

Sūrah an-Najm is the 53<sup>rd</sup> surah of the Qur'an in the order of its current compilation and 23<sup>rd</sup> surah in the order of revelation. This Early Makkan surah is located in the 27<sup>th</sup> juz'. Sūrah an-Najm has 62 ayaah, 359 words, and 1,432 letters. This surah is among mufassalat surahs and its length is about half of hizb. This surah is one of the four surahs which have obligatory sajdah. It is said that Sūrah an-Najm was the first surah the Prophet (S) recited publicly and loudly in Makkah after revealing his invitation to Islam.

One of the issues mentioned in this surah is the story of the Ascension (Mai'raj). In this surah, Allah (SwT) blames polytheists because of worshipping idols and speaks about the Hereafter.

About the merits of recitation of Sura al-Najm, it is narrated that the reciter will become beloved among people.

## سُورَةُ النَّجْمِ

01-18

- Oath by the falling star
- Mai'raj – Ascension of the Holy Prophet (S) to the heavens

19-30

- Stern warning to those who create beliefs from their own assumptions

31-34

- Contrast of punishment for those who do evil with rewards for the righteous

35-62

- Reflection upon creation
- Truths in Qur'an are the same as given to Musa and Ibrahim
- Basic truth do not change over time

# QUR'ANIC SURAHS CLASSIFICATION

Please note that this is one of the many methods

Surah Classification	Surahs in this series															Total	Shared	% Completed	
About Holy Prophet (S)														47	48	49	3	3	100%
Addressing the Prophet (S)								20	33	36	65	66	73	74			7	5	71%
Ahlul Bayt (A)														76	108		2	1	50%
Allah's Dominion														55	67		2	2	100%
Allah's Perfection								17	57	59	61	62	64	87			7	5	71%
Aspiration														23	39		2	0	0%
Comfort														93	94		2	0	0%
Conveying through the Prophet (S)										72	109	112	113	114			5	1	20%
Day of Judgment				54	56	69	70	75	78	81	82	84	88	99	101		11	6	55%
Divine Blessings															5		1	0	0%
Energy															24		1	0	0%
Healthy Zone															16		1	0	0%
Negative Traits									63	80	83	102	104	107	111		7	2	29%
Oaths	37	51	52	53	77	79	85	86	89	90	91	92	95	100	103		16	5	31%
Praise of Divinity											1	6	18	34	35		5	2	40%
Prophethood														21	71		2	1	50%
Related to the Holy Qur'an												25	96	97	98		4	0	0%
Repentance														8	9		2	0	0%
They Holy Ka'aba													22	105	106		3	0	0%
The Victory															110		1	0	0%
Women's Corner												4	19	58	60		4	3	75%
Disjointed Letters																			
Alim Laam Meem										2	3	7	29	30	31	32	7	3	43%
Alim Laam Ra											10	11	12	13	14	15	6	0	0%
Ha' Meem										40	41	42	43	44	45	46	7	4	57%
Single Letter														38	50	68	3	2	67%
Ta Seen														26	27	28	3	0	0%
																	114	45	39%

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