

Surah Al-Kahf (The Cave)

PART 2

18th Surah in the Quran found starting in the 15th Juzz and ending in the 16th Juzz

The 4 stories in Surah Al-Kahf



1) The Young men and the Kahf (Cave)



2) The Two men and the Garden



3) The story of Musa (AS) and Khidr



4) The story of Dhul Qarnain

Story 2: The 2 Men and the Garden



Bismillah...



- Once upon a time, there lived two men.
- The first man was blessed with 2 beautiful gardens filled with grapes and fruit. Around the amazing delightful gardens were huge palm trees and inside the gardens Allah had put gushing rivers flowing all around.
- The man who owned these gardens was a very proud man! He thought his gardens were the best gardens ever!
- He would walk around his garden feeling very pleased!

So one day...



The man was feeling extra pleased with all his wealth.



He thought he was a very clever man to be so rich and strong!



He wanted to tell someone how amazing he was! He needed to show off!



After all, what is the point of having something if you can't show it off right?



Who better to boast to than his friend, who wasn't as rich or strong as him?

Ayah 34:

- So he found his friend and started telling him:

وَكَانَ لَهُ ثَمَرٌ فَقَالَ لِصَاحِبِهِ وَهُوَ يُحَاوِرُهُ أَنَا أَكْثَرُ مِنْكَ مَالًا وَأَعَزُّ

نَفَرًا ٣٤

- I am richer than you, I have more servants than you and I even have more children than you!
- Imagine how the friend must have felt!



How would you feel if someone was making fun of you and boasting about all the wonderful things they had?



Next...



HE WAS LOOKING AT HIS GARDENS WITH PRIDE AND
JOY.



HE SAID "I DON'T THINK THIS WILL EVER DIE!" (AYAH
35)

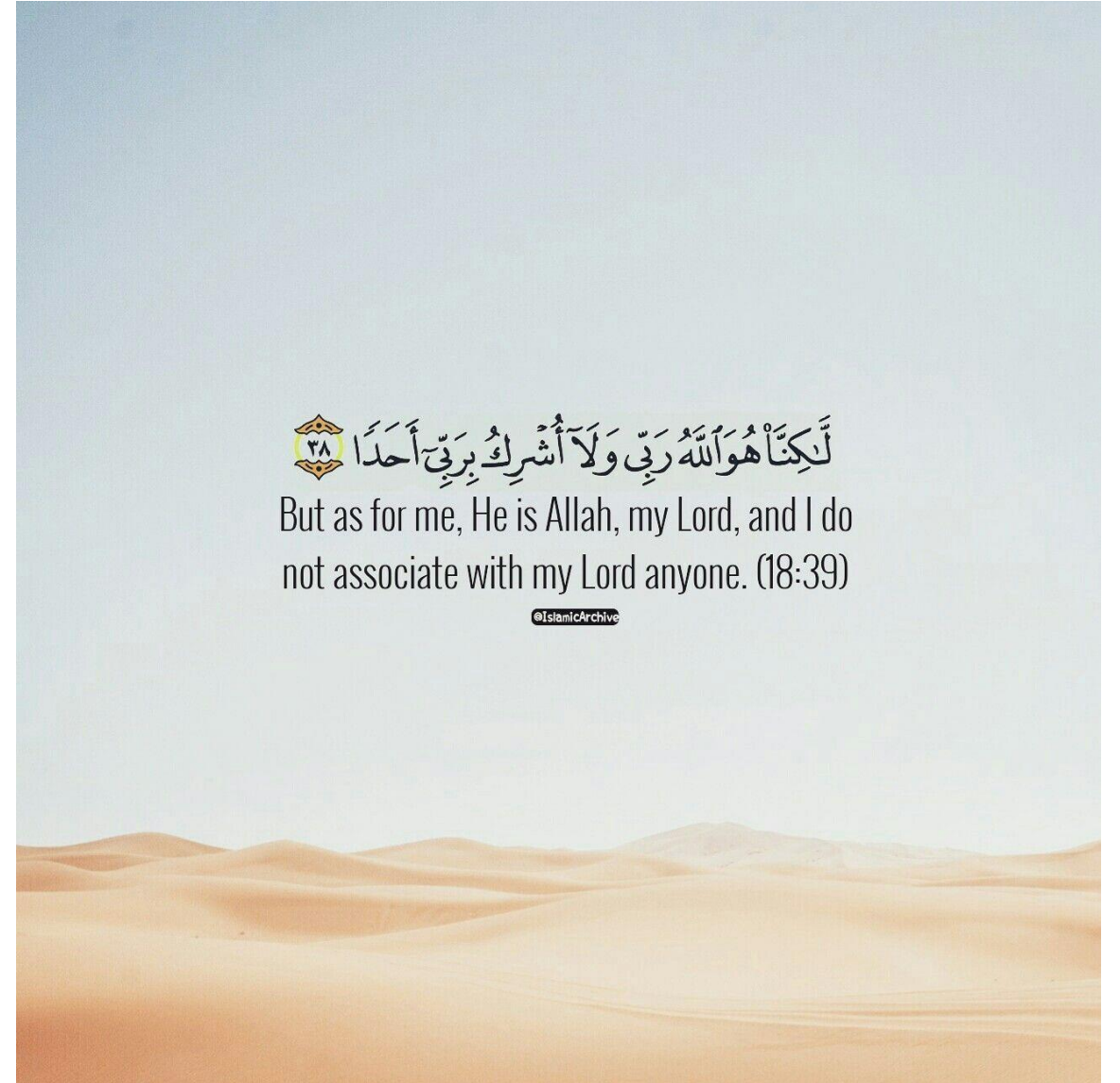
But...

- He forgot to say Insha'Allah (which means if Allah wants!)
- He was so busy being proud and arrogant that he forgot that all the blessings he had were from Allah SWT alone!
- He was even doubting that the Day of Judgement would ever come!



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- His friend tried to talk some sense into him by reminding him that Allah SWT had created him and given him all that he had.
 - The friend said:

I believe Allah is my Lord and I will never worship anyone except Allah! (Ayah 39)





The friend continued trying to advise the man...

- . You should have said Ma shaa 'Allah (that which Allah has willed) and La hawla wala quwata ill billa (there is No might or power except of Allah) when you saw that I had less wealth and children than you! (Ayah 39)

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وَلَوْلَا إِذْ دَخَلْتَ جَنَّتَكَ قُلْتَ مَا شَاءَ اللَّهُ لَا قُوَّةَ
إِلَّا بِاللَّهِ إِنَّ ثُرْنَ أَنَا أَقْلٌ مِّنْكَ مَالًا وَوَلَدًا

[18:39] And wherefore did you not say when you entered your garden: It is as Allah has pleased, there is no power save in Allah? If you consider me to be inferior to you in wealth and children,



Then...

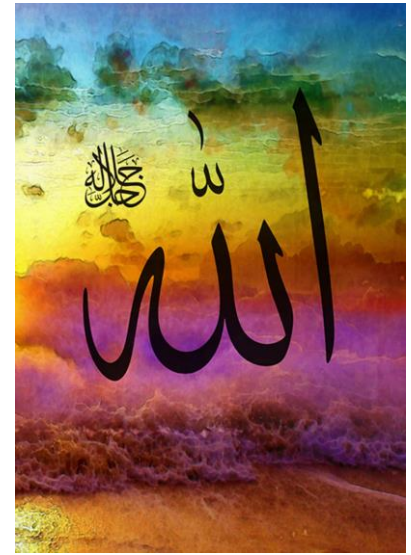
- Allah SWT sent a storm that destroyed EVERYTHING!!!
- The gardens were completely ruined!!
- The man was shocked and upset at everything he had lost.



It was too late...

- The man was left with sadness and regret at the mistake he had made.
- He said:

I wish that I had worshipped ONLY Allah! (Ayah 42)



وَأَحِيطَ بِثَمَرِهِ فَأَصْبَحَ يُقَلِّبُ
كَفَّيْهِ عَلَىٰ مَا أَنْفَقَ فِيهَا وَهِيَ
خَاوِيَةٌ عَلَىٰ عُرُوشِهَا وَيَقُولُ
يَا لَيْتَنِي لَمْ أَشْرِكْ بِرَبِّي أَحَدًا

Ayah 42

- It so happened that all his fruit produce was destroyed and the vines tumbled down upon their trellises, so he wrung his hands with grief for all that he had spent on it. He cried: "I wish I had not associated anyone with my Rabb!"

SO WHAT DID WE
LEARN FROM THIS
STORY?



- NO MATTER WHAT, WE MUST WORSHIP ONLY ALLAH AL WAHAB (THE GIVER OF BLESSINGS!)
- WE MUST ALWAYS REMEMBER THAT ALL OUR BLESSINGS ARE FROM ALLAH SWT.
- ONLY ALLAH SWT HAS THE POWER TO GIVE US ANYTHING...
- ... AND ALLAH SWT HAS THE POWER TO TAKE IT AWAY!
- ALWAYS REMEMBER "LA HAWLA WALA QUWATA ILLA BILLAH!" (THERE IS NO MIGHT OR POWER EXCEPT OF ALLAH!)
- WE MUST ALWAYS BE THANKFUL TO ALLAH SWT FOR EACH AND EVERY BLESSING HE HAS GIVEN US.
- BEING PROUD OF OURSELVES AND NOT GIVING THANKS TO ALLAH SWT WILL LEAD US INTO DIFFICULTY.
- ALWAYS BE HUMBLE AND GIVE THANKS TO ALLAH SWT.
- BE VERY CAREFUL OF UPSETTING OTHERS!
- WHATEVER YOU PLAN TO DO, NEVER FORGET TO SAY "INSHA' ALLAH!" (IF ALLAH WILLS).
- ALLAH'S HELP WILL COME. SO DON'T EVER FEEL SAD!
- WE MUST PUT OUR TRUST IN ALLAH SWT.

LESSONS FOR US:

DID YOU KNOW?



THE ONE WHO RECITES SURAH KAHF WILL HAVE PEACE (SAKINAH) AND TRANQUILITY SURROUND THEM.



THE ONE WHO MEMORISES THE FIRST AND/OR LAST 10 AYAHS OF THE SURAH WILL BE PROTECTED FROM DAJJAL.



THE ONE WHO RECITES THIS SURAH ON A FRIDAY WILL HAVE A LIGHT SHINING FROM THEM FROM THAT FRIDAY TO THE NEXT FRIDAY!

READ AYAHS
11-21 OF SURAH
AL-KAHF
CHALLENGE!



MA SHA'ALLAH
WELL DONE!

Assalamualaikum.

I made these slides to introduce Surah Kahf to my young children.

In the hope that they prove useful to others I have made them available for all to use. In the event that you find a mistake or just want to drop me a line my email address is

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JazakAllah khair for taking the time to read through the material.

