

The Miracle of Fatima a.s.

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Today i've been asked to do the impossible
Something that cant be done, not just improbable

I stand here infront of an audience who await
Whose attention's on me as they anticipate
What words will he use how will they be arranged
To give us his ideas, how will he explain

How does a man climb a mountain if he has no feet
How would an orator praise if he can not speak
How does a blind man explain what he has never seen
Or a lowly man like me properly describe a queen

I research when i write, I read and analyse
But when it comes to Fatima i am paralysed
Oh Poet, they say, Write us down some lines
But trying to describe Zahra I would lose my mind

They wanted her light but could they handle the sun
I barely have a cup and they wanted the Ocean

But Alas, we must try and so I turn to the Lord
To help guide me and so I move toward

How does God describe Fatima, does anyone know
Which surat does Allah mention how great?

Thats right Surat 108

One of the greatest women of them all
Why a surah thats so small
Infact its the smallest of them all

Only 3 verses and how many words within
The quick ones of you will know its only 10

10 words, just 10, can you believe
Is there more meaning when we dig beneath

Does the shortness of the surat signify
How quickly her life did go by

Or is there more, shall we see?
Will you come with me?
On this journey
Of discovery.

Fatima is unique, never to be repeated
Just like the first verse only 10 letters repeated.
The surat is 10 words and the first verse 10 unique letters
Oh but my friends from here it only gets better

The second verse is how many unique letters yes ten
And you wont find one more letter therein
Ten unique letters within the second verse
Does the Quran Honour Fatima, or is it the reverse?

This is superficial, upon the surface lies
The secret about Fatima Multiplies

With the teachings of Islam her life showed symmetry
And thats what in this verse we do see
The pure beauty of Symmetry

Now onto the third verse its much the same
Ten letters each with a different name.
10 words total , 10 unique letters in each verse
This is Allah's way to converse

That its not about size or length of time
With the Ahlul bayt its much more sublime

Using the language of God, lets dive a little deeper
The depth of the ocean of Fatima gets much steeper

Weve established the symmetry and how the 10 is unique
10 words in the surat, 10 unique letters in each verse

The first letter in the surat , Elif is its name
And when we count we find that its the same
10 times its repeated in these 10 words
And yet the quran is not a miracle? How absurd

And how many letters only appear one time
I think you know its the same number each time

Only 10 letters appear once in surat al kawthar
And surely thats it , I mean weve gone pretty far

But shall we take a small look at the end of the Surah
And the letter that it ends with is the letter Ra

In fact each verse ends in this way
Whats special about this you might say

Those in the audience I ask a question
Which letter in the alphabet is number ten

Ill give you a second so you can count
But with Allah and the quran there is no doubt

Ra the tenth letter the end of each verse
This isnt something that you can rehearse

I can go on if I had all the time
Id tell you every last word on each line
Put them together to blow your mind
10 different letters are used for these words
And i could go on to second word in each verse

Each ends in Kaaf and each second word
Put them together but I dont want it blurred
Only ten unique letters for all the second word.

This is how Allah wants to Portray
The queen of heaven and mother of Ahlulbayt
Meanings to her life that we cant comprehend
And one more fact just before I end

This verse was revealed we all know why
They mocked the prophet at the death of his child
They called him abtar, one with no progeny
With words they mocked his family tree

But through Fatima all the greatness came
Every imam up until this day
The imam of our time, Imam al Mahdi
Through her is the prophets progeny

But they want to make our prophet abtar again

Ask me how and I will explain
Dont' they try and belittle our ahlulbayt
The people who with them they try to equate
To reduce their position and what they mean
The ahlulabyt are the guides of our dean

So today we celebrate the birth of their mother
A woman who the whole earth has seen no other
We celebrate the imams and the prophets progeny
And we will never allow the prophet to be abtar, thats our decree

The poet Saeed Alhakeem asks for your dua