

that time Prophet Muhammad (Saw) was in a cave called Ghor Hira on the Jabal-un-Noor or the mountain of light near Makkah. Jibreel AA continued to teach Prophet Muhammad passages of Al-Quran every now and then.

The revelation continued throughout the following 23 years of the life of Rasoolullah until he (Saw) passed away at that point revelation of Al-Quran was completed.

### \* The structure of Al-Quran.

The Quran is made of 114 Surah (chapter) each Surah of

Al-Quran made of few or many Ayaat or verses.

The longest Surah in Al-Quran has 286 Ayaat while the shortest Surah has only (3) three Ayaat. Surat-ul-

Kawthar. The rest of Surah has different number of Ayaat that fall in between. Like the Surah have different length, the

## Answer No # 2

### \* Surah Al-Quraish :-

Surah Al-Quraish is containing 4 Ayaat (verses). Surah Al-Quraish is Makkyyah or Makkah surah.

### = Translation of Surah Al-Quraish.

Because of the familiarity of the Quraish, (1) that is, their familiarity with the trips of winter and summer, (2) they must worship the Lord of this House, (3) who gave them food against hunger, and gave them security against fear. (4)

### = Matter of Surah Al-Quraish.

All commentators concur that the subject-matter of the surah is so closely related that in some of the copies of the Quran they had been written as a single Surah without the insertion of Bismillah between them.

But when Sayyidna Uthman (SAW) compiled a standard copy of the Holy

Ayaat have different lengths too.

The period of revelation of the Quran is 22 years, 5 months and 14 days.

### \* Language of the Quran:-

The language of the Quran is pure and clear Arabic.

### \* Makkiyyah and Madani chapters.

The scholars of Quran described the surah of Al-Quran that were revealed before Al-Hijrah as surah Makkiyyah or Makkan chapters.

Most of these were revealed while the Prophet was in Makkah. On the other hand they described the surah revealed after Hijrah as surah Madaniyyah or Madani chapter.

- d In short - they were the ~~the~~ most knowledgeable, affluent and respected tribe in Arabia.

Answer NO # 3

- \* Tauheed :- The word tauheed has been derived from the Arabic roots.

It literally means oneness and uniqueness.

- = Tauheed is the special belief of Islam. No followers of any other religion truly believe in complete

Tauheed except Muslims. It is the belief that Allah (the creator) is unique in His Lordship, and that He is the only one that acts of worship should be devoted to.

He is also unique in His beautiful Names and lofty attributes.

Tauheed means to believe in the oneness of Allah.

## Effect of Tauheed on human life.

### = universal outlook:-

He looks on everything in the universe as belonging to the same Lord he himself belong to. His intellectual horizons widen and his outlook becomes as liberal and as boundless as is the kingdom of God.

### = Importance of the concept of tauheed.

It is the most fundamental and important teaching of Muhammad (S.A.W)

The polytheists of Makkah denied the oneness of not the existence of Allah

\* A believer in this Kalima can never be narrow minded or shriveled in outlook

- The believer know that Allah alone is the possessor of all power, and that none besides Him need, or give and take away life

Holy Quran with the consensus of all the companions of the Holy Prophet (SAW) he separated these two surah and inserted Bismillah b/w them.

### \* Historical Background of Surah Quraish.

\* When the Quraish would travel unlike the other tribes, they did not fear that their things would get stolen or that they would be harmed.

\* They were so respected that other tribes did not even charge them fees/taxes to pass their area the way they would charge other tribes.

\* Because of the ease of travel and respect, the Quraish also had many business relations with other countries such as with Syria, Egypt, Iraq, Yemen and Abyssinia.

From the trade they gained much more knowledge about cultures and science than any other tribe.

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## Answer No # 2

### Quran :-

Al-Quran is the holy book for Muslims. It is miraculous word of Allah revealed to Prophet Muhammad (SAW) through the Angel Jibreel. Therefore, Al-Quran is a divine revelation that has reached us through a holy connection starting from Allah to the angel Jibreel to the prophet Muhammad. The way or the Quranic revelation is regarded by Muslims as the exact words of Allah.

### The revelation of Al-Quran.

The revelation of Al-Quran started in the month of Ramadan during the year 610 AD at