

ALLAH – OUR LORD

Dear reader, did you ever ask yourself what makes Muslims all over the world pray obediently five times a day to their Lord without getting tired of it? Where does the good will to leave eating and drinking during the daylight for one month every year come from? Why do they give obligatory charity from their wealth, or why do they proudly spend every coin of their years' long savings in order to visit the Holy Kabah in Makkah?

You should know that the powers of a believer come from his strong faith in Allah. Did your heart discover Allah, The Almighty?

DISCOVERING THE TRUTH

The best path to reach to Allah is to think about Allah's creatures. The more you think about Allah's creatures, as well as about the secrets and the wisdom behind its creation, the stronger your faith in Allah will become. Therefore, Islam potentiates thinking and learning.

The Almighty says: **"Do they see nothing in the government of the heavens and the earth and all that God hath created?"** (Surah Al-A'raf:185)

A reasonable human being can discover Allah and accept the fact that a Creator-The Almighty Allah exists. If you look around yourself, you can conclude, that nothing was made by a chance, but it all has a PRODUCER.

A long time ago a Bedouin said: "If the feces of a camel is an indication of a camel and the footsteps of it, the direction that it is heading for, aren't than

the Earth and all the mountains spread over it an indication the Creation of Allah- the Almighty?"

It is impossible for something to be created on its own, as the unreasonable once try to present it. It is impossible that a "NOTHING" creates something, because it doesn't exist at all.

A reasonable human being understands that there is no book written without an author, nor is a house built without a construction worker, nor there is milk without a cow, nor an apple without an apple tree. In all cases mentioned the producers are men, animals or plants. However, if we see Allah's creatures around us, such as mountains, rivers, sky and stars, as human beings we can conclude, that the huge lunar system was not created by a chance or on its own. It was created by someone. Is the creator human being, animal or plant?

The One, who created it, is more powerful than a human being, especially when looking at the fact, that He controls everything on the Earth and in the sky without any difficulty.

The Exalted says: **"Behold! in the creation of the heavens and the earth; in the alternation of the Night and the Day; in the sailing of the ships through the Ocean for the profit of mankind; in the rain which God sends down from the skies, and the life which He gives therewith to an earth that is dead; in the beasts of all kinds that He scatters through the earth; in the**

change of the winds, and the clouds which they trail like their slaves between the sky and the earth;- (here) indeed are Signs for a people that are wise." (Surah Al-Baqarah:164)

For the reasonable human being it is enough just to think about its own bodily organs, for example, about its eyes. Who created them so wisely and assigned their place and their function in the human body? Who made them wisely look so pretty and decorated them with soft eyelids, eye brows and eye lashes? Who thought them, when they still were in early stages of formation in the mothers' womb, about most sophisticated existence of light? Who made them in different colors such as blue, green, brown? Were they not purposefully created by someone?

The Exalted says: **"Verily in the heavens and the earth, are Signs for those who believe. And in the creation of yourselves and the fact that animals are scattered (through the earth), are Signs for those of assured Faith. And in the alternation of Night and Day, and the fact that God sends down Sustenance from the sky, and revives therewith the earth after its death, and in the change of the winds-- are Signs for those that are wise. Such are the Signs of God, which We rehearse to thee in Truth; then in what exposition will they believe after (rejecting) God and His Signs?"** (Surah Al-Jathiyah: 3-6)

All this indicates that there is a BEING above all, which Muslims call ALLAH. Allah is the Lord and the Creator of all worlds. He is The One and the Only, which doesn't have a Companion. He created the human being from a drop of a sperm and gave it the looks He wanted.

The Exalted says: **“Do ye then see? - The (human Seed) that ye throw out, - Is it ye who create it, or are We the Creators? We have decreed Death to be your common lot, and We are not to be frustrated from changing your Forms and creating you (again) in (forms) that ye know not. And ye certainly know already the first form of creation: why then do ye not celebrate His praises!”** (Surah Al-Wak'iah: 58-62)

In what He created, there is no deficiency. Everything is precise, harmonized and perfect.

He is the Exalted and the Glorious. He is in no need of His creatures but His creatures are in the need of Him!

The Exalted says: **“Who is it that sustains you (in life) from the sky and from the earth? or who is it that has power over hearing and sight? And who is it that brings out the living from the dead and the dead from the living? and who is it that rules and regulates all affairs?”** They will soon say, **“God”**. Say, **“will ye not then show piety (to Him)?”** (Surah, Junus: 31)

He also says: **“See ye the seed that ye sow in the ground? Is it ye that cause it to grow, or**

are We the Cause? Were it Our Will, We could crumble it to dry powder, and ye would be left in wonderment. “We are indeed left with debts (for nothing):” Indeed are we shut out (of the fruits of our labor)” See ye the water which ye drink? Do ye bring it down (in rain) from the cloud or do We? Were it Our Will, We could make it salt (and unpalatable): then why do ye not give thanks? See ye the Fire which ye kindle? Is it ye who grow the tree which feeds the fire, or do We grow it? We have made it a memorial (of Our handiwork), and an article of comfort and convenience for the denizens of deserts. Then celebrate with praises the name of thy Lord, the Supreme! (Surah Al-Waq'iah: 63 -74)

Think carefully about Allah's signs, which are present around you. Think and you will realize that Allah is the Exalted and also your Lord and your Creator.

Know that He did not create you without a purpose. He owns exclusive rights, which you must fulfill. He asks you to learn and put them into your daily practice.

The Exalted says: **“Closer and closer to mankind comes their Reckoning: yet they heed not and they turn away.”** (Surah Al-Anbiya: 1)

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