

3. So let them worship (Allâh) the Lord of this House (the *Ka'bah* in Makkah),

4. (He) Who has fed them against hunger, and has made them safe from fear.

Sûrat Al-Mâ'ûn
(The Small Kindnesses) CVII

*In the Name of Allâh,
the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful.*

1. Have you seen him who denies the Recompense?
2. That is he who repulses the orphan (harshly),^[1]
3. And urges not on the feeding of *Al-Miskîn* (the needy),^[2]
4. So woe to those performers of *Salât* (prayers) (hypocrites),
5. Those who delay their *Salât* (prayers from their stated fixed times).^[3]
6. Those who do good deeds only to be seen (of men),
7. And withhold *Al-Mâ'ûn* (small kindnesses like salt, sugar, water).

Sûrat Al-Kauthar
(A River in Paradise) CVIII

*In the Name of Allâh,
the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful.*

1. Verily, We have granted you (O Muhammad صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم) *Al-Kauthar* (a river in Paradise).^[4]

^[1] (V.107:2) Narrated Sahl bin Sa'd رضی اللہ عنہما : The Prophet صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم said, "I and the person who looks after an orphan and provides for him, will be in Paradise like this," putting his index and middle fingers together. (*Sahîh Al-Bukhârî*, Vol.8, *Hadîth* No.34).

^[2] (V.107:3) Narrated Abu Hurairah رضی اللہ عنہ : The Prophet صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم said, "The one who looks after a widow or a poor person is like a *Mujâhid* (fighter) who fights for Allâh's Cause, or like him who performs prayers all the night and fasts all the day." (*Sahîh Al-Bukhârî*, Vol.7, *Hadîth* No.265).

^[3] (V.107:5) See the footnote of (V.2:238)

^[4] (V.108:1) Narrated Anas رضی اللہ عنہ : When the Prophet صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم was made to ascend to the heavens. He صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم said (after his return), "I came upon a river (in Paradise) the banks of which were made of tents of hollow pearls. I asked Jibrîl (Gabriel), 'What is this (river)?' He replied, 'This is *Al-Kauthar*.'" (*Sahîh Al-Bukhârî*, Vol.6, *Hadîth* No. 488).