In the name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful.

1. (The time of) their account has approached for mankind, while they are turning away in heedlessness.

2. No new Reminder comes to them from their Lord except that they listen to it while they are at play.

3. With their hearts distracted. And those who do wrong conceal their private conversation, (saying), “Is this (Prophet) except a human being like you? So would you approach magic while you see (it)?” He said, “My Lord knows (every) word (spoken) in the heavens and the earth. And He is the All-Hearer, the All-Knower.”

4. Nay, they say, “Muddled dreams; nay, he has invented it; nay, he is a poet. So let him bring us a sign like the ones that were sent to the former (Messengers).”

5. Not a town which We destroyed believed before them, so will they believe?

6. And We sent not (as Messengers) before you except men to whom We revealed. So ask the people.
8. And We did not make them (i.e., Prophets) bodies not eating food, nor were they immortals.

9. Then We fulfilled for them the promise, and We saved them and whom We willed and destroyed the transgressors.

10. Indeed, We have sent down to you a Book in which is your mention. Then will you not use reason?

11. And how many a town that was unjust have We shattered and produced after them another people.

12. Then when they perceived Our torment, behold, they fled from it.

13. Flee not, but return to where you were given luxury and to your homes, so that you may be questioned.

14. They said, “O woe to us! Indeed, we were wrongdoers.”

15. Then their cry did not cease until We made them reaped and extinct.

16. And We did not create the heavens and the earth and what is between them in play.

17. If We intended to take

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17. Nay, We hurl the truth against falsehood and it destroys it behold, it vanishes. And for you is destruction for what you ascribe.

18. And to Him belongs whoever is in the heavens and the earth. And those near Him are not (prevented) by arrogance to worship Him, nor do they tire.

19. They glorify (Him) night and day and do not slacken.

20. Or have they taken gods from the earth who raise (the dead)?

21. If there were gods in both of them (i.e., the heavens and the earth) besides Allah, surely they would have been ruined. So glorified is Allah, Lord of the Throne, above what they attribute (to Him).

22. He cannot be questioned about what He does, but they will be questioned.

23. Or have they taken gods besides Him? Say, “Bring your proof. This is a Reminder for those with me and a Reminder for those before me.” But most of them do not know the truth, so they are averse.
25. And We did not send before you any Messenger but We revealed to him that, “There is no god except Me, so worship Me.”

26. And they say, “The Most Gracious has taken a son.” Glorified is He! Nay, they are honored slaves.

27. They cannot precede Him in word, and they act by His command.

28. He knows what is before them and what is behind them, and they cannot intercede except for one whom He approves. And they, from fear of Him, stand in awe.

29. And whoever of them says, “Indeed, I am a god besides Him.” Then such a one We will recompense with Hell. Thus We recompense the wrongdoers.

30. Have not considered those who disbelieve that the heavens and the earth were a joined entity, then We parted them and made every living thing from water? Then will they not believe?

31. And We have placed in the earth firmly set mountains, lest it should shake with them, and We made therein broad passes as ways.
so that they may be guided.

32. And We have made the sky a protected roof. But they turn away from its Signs.

33. And He is the One Who created the night and the day and the sun and the moon, each floating in an orbit.

34. And We did not grant to any man before you immortality; so if you die, would they live forever?

35. Every soul will taste death. And We test you with bad and good as a trial; and to Us you will be returned.

36. And when those who disbelieve see you, they take you not except in ridicule, "Is this the one who mentions your gods?" And they are, at the mention of the Most Gracious, disbelievers.

37. Man is created of haste (i.e., impatience). I will show you My Signs, so do not ask Me to hasten.

38. And they say, “When will this promise (be fulfilled) if you are truthful?”

39. If those who disbelieve knew the time when they will not be able to avert the Fire from their faces and their backs,
and they will not be helped!

40. Nay, it will come to them unexpectedly and bewilder them, then they will not be able to repel it, nor they will be given respite.

41. And verily, Messengers were mocked before you, then those who mocked them were surrounded by what they used to mock.

42. Say, “Who can protect you in the night and the day from the Most Gracious?” Yet, they turn away from the remembrance of their Lord.

43. Or do they have gods to defend them from Us? They are not able to help themselves, nor can they be protected from Us.

44. Nay, We gave provision to these (disbelievers) and their fathers until life grew long for them. Then do they not see that We set upon the land, reducing it from its borders? So is it they who will overcome?

45. Say, “I only warn you by the revelation.” But the deaf do not hear the call when they are warned.

46. And if (as much as) a whiff of the punishment of your Lord touches them,
surely they will say, “O woe to us! Indeed, we were wrongdoers.”

47. And We set up the scales of justice for the Day of Resurrection, so no soul will be wronged at all. And if there be the weight of a mustard seed, We will bring it (to account). And sufficient are We as Reckoners.

48. And verily, We gave Musa and Harun the Criterion and a light and a Reminder for the righteous.

49. Those who fear their Lord without seeing Him, and they are afraid of the Hour.

50. And this is a blessed Reminder, which We have revealed. Then are you of it rejecters?

51. And verily, We gave Ibrahim his guidance before, and were about him Well-Knowing.

52. When he said to his father and his people, “What are these statues to which you are devoted?”

53. They said, “We found our forefathers worshipping them.”

54. He said, “Verily, you and your forefathers were in manifest error.”

55. They said, “Have you come to us with the truth, or are you...