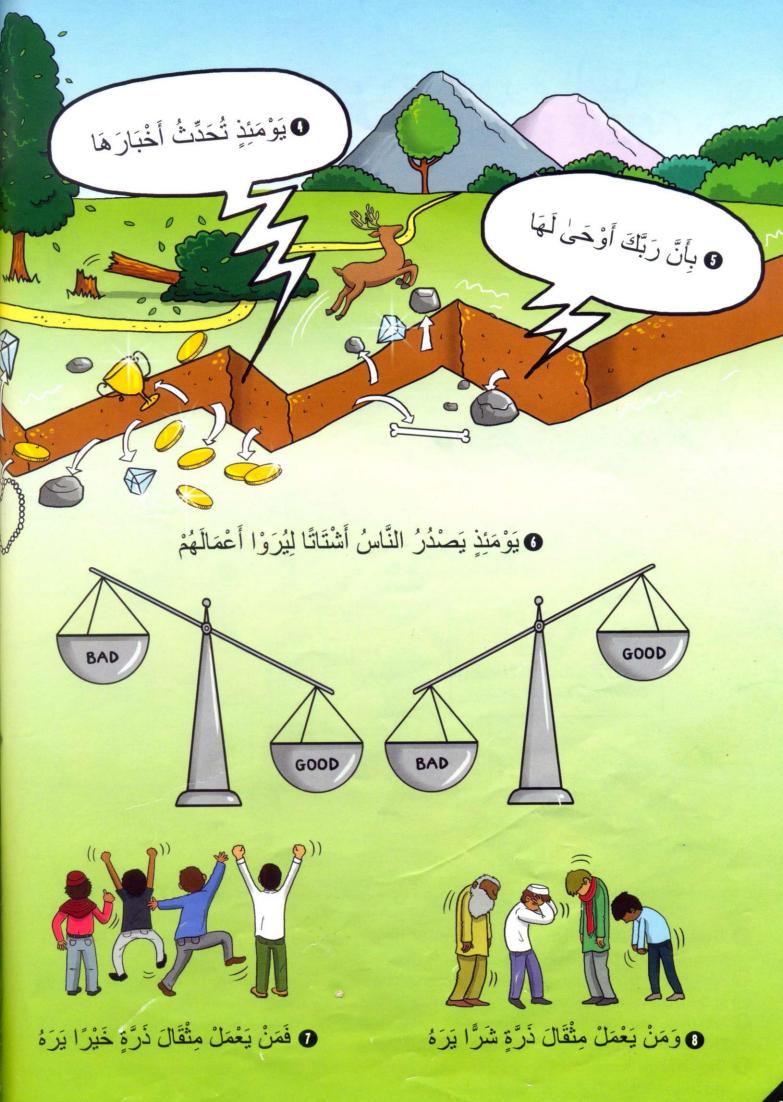


3 Arriving in the centre collectively



- 6 Indeed, the human being is ungrateful to his Lord. (He counts the hardships and forgets Allah's favours)
- 7 And he bears witness to that
- 8 And he is fierce in his love of wealth
- Does he not know that when the contents of the grave are scattered.
- 10 And the contents of the hearts are obtained
- Their Lord, on that day is fully informed of them





## سورة البينة CLEAR EVIDENCE





لَمْ يَكُنِ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا مِنْ أَهْلِ الْكِتَابِ وَالْمُشْرِكِينَ مُنْفَكِّينَ حَتَّىٰ تَأْتِيَهُمُ الْبَيِّنَةُ

أَسُولٌ مِنَ اللَّهِ يَتْلُو صُحُفًا مُطَهَّرةً

أيمة فيها كُتُبٌ قَيِّمة أيسة



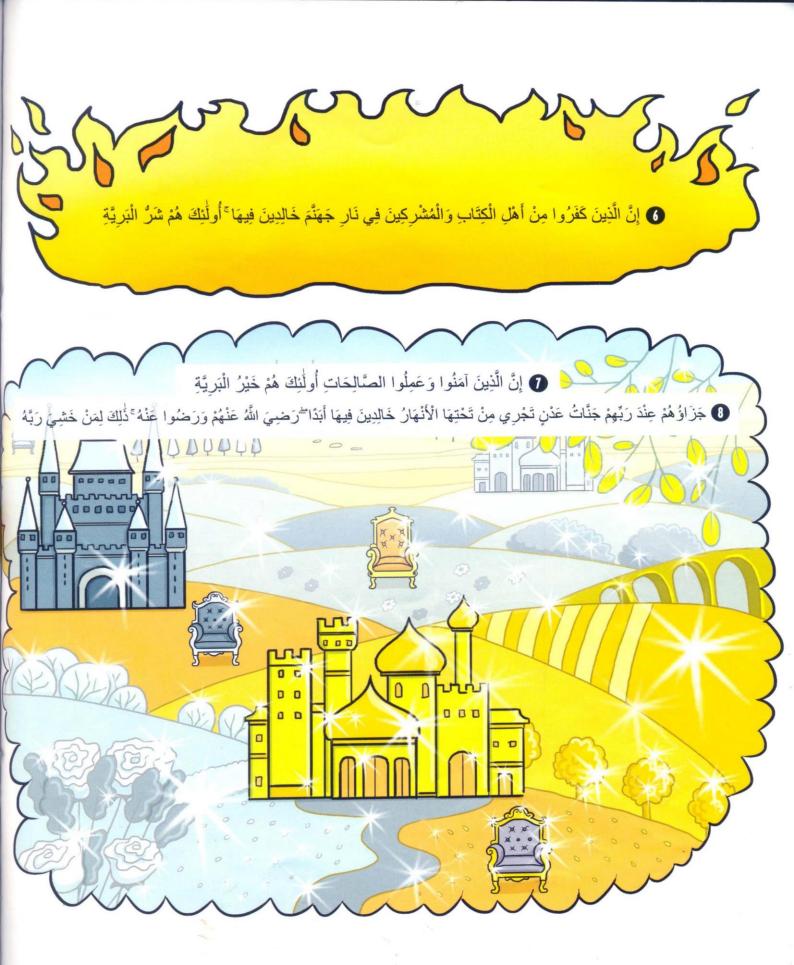




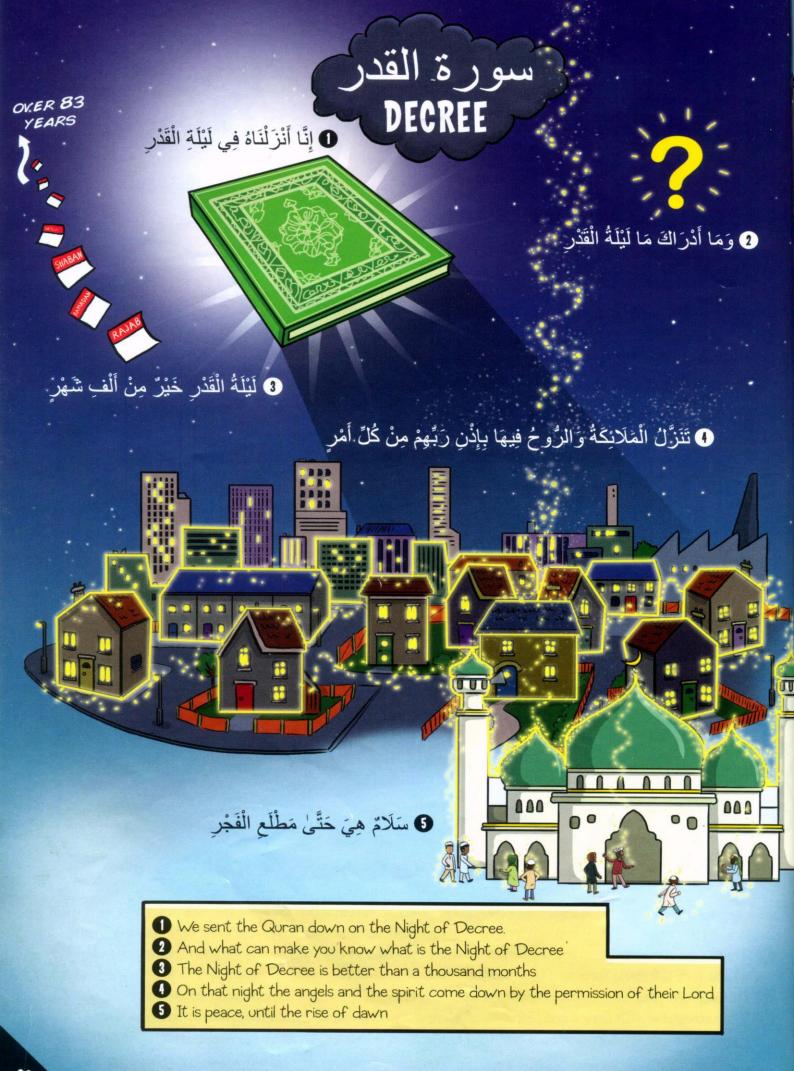


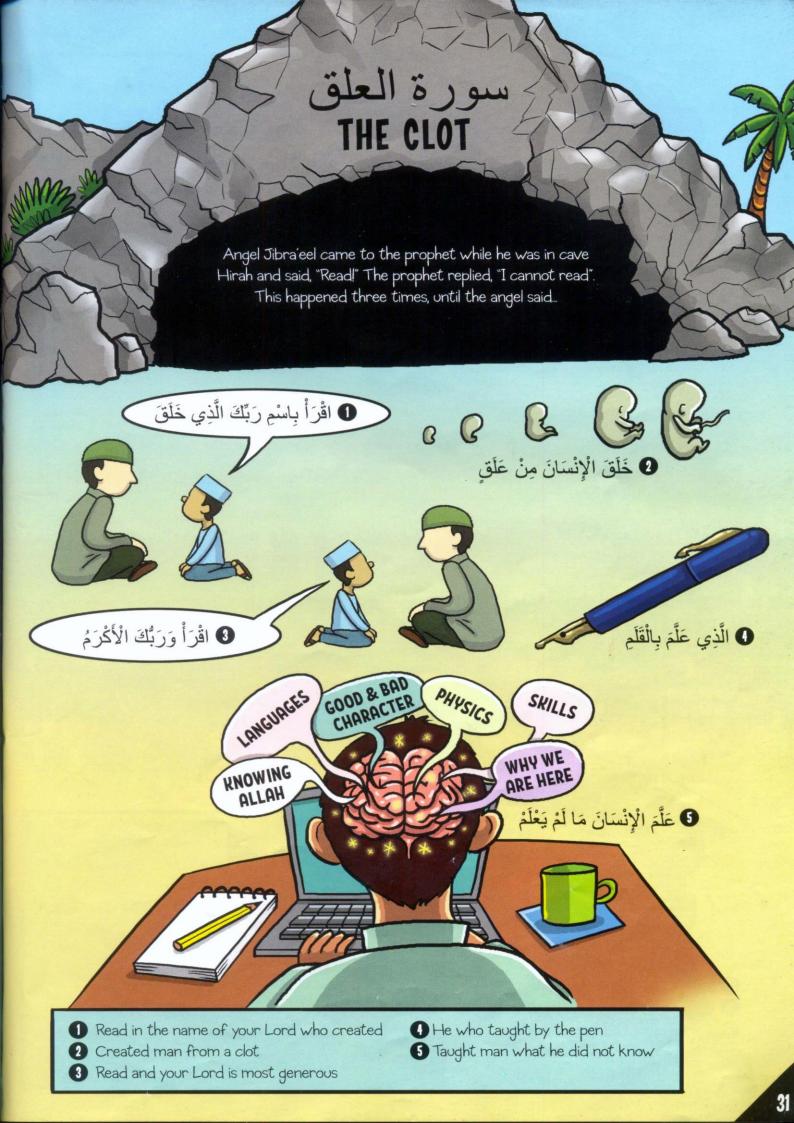
وَمَا أُمِرُوا إِلَّا لِيَعْبُدُوا اللَّهَ مُخْلِصِينَ لَهُ الدِّينَ حُنَفَاءَ وَيُقِيمُوا الصَّلَاةَ وَيُؤثُوا الزَّكَاةَ ۚ وَذَٰلِكَ دِينُ الْقَيِّمَةِ

- 1 Those who disbelieved from among the people of the scripture, and the polytheists, were not to be parted from disbelief until the clear evidence came to them
- 2 A messenger from Allah, reciting purified scripts
- 3 In them are valuable writings
- 1 And those who were given the scripture did not divide until after the clear evidence came to them. Their ill intentions, jealousy and hatred caused their divisions
- 5 They were commanded only to worship Allah, devoting their faith to Him alone, and to practice regular prayer, and to give Zakah. That is the upright religion



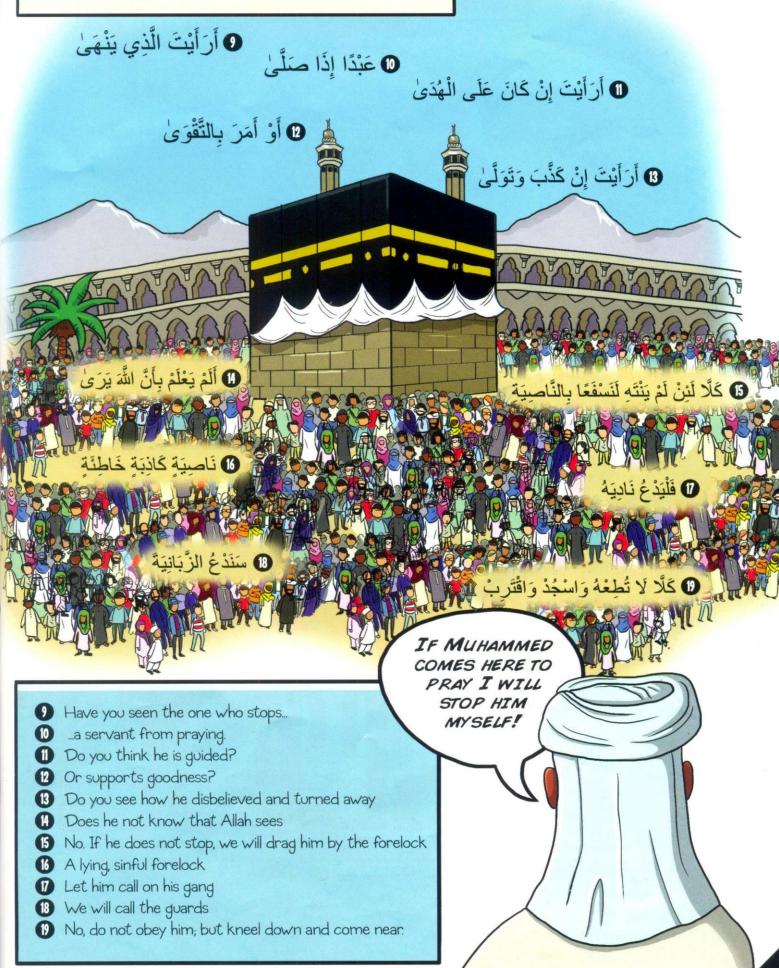
- Those who disbelieved among the people of the scripture and the polytheists, will be in the fire of hell, where they will abide forever. These are the worst of creatures.
- 1 As for those who have believed and done righteous deeds these are the best of creatures
- 1 Their reward is with their Lord: Gardens of eternity beneath which rivers flow, where they will abide forever. Allah is pleased with them, and they are pleased with Him. That is for whoever feared his Lord.







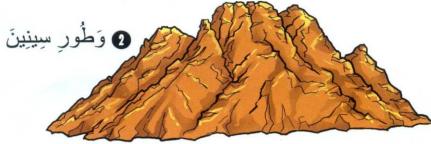
Abu Jahl, the prophet's uncle, tried to stop him from praying in the Ka'bah. Allah describes him in these ayahs...

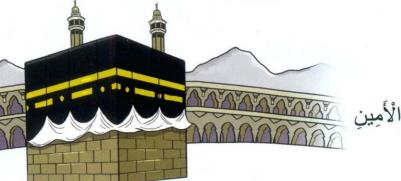


#### سورة التين THE FIG

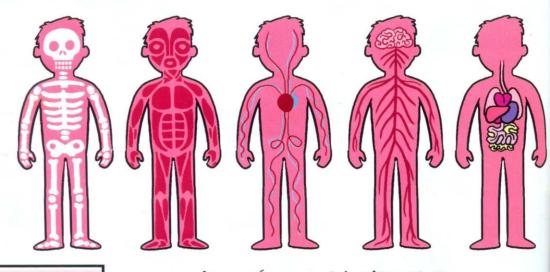


وَالتِّينِ وَالزَّيْتُونِ

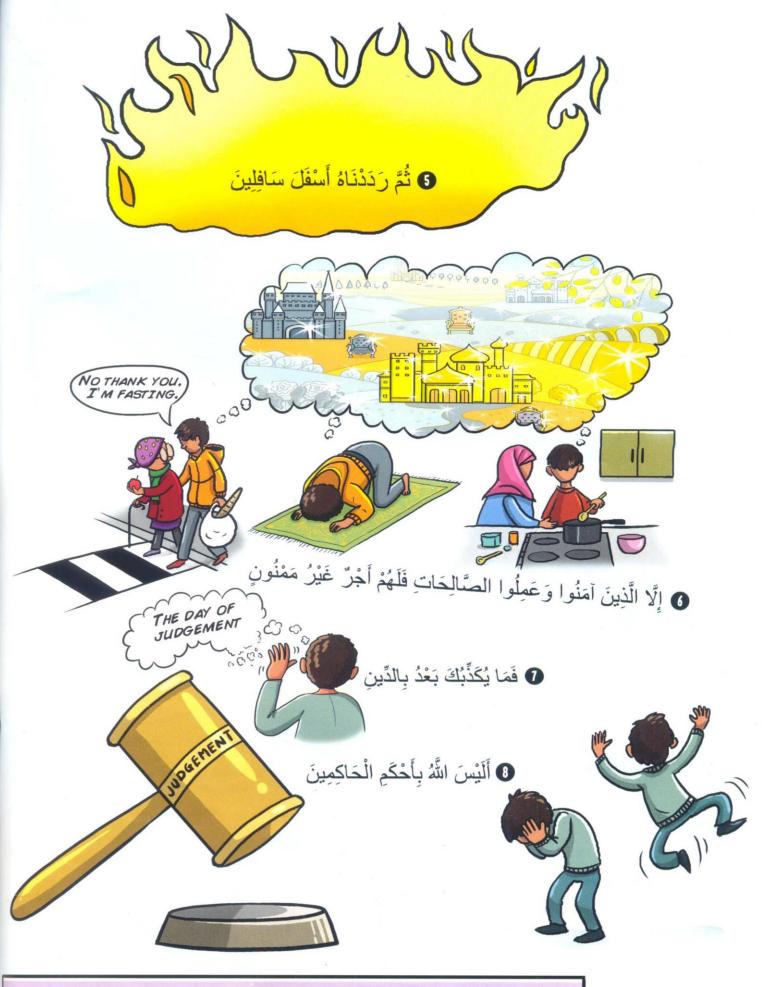




وَهَٰذَا الْبَلَدِ الْأَمِينِ



- By the fig and the olive
   تَقُويمٍ
   تَقُويمٍ
   تَقُويمٍ
- 2 And Sinai mountain
- 3 And this safe land.
- 1 We created man in the best form



- 5 Then we reduced him to the lowest of the low
- 6 Except those who believe and do good deeds, they shall have a reward without end.
- Then what causes you to deny the day of judgement?
- 1 Is Allah not the wisest of judges?

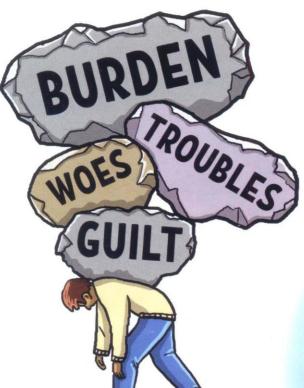
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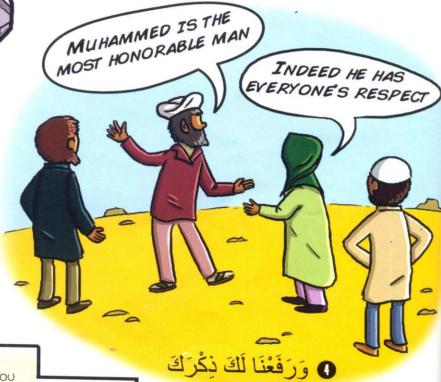
This Surah discusses the support Allah gave to the prophet. The pictures, however, are not of the prophet.





2 وَوَضَعْنَا عَنْكَ وِزْرَكَ





1 Have we not opened your chest for you

الَّذِي أَنْقَضَ ظَهْرَكَ

2 And removed your burden from you (Mistakes forgiven)

3 Which weighed down your back

4 And have we not raised high your fame





- 5 Verily, after hardship comes ease
- 6 Verily, after hardship comes ease
- 1 So when you have finished, devote yourself to Allah's worship
- 8 And turn to your Lord for everything

## سورة الضحى THE MORNING LIGHT



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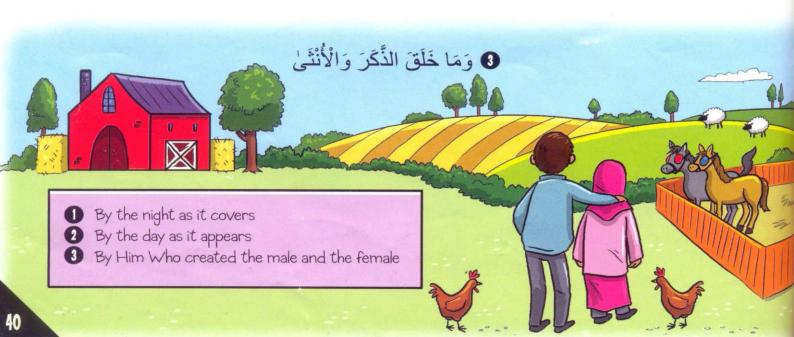
5 And your Lord will give you, and you will be satisfied

6 Did He not find you orphaned, and sheltered you

















- 17 But the devout will avoid it
- 18 He who gives his money to become pure
- 19 Seeking no favour in return
- 10 Only seeking the acceptance of his Lord, the most high
- 21 And he will be satisfied



و وَالشَّمْسِ وَ ضُحَاهَا

و و الْقَمْرِ إِذَا تَلَاهَا وَ الْقَمْرِ إِذَا تَلَاهَا

وَالنَّهَارِ إِذَا جَلَّاهَا

• وَاللَّيْلِ إِذَا يَغْشَاهَا

وَالسَّمَاءِ وَمَا بَنَاهَا

6 وَالْأَرْض وَمَا طَحَاهَا



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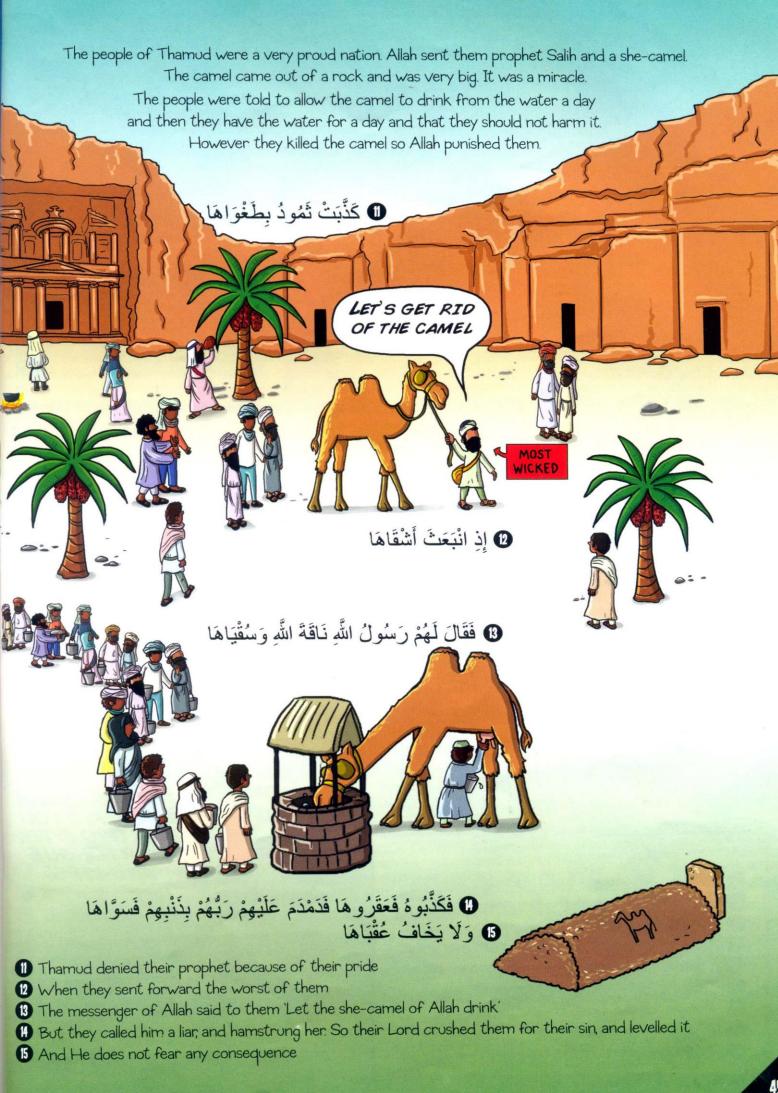


قَدْ أَفْلَحَ مَنْ زَكَّاهَا

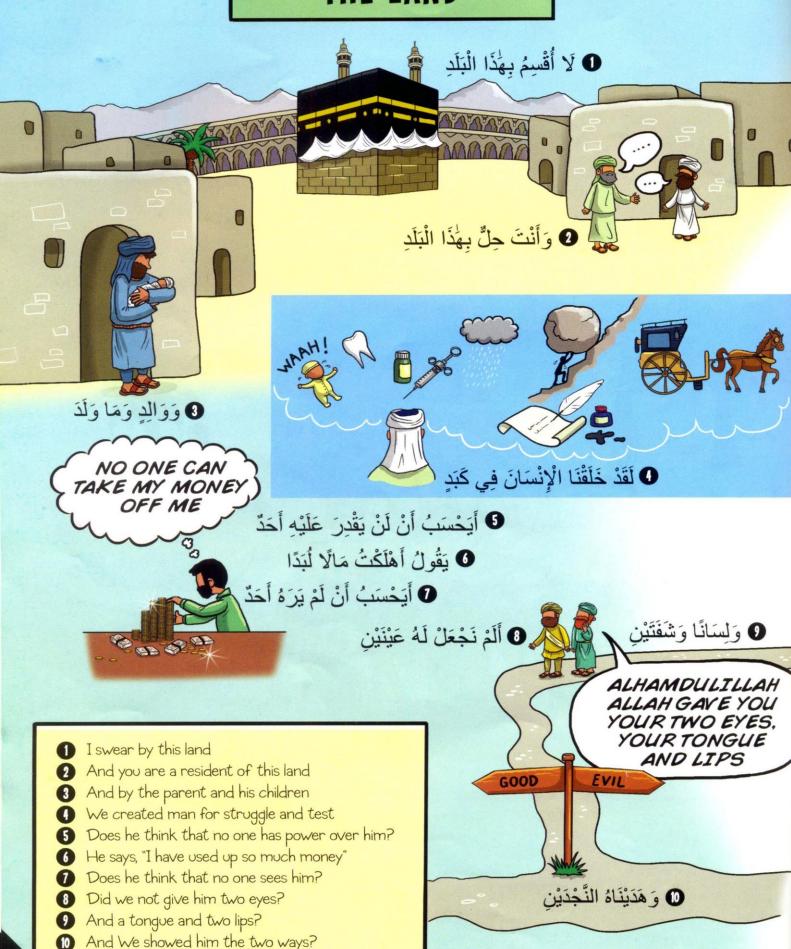
- 1 By the sun and its brightness
- 2 And the moon as it follows it
- 3 And the day as it reveals it
- 1 And the night as it hides it
- 3 And the sky and He who built it
- 6 And the earth and He who spread it
- 1 And the soul and He who proportioned it
- 8 And inspired it with its wickedness and it's righteousness.
- 9 Successful is he who purifies it
- 10 Failing is he who corrupts it



0 وَقَدْ خَابَ مَنْ دَسَّاهَا



## سورة البلد THE LAND















ا ثُمَّ كَانَ مِنَ الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا وَتَوَاصَوْا بِالصَّبْرِ وَتَوَاصَوْا بِالْمَرْحَمَةِ



## 8 أُولَٰئِكَ أَصْحَابُ الْمَيْمَنَةِ

- 1 But he did not try to cross the steep path
- 2 And what will explain to you what the steep path is?
- 13 The freeing of a slave
- 1) Or the feeding on a day of hunger
- 15 An orphan near of kin
- 16 Or a destitute in the dusk
- Then he becomes of those who believe, and advice one another to patience, and advice one another to kindness
- 18 Those are the people of the right hand
- 10 But as for those who deny Our revelations these are the people of the left hand.
- 10 Upon them is a padlocked fire







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