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Q.1: Write a detail note on Holy Quran?

The Holy Quran:

The Quran is the holy book of Islam. The Quran is considered by Muslims to be "The word of Allah (God)".

Explanation:

The Quran is revealed to the prophet Muhammad (S.A.W). The Holy Quran is the fourth book revealed to our Holy prophet Hazrat Muhammad (S.A.W).

* Total number of chapters in the Quran is 114.

* Total number of verses in the Quran is 6666.

* Total number of Juz (parts) in the Quran is 30.

* There are 86 Makki Surahs and 28 Madni Surahs. The Surahs revealed in Makkah are Makki and those in Madinah are Madani.

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- * Each and every word of this Divine Book is preserved in its original form. Not even a dot has been removed or cancelled. Nor will there be any change in it till the Final Day; on the contrary, the previous Scriptures have been tampered with.
- * The language of the Holy Quran is a miracle. The style is so incomparable sublime that it is beyond human faculty to compose even anything like the smallest part of it in beauty.
- * The Holy Quran has brought the final Divine Code; Hence, a number of injunctions supersede those in the earlier Holy Quran.
- * The Previous Holy Quran, were revealed, all at once, but the revelation of the Holy Quran continued for twenty-three years, bit by bit, as and when necessity arose. Thus it found access to the hearts of the people, and hundreds and thousands of people accepted its codes and commands, and embraced Islam.

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* The Holy Quran is preserved in the hearts of thousands of Muslims. This preservation has continued right from the times of the Holy prophet (s.a.w) and Insha-Allah it will continue till the Final Day. Thus, the enemies of Islam have always failed to make any alteration in the Holy Text.

* The tenets and laws of the Holy Quran are so moderate that they suit all times, places and conditions and there is no need for any other code or Divine Scripture after the Holy Quran.

Qno. 2: Write down the explanation of Surah-e-Quraish?

Ans: Translation:

Since the Quraysh became accustomed ① to the journey of winter and summer ② therefore, let them worship the Lord of this House ③ who fed them against hunger ④ and secured them against fear ⑤.

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Explanation:

Surah-e-Quraysh is the 106th chapter of the Quran. It consists of 4 ayat. The surah was titled after the word "Quraysh" in the first verse. It is a Makki sura of Quran because it revealed in Makkah.

Tafseer:

This Surah is about the tribe of Quraysh and the prosperity that they enjoy through their trading routes as they can enjoy their caravans in the summer and winter. Towards the end of the surah; 'let them worship the Lord of this House, who has fed them, [saving them] from hunger and made them safe, [saving them] from fear.'

Qno-3: According to Quran, what is tauheed and how to effect on human lives?

Ans: Tauheed:

The word tauheed has been derived from the Arabic roots. It means oneness and uniqueness.

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Effect on Human Lives:

The doctrine of Unity or one-ness of God is the pivot around which the whole system of Islam revolves. It commands the position of the sun in the solar system. A Muslim believes firmly in the fact that Allah is one and only One, and he expresses this belief in words and actions. In case a person does not firmly believe in Tauheed, he has a basic defect in his faith of Islam, which amounts to his belonging to the ranks of non-Muslims. All the religions of the world have always affirmed that Allah is one. All the wise men and great scholars of the world have had belief in the one-ness of Allah. The Book of Allah, the Holy Quran, has made the creed of the one-ness of Allah indispensable for Muslims. The earlier Holy Books also preached the Unity of God, but due to interpolations made in the text of the scriptures, and inclusion of facts against the principles of Tauheed, the

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Divine teachings were changed. So, Allah sent His last prophet Hazrat Mohammed (S.A.W) to set the people on the right path and to bring about reformation in their creed. The Holy Quran preaches the doctrine of Tauheed in very elegant form. Some of the verses of the Holy Quran preaching the creed of the one-ness of Allah are:

i) Translation:

"Your God is one God: there is no God but He (Allah), the Beneficent, the Merciful". [Al-Baqarah: 163]

ii) Translation:

"Allah (Himself) is witness that there is no God and the angels and the men of learning (too are witness). (He is always) Maintaining His Creation in justice, there is no God but Allah, The Almighty, the wise" [Al-Imran: 18].

Surah Iklas [The Unity] is an embodiment of the doctrine of one-ness of Allah and His attributes that He is Alone; none has given Him birth; nor He has given birth to anyone:

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iii) Translation:

"Say, He is Allah, the one;
Allah the eternally Besought of all;
He begotleth not nor was he begotten.
And there is none comparable unto
him". [Al-Ikhlās: 1-4]

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