

INTRODUCTION

Sūrah al-Mursalāt is the 77th sūrah of the Qur'an. It is Makki and located in juz' 29. The word "mursalaat" means "winds set forth" which is mentioned in the first ayah of this surah. Another name of this sūrah is al-Urf, which is also mentioned in the first ayah. The sūrah covers 2 ruku, with 50 ayaah, 181 words and 841 letters.

THE EMPHASIS

Sūrah al-Mursalāt emphasizes the happening of the Day of Judgement and repeatedly warns the deniers. This sūrah also mentions the actions and signs of wrongdoers and the God-wary and speaks about their destinies.

MERITS AND REWARDS

The following are the merits of the recitation of this sūrah :

- It is conveyed from the Prophet (S) that whoever recites al-Mursalāt, it will be written in his destiny not to be among polytheists.
- Whoever recites Sūrah al-Mursalāt, God will make familiarity between him and the Prophet (S) on the Day of Judgement.
- In some hadith sources, some benefits are mentioned for this sūrah, such as security and safety in travels, victory over enemies and also relieving from stomachache.

The above rewards are certainly for those who study it, think it over and act accordingly as merely reading without thinking and acting cannot be very fruitful.

NARRATION

Some of the Prophet's (S) close friends told him:
"Oh Muhammad (S), how soon you have grown old!" He answered:
"Hud, Waqiah, Mursalaat, and Naba' brought old age upon me".

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1 Punishment of the deniers of religion, the definite promise of God **15**

- The promise of punishing the deniers of the religion is given by God
- Judgement Day, the time of punishing the deniers of religion

16 Signs of the kingdom of God and His will about punishing the deniers **28**

- Destruction of wrongdoers
- Steps of the creation of human being
- Preparation of the earth for the life of human being

29 The way deniers of religion will be punished **45**

- Punishment of the deniers with the smoke of the Hell fire
- Disallowing wrongdoers to apologize
- Inability of cynics to escape punishment

46 Reasons of the punishment of the deniers of religion **50**

- Committing various sins and disconnecting with God
- Not being humble about the order of God