



Surah Al Fatihah For Kids Part I

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Basic Information

The Surah Was revealed in Makkah. It contains 25 words and 113 letters.

Other names of Surah Al Fatihah

UMM AL- KITAB

Abu Hurayrah said that Prophet Muhammad said: "Alhamdu Lillahi Rabbil- Alamin is the Mother of The Quran, the Mother of the Book, and the seven repeated Ayat of the Glorious Quran." (Sahih at-Tirmidhi)

UMM-AL QURAN

AL-HAMD

AS-SHIFA

AS-SALAH

AS-SAB'U AL-MASAANI

AND INDEED, WE HAVE BESTOWED UPON YOU THE SEVEN MATHANI (SEVEN REPEATEDLY RECITED VERSES), (I.E. SURAH AL-FATIHAH) (SURAH AL HIJR 15:87)

The virtues of Surah Al Fatihah!

The Greatest Surah

Prophet Muhammad taught Sa'id bin Al-Mu'alla:

'It is the seven repeated (verses) and the Glorious Quran that I was given'

(Musnad Ahmad)

the best surah has never been revealed In Injil or Tawrah

Abu Hurayrah from Ubayy bin Ka'b said that Prophet Muhammad

'Allah has never revealed in the Tawrah or the Injil anything similar to Umm Al-Quran. It is the seven repeated verses and it is divided into two halves between Allah and His servant.'

(reported by An-Nasai and AtTirmidhi)

As a Ruqyah (remedy)
It is a light

bn Abbas said, "While Jibril was with the Messenger of Allah, he heard a noise from above. Jibril lifted his sight to the sky and said, This is a door in heaven being open, and it has never been opened before now.' An angel descended from that door and came to the Prophet and said, Receive the glad tidings of two lights that you have been given, which no other Prophet before you was given: the Opening of the Book and the last (three) Ayat of Surat Al-Baqarah. You will not read a letter from them, but will gain its benefit.' (Sahih Muslim)

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AL-FATIHAH AND THE PRAYER

UMM SALAMAH STATED THAT THE
RECITATION OF THE MESSENGER
OF ALLAH WAS SLOW AND CLEAR,
LETTER BY LETTER

RECITING THE SURAH IN PRAYER

RECITING THE OPENING OF
THE BOOK, DURING THE
PRAYER BY THE IMAM AND
THOSE PRAYING BEHIND HIM,
IS REQUIRED IN EVERY PRAYER,
AND IN EVERY RAKAAH.

ABU HURAYRAH SAID THAT
PROPHET MUHAMMAD SAID,
'WHOEVER PERFORMS ANY
PRAYER IN WHICH HE DID NOT
READ UMM AL-QURAN, THEN HIS
PRAYER IS INCOMPLETE.' HE SAID
IT THRICE

(SAHIH MUSLIM BOOK 4, 0775)

WHEN THE SERVANT SAYS,

﴿الرَّحْمَنُ الرَّحِيمُ﴾

(THE MOST GRACIOUS, THE MOST
MERCIFUL.)

ALLAH SAYS, 'MY SERVANT HAS GLORIFIED
ME.'

WHEN HE SAYS

﴿مَلِكِ يَوْمِ الدِّينِ﴾

(THE OWNER OF THE DAY OF RECOMPENSE)

ALLAH SAYS, 'MY SERVANT HAS GLORIFIED
ME,' OR 'MY SERVANT HAS RELATED ALL
MATTERS TO ME

SURAH AL FATIHAH

ABU HURAYRAH WAS ASKED, "﴿
WHEN﴾ WE STAND BEHIND THE
IMAM" HE SAID, "READ IT TO
YOURSELF, FOR I HEARD THE
MESSENGER OF ALLAH SAY,
(ALLAH, THE EXALTED, SAID, I HAVE
DIVIDED THE PRAYER (AL-FATIHAH)
INTO TWO HALVES BETWEEN
MYSELF AND MY SERVANT, AND MY
SERVANT SHALL HAVE WHAT HE
ASKS FOR.'

IF HE SAYS,

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

IN THE NAME OF ALLAH, THE MOST
GRACIOUS, THE MOST MERCIFUL.﴾

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ

ALL PRAISE AND THANKS BE TO
ALLAH, THE LORD OF EXISTENCE.)
ALLAH SAYS, 'MY SERVANT HAS
PRAISED ME.'

WHEN HE SAYS,

﴿إِيَّاكَ نَعْبُدُ وَإِيَّاكَ نَسْتَعِينُ﴾

(YOU (ALONE) WE WORSHIP, AND YOU
(ALONE) WE ASK FOR HELP.)

ALLAH SAYS, 'THIS IS BETWEEN ME AND MY
SERVANT, AND MY SERVANT SHALL ACQUIRE
WHAT HE SOUGHT'

WHEN HE SAYS,

اِهْدِنَا الصِّرَاطَ الْمُسْتَقِيمَ -

صِرَاطَ الَّذِينَ أَنْعَمْتَ عَلَيْهِمْ غَيْرِ الْمَغْضُوبِ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا
الضَّالِّينَ ﴿

(GUIDE US TO THE STRAIGHT PATH.) (THE
WAY OF THOSE ON WHOM YOU HAVE
GRANTED YOUR GRACE, NOT (THE WAY) OF
THOSE WHO EARNED YOUR ANGER, NOR OF
THOSE WHO WENT ASTRAY),

ALLAH SAYS, 'THIS IS FOR MY SERVANT, AND
MY SERVANT SHALL ACQUIRE WHAT HE
ASKED FOR'



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BISMILLAH IS THE 1ST AYAH IN AL-FATIHAH?

MANY OF THE SAHABAH OF
PROPHET MUHAMMAD SAID: YES

VIRTUE OF BASMALAH

Recommended before
performing any deed

A PERSON WHO WAS RIDING
BEHIND THE PROPHET SAID,
'CURSED SHAYTAN.' THE PROPHET
SAID, 'DO NOT SAY, 'CURSED
SHAYTAN' FOR IF YOU SAY THESE
WORDS, SATAN BECOMES
ARROGANT AND SAYS, 'WITH MY
STRENGTH I MADE HIM FALL.'
WHEN YOU SAY, 'BISMILLAH,'
SATAN WILL BECOME AS SMALL
AS A FLY'

(SAHIH MUSNAD IMAM
AHMAD(5:59)

AR RAHIM

EXCLUSIVELY FOR BELIEVERS
ALLAH SAID, 'AND HE IS EVER RAHIM
(MERCIFUL) TO THE BELIEVERS.'
(SURAH AL-AHZAB: 43)

THE NAMES OF ALLAH IN BASMALAH

ALLAH

- THE GREATEST NAME OF ALLAH
- EXCLUSIVELY HIS NAME.
- THE ONE WHO IS WORSHIPPED.
- POSSESS THE ATTRIBUTES OF PERFECTION

'AND (ALL) THE MOST
BEAUTIFUL NAMES BELONG
TO ALLAH, SO CALL ON HIM
BY THEM'

(AL-ARAF: 180)

AR-RAHMAN

- NAME EXCLUSIVELY FOR ALLAH
- ALLAH IS EXTREMELY MERCIFUL,
- UNIMAGINABLE TOWARDS HIS CREATIONS.
- HIS MERCY ENCOMPASSES ALL OF HIS CREATION



ABDUR RAHMAN BIN AWF SAID THAT PROPHET MUHAMMAD SAID,
'ALLAH THE EXALTED SAID, ' I AM AR-RAHMAN. I CREATED THE
RAHAM (WOMB, FAMILY RELATION) AND DERIVED A NAME FOR IT
FROM MY NAME. HENCE, WHOEVER KEEPS IT, I WILL KEEP TIES TO
HIM, AND WHOEVER SEVERS IT, I WILL SEVER TIES WITH HIM'

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THE 2ND VERSE

ALL PRAISE AND THANKS BE TO
ALLAH, THE LORD OF ALL THAT
EXISTS

- DUE TO ALLAH'S
INNUMERABLE FAVORS AND
NIKMAH

ANAS BIN MALIK SAID THAT THE
MESSENGER OF ALLAH SAID,
'NO SERVANT IS BLESSED BY
ALLAH AND SAYS, 'AL
HAMDULILLAH', EXCEPT THAT
WHAT HE WAS GIVEN IS BETTER
THAN THAT WHICH HE HAS
HIMSELF ACQUIRED.'
(HADITH IBN MAJAH)

THE 3RD VERSE

AR-RAHMAN

- TEMPORARY AND ALLAH CAN
TAKE IT AWAY
- A SOFT NAME OF ALLAH
- ALLAH IS BEING EXTREMELY
MERCIFUL TOWARDS
HUMANKIND
- FROM THE WORD RAHMAH

AR-RAHEEM

- PERMANENT
- A SOFT NAME OF ALLAH
- ALLAH BEING MERCIFUL
TOWARDS THE BELIEVERS
- FROM THE WORD RAHMAH

THE NAMES OF ALLAH IN THE 2ND VERSE

AR-RABB

- THE OWNER WHO HAS
FULL AUTHORITY OVER HIS
PROPERTY
- THE MASTER OR THE ONE
WHO HAS THE AUTHORITY
TO LEAD
- ONE OF ALLAH'S GREATEST
NAMES

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THE 4TH VERSE

THE OWNER OF THE DAY
OF RECOMPENSE
(THE DAY THAT AR-RUH
(JIBRIL (GABRIEL) OR
ANOTHER ANGEL) AND
THE ANGELS WILL
STAND FORTH IN ROWS,
THEY WILL NOT SPEAK
EXCEPT HIM WHOM THE
MOST GRACIOUS
(ALLAH) ALLOWS, AND
HE WILL SPEAK WHAT IS
RIGHT.)
(78:38)



THE 5TH VERSE

YOU ALONE WE WORSHIP
AND YOU ALONE WE ASK
FOR HELP

- THE FIRST PART:
IYYAKA NA'BUDU
(YOU ALONE WE WORSHIP)
A DECLARATION OF
INNOCENCE FROM SHIRK
(POLYTHEISM)
- THE SECOND PART:
IYAAKA NASTAIN
(YOU ALONE WE ASK FOR HELP)
A TYPE OF HELP THAT U SEEK
WHEN YOU ALREADY STRUGGLING
WITH SOMETHING.

WE RECOGNIZE ALL AFFAIRS
CONTROLLED BY ALLAH ALONE.

THE NAMES OF ALLAH IN THE 4TH VERSE

- AL-MAALIK
THE ONE WHO HAS
ATTRIBUTES OF KINGSHIP
- ALLAH TELLS ABOUT HIS
SOVEREIGNTY OF DAY OF
AKHIRAH
 - HE IS ALSO THE LORD OF
THE EARTHLY LIFE AND
THE HEREAFTER.
 - ON THAT DAY, NO ONE
CAN CLAIM OWNERSHIP
EXCEPT ALLAH.
 - NO ONE CAN SPEAK
WITHOUT ALLAH'S
PERMISSION.



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THE 6TH VERSE

GUIDE US TO THE STRAIGHT PATH

GUIDANCE:

- THE MOST VALUABLE OF ALL HELP
- REAL SUCCESS WAS WITH THE ONES WHO WERE RIGHTLY GUIDED.
- ALLAH DIRECTS US TO CONSTANTLY ASK HIM TO GUIDE US TO THE SIRAT AL- MUSTAQIM

THE 7TH VERSE

PART 1: THE WAY OF THOSE UPON WHOM YOU HAVE BESTOWED YOUR GRACE

(AND WHOEVER OBEYS ALLAH AND THE MESSENGER (MUHAMMAD), THEN THEY WILL BE IN THE COMPANY OF THOSE ON WHOM ALLAH HAS BESTOWED HIS GRACE, THE PROPHETS, THE SIDDIQIN (THE TRULY FAITHFUL), THE MARTYRS, AND THE RIGHTEOUS. AND HOW EXCELLENT THESE COMPANIONS ARE! SUCH IS THE BOUNTY FROM ALLAH, AND ALLAH IS SUFFICIENT TO KNOW)
(4:69-70).



THE 7TH VERSE

THE WAY OF THOSE UPON WHOM YOU HAVE BESTOWED YOUR GRACE, NOT (THAT) OF THOSE WHO EARNED YOUR ANGER, NOR OF THOSE WHO WENT ASTRAY).

PART 2: NOT THE WAY OF THOSE WHO EARNED YOUR ANGER

THOSE WHO KNOW THE TRUTH , YET DEVIATE FROM IT. THEY ABANDON PRACTICING THE TRUE RELIGION

(THOSE (JEWS) WHO INCURRED THE CURSE OF ALLAH AND HIS WRATH)
(SURAH AL MAIDAH 5:60).

PART 3: NOR THOSE WHO WENT ASTRAY

THE CHRISTIANS, THOSE WHO LOST THE TRUE KNOWLEDGE, WANDERING IN MISGUIDANCE UNABLE TO FIND THE CORRECT PATH.

SAYING AMIN

IT MEANS 'O ALLAH! ACCEPT OUR INVOCATION.'
PROPHET MUHAMMAD SAID:

WHEN THE IMAM SAYS AMIN, THEY SAY AMIN BECAUSE WHENEVER SAYS AMIN WITH THE ANGELS, THE PREVIOUS SINS WILL BE FORGIVEN.
(SAHIH BUKHARI/MUSLIM)

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