

SPECIAL VERSES IN THE HOLY QUR'AN (2)

Ayatush Shahadah (3 : 18,19)

Text and Translation

شَهِدَ اللَّهُ أَنَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا هُوَ

Allah (himself) bears witness that there is no god but He,

وَالْمَلَائِكَةُ وَأُولُو الْعِلْمِ قَائِمًا بِالْقِسْطِ

and (so do) the angels and those who have knowledge, standing firm for justice.

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا هُوَ الْعَزِيزُ الْحَكِيمُ

(There is) no god but He, the Mighty, the Wise.

إِنَّ الدِّينَ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ الْإِسْلَامُ

Verily the religion of Allah is Islam.

وَمَا اخْتَلَفَ الَّذِينَ أُوتُوا الْكِتَابَ

Those to whom the book had been given did not differ

إِلَّا مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا جَاءَهُمُ الْعِلْمُ بَغْيًا بَيْنَهُمْ

until after the knowledge (of the truth) had come to them; out of envy amongst themselves;

وَمَنْ يَكْفُرْ بِآيَاتِ اللَّهِ فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ سَرِيعُ الْحِسَابِ

and whosoever disbelieves in the signs of Allah, then Allah is quick in taking account.

The Last Two Verses of Suratul Baqarah, (2:285,286)

آمَنَ الرَّسُولُ بِمَا أُنزِلَ إِلَيْهِ مِنْ رَبِّهِ وَالْمُؤْمِنُونَ

The Prophet believes in what has come down to him from his Lord, and (so do) the believers.

كُلٌّ آمَنَ بِاللَّهِ وَمَلَائِكَتِهِ وَكُتُبِهِ وَرُسُلِهِ

All believe in Allah and in His angels and in His books and in His Messengers.

لَا نُفَرِّقُ بَيْنَ أَحَدٍ مِّنْ رُّسُلِهِ

(They say,) "We make no difference between His Messengers."

وَقَالُوا سَمِعْنَا وَأَطَّ

And they say, "We have heard and we have obeyed

غُفْرَانَكَ رَبَّنَا وَإِلَيْكَ الْمَصِيرُ

(and we beg) Your forgiveness. O our Lord, and we come towards You."

لَا يُكَلِّفُ اللَّهُ نَفْسًا إِلَّا وُسْعَهَا

Allah does not impose on any soul beyond its ability.

لَهَا مَا كَسَبَتْ وَعَلَيْهَا مَا اكْتَسَبَتْ

(The good) that he has acquired shall be for it, and (the evil) that he has done (shall be) against it.

رَبَّنَا لَا تُؤَاخِذْنَا إِنْ نَسِينَا أَوْ أَخْطَأْنَا

O our Lord, do not hold us responsible if we forget or make a mistake.

رَبَّنَا وَلَا تَحْمِلْ عَلَيْنَا إَصْرًا كَمَا حَمَلْتَهُ عَلَى الَّذِينَ مِنْ قَبْلِنَا

O our lord, do not lay on us a burden as You laid on those before us.

رَبَّنَا وَلَا تُحَمِّلْنَا مَا لَا طَاقَةَ لَنَا بِهِ

O our Lord, do not lay on us (a burden) which we do not have the strength to bear.

وَاعْفُ عَنَّا وَاعْفِرْ لَنَا وَارْحَمْنَا

Pardon us; and forgive us; and have mercy on us.

أَنْتَ مَوْلَانَا فَانصُرْنَا عَلَى الْقَوْمِ الْكَافِرِينَ

You are our Lord, so help us against the people who are unbelievers.