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Learning Materials: Short Suras from The Holy Qur'an

Shaykh Taner would like us to memorize these *suras* from the Qur'an. These can be read in *salat* (*namaz*).

Fatiha

* Recite *Salawat* (always recited before reciting *Sura Al Fatiha*)

Allahumma salli ala Sayyidina Muhammadin	O our Allah! Please send Your
wa ala aali Sayyidina Muhammad	peace and blessings upon our Revered Master Muhammad and his family.

* Recite Sura Al Fatiha

Al Fatiha [The Opening Sura]

1. Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim	1. In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts
	with Mercy, The Source of Mercy
2. Alhamdulillahi Rabbil `alamin	2. All gratitude and praise belong to Allah,
	the Lord of the worlds
3. Ar Rahmanir Rahim	3. The One Who Acts with Mercy,
	The Source of Mercy
4. Maliki Yawm id-Din	4. The Owner of the Dominion
	on Judgment Day
E Typka na/hudu wa ivaka nacta/in	E. We connect and deviate ourselves to You
5. Iyaka na'budu wa iyaka nasta'in	5. We connect and devote ourselves to You,
5. Iyaka na budu wa iyaka nasta in	and we ask for Your help
6. Ihdinas sirat al mustaqim	
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Al Ikhlas	Sincerity and Salvation
Bismillahir	In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts with
Rahmanir Rahim	Mercy, The Source of Mercy.
1. Qul Hu Allahu Ahad,	1. Say, "He, Allah, is Ahad [Unique; Formless],
2. Allahu Samad.	2. "Allah is Al Samad [The Administrator of All
3. Lam yalid	Manifestation].
wa lam yulad,	3. "He does not give birth, nor is He born,
4. Wa lam yakun	4. "And nothing is equal to Ahad."
lahu kufuwan Ahad.	5 1

Al Falaq	The Daybreak
Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim 1. Qul a-uzubi Rabbil falaq.	 In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts with Mercy, The Source of Mercy. 1. Say, "I seek refuge in the <i>Rab</i> [Lord] of the daybreak
 2. min sharri ma khalaq, 3. wa min sharri khasiqin iza waqab, 4. wa min sharrin- naffaathaati fil uqad, 5. wa min sharri haasidin iza hasad. 	 2. "From the evil of what He created, 3. "And from the affliction of the darkness when it intensifies, 4. "And from the negativity of those who blow on knots (doing evil magic), 5. "And from the harm of the envious ones when they act with envy."

Al Naas	Humankind
Bismillahir Rahmanir	In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts with
Rahim	Mercy, The Source of Mercy.
1. Qul a-uzubi Rabbin naas	1.Say, "I seek refuge in the <i>Rab</i> [Lord] of
	humankind,
2. Malikin naas,	2. "Malik [Ruler] of humankind,
3. Ilahin naas,	3. "Ilah [Highest Power] of humankind,
4. Min sharril waswaasil	4. "From the evil of the one who whispers and
khan-naas,	runs,
5. Allazi yu-waswisu	5. "The ones who whisper (negativity) into the
fi sudurin–naas,	sudur [chests] of human beings,
6. Minal jinnati wan-naas.	6. "Whether they be of <i>jinn</i> [hidden beings] or
-	humans."

Protection Prayers

The above *suras* of the Qur'an are read for both physical and spiritual protection from Satan, black magic, envy and jealousy.

Every morning, before leaving one's home, **Sura Al Ikhlas** should be recited <u>thrice</u>, **Sura Al Falaq** <u>once</u>, **Sura Al Naas** <u>once</u> and **Fatiha** <u>once</u> with the intention of protection.

Al Asr	The Time When Day Starts to Decline
Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim	In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts with Mercy, The Source of Mercy.
1. Wal asri,	1. I swear by <i>al</i> ` <i>asr</i> .
2. Innal insaana lafi khusri	2. Without a doubt, human beings are heading for loss and disappointment.
3. Illal-lazina amanu wa amilus salihaati wa tawa saw bil-Haqqi wa tawa saw bis-Sabri	3. Except those who believe, do good deeds, encourage one another to hold to the truth, reality, and encourage one another to have patience and to persevere.

Al Fil	The Elephant
Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim	In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts with Mercy, The Source of Mercy.
1. Alam tara kayfa fa'ala Rabbuka	1. Have you not seen how your Rab
bi as-haabil Fiil	[Lord] dealt with the People of the Elephant?
2. Alam yaj'al kaydahum fi tad-liil	2. Did He not make their plans ineffective,
3. Wa arsala 'alayhim tayran abaabiil	3. And send against them flocks of birds (called <i>ababil</i>),
4. Tarmihim bi-hijaaratim min sij-jiil	4. Which bombarded them with stones of baked clay,
5. Faja'alahum ka'asfim ma'kul	5. And made them like chewed-up hay?

Al Quraysh	The Tribe of Prophet Muhammad
Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim 1. Li-ilafi quraysh	In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts with Mercy, The Source of Mercy.1. For the continuing safety and protection of the <i>Quraysh</i>,
 Ilaafihim rih-latash-shitaa-i was-sayf Fal ya'budu Rabba haazal-Bayt, Allazi at'amahum min ju'in wa amana hum min khawf. 	 For their continuing safety and protection during the journeys of their caravans in winter and summer, They should connect and devote themselves to the <i>Rab</i> [Lord] of this <i>Bayt</i> [House; Ka'aba], Who has fed them against hunger and has made them safe from fear.

The Drink of Paradise
In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts with Mercy, The Source of Mercy.
1. Surely, We have given you the Kawthar.
2. So make your connection to your <i>Rab</i> [Lord], and offer sacrifice.
3. Surely, it is your accuser (and not you) who is the one whose lineage is cut off.

Al Nasr	The Help
Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim 1. Izaa jaa-a nasrullahi wal fat-hu, 2. Wa ra-aytan-naasa yadkhuluna fi dinillahi afwaaja. 3. Fa-sabbih bi Hamdi Rabbika wastaghfir. Innahu kaana tawaba.	 In the name of Allah, The One Who Acts with Mercy, The Source of Mercy. 1. When Allah's help comes to you, and the triumph, 2. And when you see human beings entering the <i>din</i> [practice of acting with the truth] of Allah in multitudes, 3. Then do <i>tasbih</i> [repeated glorification] of your <i>Rab</i> [Lord] with gratitude and praise, and seek His absolution. Truly, He has always been ready to accept <i>tawba</i> [repentance].

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