## Sūrah al-Layl<sup>1806</sup>

## Bismillāhir-Raḥmānir-Raḥeem

- 1. By the night when it covers<sup>1807</sup>
- 2. And [by] the day when it appears
- 3. And [by] He who created the male and female,
- 4. Indeed, your efforts are diverse.
- 5. As for he who gives and fears Allāh
- 6. And believes in the best [reward],
- 7. We will ease him toward ease.
- 8. But as for he who withholds and considers himself free of need
- 9. And denies the best [reward],
- 10. We will ease him toward difficulty.
- 11. And what will his wealth avail him when he falls?<sup>1808</sup>
- 12. Indeed, [incumbent] upon Us is guidance.
- 13. And indeed, to Us belongs the Hereafter and the first [life].
- 14. So I have warned you of a Fire which is blazing.
- 15. None will [enter to] burn therein except the most wretched one
- 16. Who had denied and turned away.
- 17. But the righteous one will avoid it -
- 18. [He] who gives [from] his wealth to purify himself
- And not [giving] for anyone who has [done him] a favor to be rewarded<sup>1809</sup>
- 20. But only seeking the countenance of his Lord, Most High.
- 21. And he is going to be satisfied.

<sup>1806</sup> Al-Layl: The Night.

<sup>1807</sup> With darkness.

<sup>1808, ...,</sup> when he dies or is destroyed. It can also mean when he falls into 1809, the Hellfire.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>809</sup>i.e., without intending reciprocation for some benefit to himself.

## Sūrah a<u>dh</u>-<u>Dh</u>uḥā<sup>1810</sup>

## Bismillāhir-Raḥmānir-Raḥeem

- 1. By the morning brightness
- 2. And [by] the night when it covers with darkness,<sup>1811</sup>
- Your Lord has not taken leave of you, [O Muḥammad], nor has He detested [you].
- 4. And the Hereafter is better for you than the first [life].
- 5. And your Lord is going to give you, and you will be satisfied.
- 6. Did He not find you an orphan and give [you] refuge?
- 7. And He found you lost and guided [you],
- 8. And He found you poor and made [you] self-sufficient.
- 9. So as for the orphan, do not oppress [him].
- 10. And as for the petitioner,<sup>1812</sup> do not repel [him].
- 11. But as for the favor of your Lord, report [it].

<sup>1810</sup> Adh-Dhuhā: The Morning Brightness, i.e., the brightness or heat of the sun. 1811 And becomes still.

<sup>1812</sup> Anyone who seeks aid or knowledge.