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<u>Surah Al-Furqan:</u>

There are 114 chapters/Surah in the Holy Book of Quran. Surah Al-Furqan is the 25th chapter/surah of Quran. The meaning of this Surah is roughly translated as, The Criterion. The criterion means that surah described the clear line between good and evil deeds. The Surah also reads about: Blames on Quran, Last Day False Deities Deny Any Claim of Divinity, Two Seas One Salty One Sweet, Traits of Wrongdoers and Righteous.

The surah was revealed to Our Holy Prophet (S.A.W) in mecca in the early 615-619 A.D. The need for this surah arose when famine had hit mecca and the disbelievers were clashing with the Prophet and questioning his belief and the way he taught Islam.

The surah was revealed to Muhammad (S.A.W) as to teach the non-believers that all the ayats and Surahs that were bestowed upon the Prophet were a guide to teach them the distinction between the right deeds from the wrong ones.

The surah also pointed out and taught the many qualities of the righteous and true believers and followers of Islam and the qualities of those people who only pretended to join Islam. The Messenger of God (PBUH) said: One who recites this Surah, Allah will raise him on the Day of Judgment as one who has the belief that the hour is inevitable and there is no doubt in it; he will enter Paradise without accounting.

The Holy Prophet (S) has also said that a person who recites this Surah will be taken to Jannah without questioning, provided he believes in the Day of Judgement and the Raising of the Dead (from the graves).