

Think Logically

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Introduction

Life and time are our most valuable assets. They are two integrated items since our life, on the earth, consists of the days and moments that we spend from birth to death. Throughout the two assets, we write various stories of success, failure, happiness, sadness, win, loss, etc. What we need most is to think logically about these stories, and do our best to make life beneficial for us and the others beside attempting to write the best stories ever. We need also to be optimistic and look forward to brighter times in our worldly life and the afterlife.

We, as smart human beings, must consider our lives well in addition to the universe and scrutinize every sign around us to get more information about life and think whether we are going to live once again after death or not. The concerns of life along with its multiple requirements shouldn't interrupt us from thinking logically about decisive issues such as the shortness of life, what will happen to us after death and immortality in the afterlife which is the most important issue because it is connected with an eternal life unlike our worldly life that will come to an end sooner or later.

On the earth, we exert all possible efforts to maintain our life and enjoy it as much as we can. We always attempt to protect our lives through avoiding risks and everything that may endanger us in order to live as long as possible. Yet life deserves such an attention because it is peerless, and we have nothing else that can match it. Our life also gets easier, smoother, and more enjoyable, when we think about it and make plans about how to live, and how to proceed safely toward immortality in the afterlife.

Think Logically calls for meditation and logical thinking about life in order to improve the quality of our lives through decreasing life pressure and overcoming obstacles that we usually face. In this life, everyone undergoes various circumstances ranging from happy and joyful circumstances to other sad and miserable ones. No one in this life leads a fully happy life without traumas since everyone must face disturbances such as the death of close relatives like fathers and mothers in addition to economic difficulties or financial distress. The book aims to help people overcome such circumstances and make their life as smooth as possible.

Since life is our most valuable thing, I have been thinking for a long time about the best gift that I may present to my friends whom I wish to lead a happy life. Consequently, I made sure that the best advice must be connected with invaluable or priceless things such as leading a happy life on this earth and getting ready for an endless happiness in the afterlife. With leading a happy life, we achieve part of the mission since the final goal that we are striving to achieve is the eternal happiness and immortality beyond death.

The book also focuses on the idea of expanding logical and neutral thinking about our existence. It calls people to meditate about the creation of the universe via thinking whether this organized and systemized universe was found by chance or not! All human beings have a great mental capacity, and they can think and draw conclusions after considering and scrutinizing sings and proofs around them.

To think neutrally, we need to identify two types of thinking: positive thinking and negative thinking. For me, positive thinking is the logical thinking which helps individuals think appropriately and draw beneficial conclusions following considering different signs, ideas, materials, write-ups, etc. This type concentrates on the idea of reaching constructive conclusions and avoiding having prior conclusions that thinkers might even have before starting the process of thinking.

The negative thinking is the passive one in which individuals don't think logically or neutrally. In this type of thinking, the individual may have been convinced about certain ideas and he/she doesn't wish to change even if he/she sees or hears more persuasive ideas and even if he/she sees a clearer evidence or proof. This is because the individuals have already restricted the role of mind and interrupted it from navigating into the secrets of life.

With logical thinking, individuals can draw reasonable conclusions like when we think about the universe around us and consid-

er how this huge and vast universe is organized. The precise organization of the universe discloses that there is an Almighty Creator behind it. It is like the cause-and-effect relationship in which it is impossible to have anything without the existence of certain causes or exerting efforts for making or creating it. Branches of trees will never stir without wind or any other outer causes like stirring the branches by your hand. Nothing comes by chance or even move by chance since there must be a cause for each movement occurs.

Think Logically presents clear examples from our daily lives for all individuals who pretend that there is no Creator, and the universe was found by chance. These simple examples are set to refute such allegations. The book also highlights some scientifically proven ideas that can't be denied by secularists and disbelievers who deny the existence of the Creator. Anyway, they can refute these examples if they explain clearly how the universe was created rather than saying the universe was found by chance or evolved by itself without a creator!

This six-chapter book attempts to draw the attention of readers to the wonders that they can see everywhere in the universe and the nature around us. Through the first chapter, Creation Guides You to the Creator, the book proves that such an amazing organization and order can't be found by chance since chance can't lead to exceptionally organized systems for trillions of planets and galaxies. The book uses very simple and clear examples from the universe and our real daily lives to validate that as well.

The second chapter, Belief and Relief, discusses the deep influence of belief on the human life. It shows how belief improves life of people and makes it easier and smoother. The chapter also unveils how belief strengthens individuals and make them more effective society members and more resilient, too. Belief makes people stronger and capable of facing and overcoming troubles and life pressures. It also has a great sense that believers enjoy since they are progressing to the best target in life via the right path toward immortality and eternal happiness. This sensation can't be felt only by believers as they have priorities and plans for both life and the afterlife and they work accordingly. These goals make life more exciting and enjoyable and without these goals people may feel that life is meaningless.

The third chapter, Immortality, demonstrates how people cling to life and attempt to live as long as possible. The chapter depicts how immortality was and still is the obsession of people. It also calls for thinking about life logically and seeks to improve and prolong life, but it, at the same time, tells people that immortality is an inaccessible target in our worldly life. This chapter draws attention of people to the immortal life, but not on the earth since the earth isn't prepared for immortality and it doesn't fit immortality, too. Immortality and eternal happiness can be obtained later in the paradise.

The fourth chapter, Mortality, reminds people about death which is our final destination on this planet. It calls all people to

ethink logically about death since everyone is going to experience sooner or later. Although this is the final destination on the earth, it also represents a new stage amid the way toward immortality. The chapter also proves that the afterlife is much more important than our current life because that one is immortal and our life on the earth is mortal which may end unexpectedly at any moment.

The fifth chapter, Seeing the Creator, deals with the idea of seeing the Creator and how this issue is impossible during our worldly lives. It also reveals that people, who plunge into disbelief, fabricate pretexts and excuses to justify their attitudes. If they can't see Almighty Allah, they can see and feel the great signs that He created or sent down. Such signs tell them that He is the sole God and the Creator of the whole universe. The chapter draws attention of readers to many of these signs and calls them to think logically about them.

The sixth chapter, Excerpts from the Holy Quran, presents some verses from the Holy Quran that include various facts. These verses prove clearly that the Holy Quran was revealed by Almighty Allah and all people can't compose any similar verses. Almighty Allah revealed the Holy Quran and promised to keep it up without any changes or falsification. The cited verses also include clear scientific signs about people themselves and the universe. The very verses reveal that such information can't be fabricated by people, and they can't be but a revelation by Almighty Allah Who created everything.

Following these examples and excerpts, we need just to think logically about our life, our fate and what is waiting for us in addition to thinking how to win in this life and in the afterlife. This is the greatest win since there isn't a greater win than immortal win and there isn't a worse loss than an immortal loss. Hence, the book calls for using logic and scrutinization of evidence and proofs to help us draw constructive conclusions. Every one of us needs to think logically to save him/herself first and he/she may also think of saving others.

Eventually, we must be aware that time passes quickly, and our sunset is approaching; therefore, we must exploit every moment in our lives to fulfil either worldly achievements or doing more good deeds for our afterlife. By the way, even worldly achievements can be beneficial for us in our afterlife because the very achievements will benefit us, our families, and the people around us. Think Logically encourages you to think well before doing anything, advises you to do your best to make the sound decisions and guides you to proceed with hope and confidence toward success, happiness, and immortality.

Chapter One

Creation Guides You to the Creator

We live in a vibrant world and full of living creatures either on land, or seas and oceans. All creatures share one secret element which is life or the soul. Without this soul creatures vanish and decompose after losing it and completing their life cycle. The flowers and trees that we can see everywhere give us seeds which enable us to plant new flowers and trees once again and maintain such species to flourish on this planet. These seeds feature the cause of life or the reason behind the new generation.

Without seeds, plants can't grow and without these seeds, we also can't cultivate plants. This proves that life can't emerge from nothing and there must be a cause for having such plants, flowers and trees including seeds and water that plants get either through rain or irrigation. Consequently, life needs many causes to exist and without these causes it becomes extinct.

If we think logically and scientifically about such an issue, we get sure that life needs various reasons to exist. Scientifically speaking, validation by observation is deemed to be the essence of science and science outrightly rejects the idea of having something out of nothing because we need causes and explanations for everything. To have a tree you need seeds, or cuttings to plant and after that we need to irrigate it every now and then.

Let's have another example about planets of our Milky Way Galaxy. Our planet, the earth, is merely mini part of the galaxy which is mini part of the vast universe and the whole universe and planets are governed by certain laws. Scientific studies and research show that the universe is considered as a huge system including basic rules everywhere. Therefore, knowledge and rules that we can conclude about a planet, or one part of our universe will be applicable to other planets or parts.

If we consider gravitation which means the fall of things on the surface of the earth, we can find the same rules or principles of gravitation on other planets like the moon. The different planets obey and go according to the same laws of mathematics and physics. When we have reliable information which tells us that planets go according to accurate systems, then it is illogical for us as smart and clever human beings to believe that all these systems are found by chance, or the very planets have evolved by themselves! It is illogical to believe that our vast universe evolved naturally by itself!

To illustrate this more, let's consider the following case. When one of your friends tells you about a minor illogical issue, you will deny it immediately and you might describe him as an insane friend. In this case, your friend tells you that he was in the wild or the forest, and he saw three moons going round the area that he was standing in. For sure, you are going to deny such an idea and you may also re-consider your friendship with him since he might have mental or psychological problems because of telling unbelievable things. In the meantime, if another friend of yours tells you that the moon orbits the earth approximately every 27 days, you will say that he is right, or he has good information about the moon.

The moon has been orbiting the earth since thousands or millions of years in a concise order and organization along with a lot of other planets that have similar roles including the sun. Now, the question is: why you denied the first idea and accepted the second one, although if you think logically, the first one sounds more logical for those who believe that there is no Creator! The second one, which is scientifically proven, sounds illogical, if there is no creator, although it is correct because we are talking about a systematic issue that must be organized and created by an Almighty Creator.

Concerning the first one, if the planets and the moon existed by chance or evolved through certain stages without a creator then why we don't have more moons in certain days and less moons in the other days, and why you denied your friend's idea? Some moons might evolve like our moon and get closer to the earth or the area that the friend was staying in.

This union of science and knowledge proves the existence of the Creator since such a systematic universe works throughout error-free manners and everything goes according to accurate calculations such as how planets go around each other or themselves and how many rounds each day, month, or year.

Therefore, creation itself is the best evidence for the existence of an Almighty Creator and there must be only one creator since the existence of multiple creators triggers a race for sovereignty and mastering the universe. If there are more than one creator, they will compete, with each other, to rule the universe and such a competition continues until one of them defeats all the others.

Let's have another example from our real life to prove that everyone is sure that nothing happens by chance neither in our world nor in the universe. If someone says I was standing in the desert and there was nothing around me just sand and some small rocks and suddenly a car appeared in front of me out of nothing. Nothing was there and suddenly I have seen a car appearing before me. Another person says I bought a good car as a gift for you. It is Mercedes Benz, and this car was made in Germany. The difference between the first idea and the second one is logic itself. One of them is logical while the other isn't. With the second one, we know the company which made the car, and the very car is there in our real life since we can see it every day. While the first idea sounds illogical.

The question is: what is your answer about the first car? The first answer comes to our mind is NONESENSE since we don't expect that to happen and there is no way for it to happen because it is illogical and impossible. The deeper question now is: which answer is more illogical than this answer? Is it that of the persons who say that there is no creator, and the universe was developed by chance or that of the person who said a car appeared before me out of nothing? For sure, the second answer

is more unbelievable because creating a car without a creator is much easier than creating a vast systemized universe without a creator!

We can't believe the story of the car because there must be a creator for everything, and nothing can happen by chance. We also need a reasonable clarification or justification for everything to accept its existence. When we say there is a creator, we give a logical and reasonable explanation for the existence of this marvelous universe. This magnificent creation can't be found by no one!

Let's go deeper with further examples from our real life. In general, secularists reject the idea of religious instinct, but such an instinct does exist. Many examples from our life can be given in this concern. When passengers are flying by a plane and they face a critical problem in the air, they immediately tend to Almighty Allah through shouting "My God". This kind of shouting might be simultaneous and unintentional because when people face danger, they immediately start looking for the supernatural power of the Creator.

In such critical circumstances, people behave according to their innateness and instincts since they don't have time to think, and they don't have time to fabricate answers and justifications. They return immediately to their innocent innateness like kids when facing dangers. It is a serious time as they experience short

moments between life and death. After these few moments, they will either get safe and avoid death or lose their lives and join the world of death.

In this case, if we ask most of them whether there is a creator for this universe or not, the answer will be YES. They will acknowledge that our Almighty Creator created the universe and us. Their answer mirrors their real and good innateness and instinct which weren't polluted by spoilt thinking and hostility to the right.

Their religious instinct and innate feelings lead them toward Almighty Creator and if they survive and arrive at the airport, most of them may change their mind and say again there is no creator! If we also ask them why they tended to the Creator during their hard times, they may say that they behaved unintentionally or without thinking.

With this accident, what does the logic itself tell us? It tells us that human beings are sure that there is an Almighty Creator for this universe, but they don't like to admit such an idea because it doesn't match their beliefs or thinking. They will never ever show any sort of mea culpa, even if they witness clear proofs and examples.

However, thinking logically and neutrally makes us sure that nothing happened by chance during our long life and the universe kept its precise systems and movement. What does this mean? If this organized universe existed by chance, then why we don't believe in superstitions since superstitions are more likely to be trusted than the chance of the universe existence.

Superstitions revolve around much smaller things when compared to the universe. If we tell someone that we saw yesterday a small planet falling from the sky and started going round itself for one hour and then disappeared. What his reaction will be? The first thing that this person says is: this is illogical! He is right because this is an abnormal thing and can't happen.

In the meantime, if we tell somebody that one of our smart friends could make a small helicopter and he flied the helicopter that kept hovering over our heads for 10 minutes and then he landed it. What will the answer be? We believe that and admire how smart this person is! Why is that? This is because we attributed the helicopter to a certain maker.

Furthermore, if someone says my friend has a great power as he could make a big stone fly over our heads for 10 minutes and then he brought the stone down to the earth. What will the reaction be? The first thing to say is that this person suffers from a mental disease! Thus, we had two logical examples and an illogical one. What we need now is just to be logical and examine everything around us to draw conclusions.

One more example about portraits. What will our reaction be when we see an amazing portrait like the Mona Lisa of Leonardo da Vinci? With the first glance, we express our admiration about the great skills of the artist who painted the portrait.

Now, if a certain person says, I am sure that there is no painter for this masterpiece, and it was painted by chance, or the portrait is evolved by itself! Is this logical speech? Does anyone believe that? No need to answer because everyone knows the answer well. One more thing, can anyone ask such a question or state such unreasonable statement? The answer is NO.

Let's go further to consider the great portrait that we see every day and every night. When you look at the starry sky, you can see an amazing portrait with a huge number of planets filling the sky in addition to the moon that goes regularly round the earth. With comparing these two portraits, is it reasonable to say the first portrait can't be painted without an artist while the second one can be created without a creator? Of course, NO. There must be creators for both portraits.

Accordingly, nothing happens by chance and if things happened by chance in the past then they would happen again. If this is possible, then we must witness some of these things at least once during our lives. As a result, thinking logically and neutrally will lead you to your Creator.

With logical thinking, we follow the root of everything and the real causes behind the existence of plants, animals, and us. When we get sure that every creature or plant needs causes for life in order to exist then we must get sure that there must be a creator for everything and there is an Almighty Creator Who created us at a certain time.

Having such examples and thinking deeply about life is necessary to raise self-awareness and identify the goals that we are expected to fulfil in addition to our real mission on the earth. Every one of us receives wake-up messages that remind him/her that everything is created wisely by Almighty Creator. The messages also tell us that life is our first asset that we have to think about. Therefore, you are called to live your life to the fullest and make life beneficial to all people through helping the others and avoiding harming anyone.

Hence, we must think of life logically and neutrally to draw the correct conclusions that improve our lives. This type of thinking makes us stronger and more resilient since we expand our perspectives about life itself. We also get more experiences and information about obstacles that everyone usually faces before success. At this point, we should be aware that obstacles are there, and everyone must face during his/her life, but we need to be strong enough to overcome such obstacles.

Sometimes people fail at a certain goal which is normal, but successful people will never stop at this obstacle, on the contrary, they exploit this failure to learn a new lesson in life and pick themselves back up gain. The very failure broadens experiences about life and helps people adjust themselves to overcome this setback and pursue the track of success. Herein lies the difference between people of logical thinking and people of passive thinking.

After considering the previous examples, we must be aware of the significance of logical thinking that enlightens our lives and expands our knowledge. When we think logically, we make sure that there must be a cause or reason behind the existence of everything including life. We may also realize that the lives of human beings resemble that of trees and plants. When they die, Almighty Allah gives them life once again through their seeds.

The precise systems and movement of the various planets tell us that there must be a creator for the universe. This can be identified easily if we think about the universe around us. Further, recognizing the Creator doesn't require genius or clever people since the signs are very clear and easy. Everyone thinks about these signs will identify the infinite power of our great Creator. What we need is just to think logically about the universe, the earth, the sun, the moon, and many others to get adequate answers since creation itself guides us to the Creator.

Chapter Two

Belief and Relief

While considering religion and belief, it can be noticed that people are divided into different groups namely believers, disbelievers or atheists and agnostics. Believers represent the group that believes in God and acknowledges the great power of Almighty Allah Who created us and the whole universe. Disbelievers are the opposite. They don't believe in God or religion, and they have different views about the existence of the universe and cosmogony. Some of them are atheists to the core as they doubt or refute the existence of God. The third group is the agnostics who believe that people know nothing about the existence of God. They are in between, neither believers nor atheists.

For believers, belief has been an effective force in their human life in terms of reinforcing human awareness about death and driving them to live a better life. To clarify this idea, the book presents an inductive analysis about specificities and benefits of belief and its influence on human beings. It also demonstrates how spiritual and faith-based approaches assist individuals to feel stronger and get more effective society members.

In the meantime, belief and spirituality augment resilience and enhance human well-being. When belief is corelated with spirituality, they help individuals overcome stress, enjoy stronger mental health and feel the purpose of life that helps them focus on the significant issues and dealing with them efficiently. Spirituality helps individuals get in touch with their inner souls and

this is a positive part of self-reflection that enables individuals to better understand life in general and their lives in particular.

If we think logically about these issues, we will discover that belief and spirituality can bestow great advantages to people including increasing lifespan and leading a quiet life. Further, believers rarely fall the victims of depression and life pressures since belief always urges its followers to overcome such challenges. It also contributes to enhancing mental and psychological health through avoiding thinking too much about negative issues and the problems that people usually face. Such instructions strengthen individuals and boost their capability to face hardships. With belief, we enjoy tranquility and get more resilient as well.

Belief plays another crucial role in making the lives of people easier. It helps people overcome life and work pressures through enhancing self-confidence amongst its followers. It teaches people to be patient and prepares them well to face the different circumstances. All these benefits can be attained through belief because it calls people to depend on God, the central power for everything, and tells them that success and failure are two basic parts of our lives, but failure mustn't undermine our goals and aspirations.

When people get ready for both success and failure, they are more likely to succeed. Even if they failed, the negative results would never have a catastrophic influence on their lives. They are more resilient because they believe that Almighty Allah will guide them to the right track once again and they may succeed later because of the previous failure itself which allowed them to learn a new lesson. However, this depends on their interpretation of failure. For them, God might destine failure for a project or task to grant them success in a much more important project or task. This is part of optimism that religion and belief instill in ourselves.

Let's have an example from our real lives to prove how belief relieves our lives. Some individuals sometimes fail to pass a job interview. Most of these individuals get very angry for missing this opportunity, but there is a big difference between believers and disbelievers in this concern.

For believers, they feel sorry for this failure as everyone doesn't like to fail, but this failure will never influence their determination. They continue looking for alternative opportunities until they get a convenient one.

For disbelievers, the outcome might be more difficult, and it may highly increase their pressures, due to the shortage of spiritual guidance and power. However, thinking about failure is part of our nature, but belief eases the influence of this bad outcome for its followers as it calls them to compensate the failure through the upcoming opportunities. In this sense, belief creates relief in your soul and enhances psychological stability.

Let's discuss again how belief motivates people to be optimistic and interpret things optimistically. Believers, according to their belief, should expect that they failed in this task because success is waiting for them in a better task. For example, the person who failed to pass the interview might change his mind about that job which he had applied for. Instead of being employee, he/she might start his/her own small business that may grow in the future. Thus, belief contributes to empowering its followers and make them more resilient.

Due to the major roles that belief plays in life, we can say that belief enlightens our life and life without religion and belief is like a ship without a rudder. Belief and religion guide us to the right path and tell us that life isn't the heaven since no one can lead a happy life forever. Everyone must undergo pleasant and unpleasant circumstances. Even kings, the richest people, may face the same troubles that ordinary people face, particularly life pressures, fear of what happens in the future, and they are more likely to fear death than the ordinary people.

Sometimes, kings and tycoons face much worse circumstances. Let's have examples from our daily lives or from stories that we have gone through. Let's say that you have been a king for years, just like King Charles I, and you lost everything including the kingdom and fortune. Is your kingdom or former royal life still beneficial? For you, which is better an ousted king or a man who lives an ordinary life?

In fictional stories, Oedipus also was a king. Would you like to be in his shoe after the great misfortunes that had undergone? Thus, life is vulnerable and full of troubles; therefore, it mustn't be our first and final ambition!

Believers know well that life is changeable. We live sometimes happy moments, but such moments will never last for good. What we need most is to understand life well and do our best to live a peaceful life and get ready for a better life after death. Even the word PEACEFUL doesn't match this life since life can't be always peaceful, but we can work hard to live most of our times peacefully.

Accordingly, belief presents relief and great benefits to its followers through teaching them that life is the most valuable thing that they have, and they have to maintain it and enjoy it in a way that doesn't harm the others. This assists believers not to get despaired when facing obstacles unlike disbelievers who are usually an easier prey for despair which is one of most critical problems of our lives. Despair may lead to disastrous outcomes since some people think more about committing suicide after they fall in despair. In general, believers don't commit such a sinister act because their belief provides them with more information that makes them more experienced about life and its obstacles.

People of belief usually live a quieter and longer life than

the other people. This is because they are less affected by the pressures and troubles of life. Avoiding these two problems helps them maintain their health which consequently prolongs their life. Therefore, belief plays a significant role in boosting our lives and helps us overcome difficulties because believers are aware of fate which is inevitable, and they are sure that fate will occur at the end. What they need to do is just to exert all possible efforts to succeed.

In the meantime, belief contributes to boosting the quality of our lives as it calls for great values such as helping others and cooperating with the other people to build good societies. It calls people to be helpful and induces them to support and rehabilitate the individuals who have certain problems in order to make them good and active members of society. Belief, which is part of religion, calls its followers to be honest, loyal, fair, peaceful and deal with other people respectfully in addition to constantly improving their morality, to lead a pure life, and helping others lead a similar life, too.

It also orders all sons to deal well with their parents even if the parents are disbelievers and the sons are believers. Religion and belief order parents to be kind to their kids and order the sons to take care of their parents till the last moment of their lives.

To provide a better life to its followers, belief also rectifies the conduct of people and orders them to be honest people because they are watched by Almighty Allah. When they have such a feeling, people even attempt to complete all their tasks perfectly either if there are supervisors to check their work or not. This is a significant incentive for them because the supervisor is always with them. Thus, belief improves performance and helps believers avoid stress since it calls people to work hard and professionally in order to please their Creator. While abiding by such instructions, people will surely be more productive, beneficial, and better society individuals.

Religion and belief call for all these great values which are adopted and supported by modernity. In our modern life, a lot of countries, especially the developed ones, conduct awareness campaigns to raise awareness of people about significant issues such as respecting others, maintaining environment, rationalizing the use of electricity and water and many other issues. We acknowledge that these are positive initiatives that contribute to improving the lives of people.

If we consider such great values, we can easily find out that belief and religion have been calling for that since centuries. Religion calls its followers not to harm others through maintaining all life requirements including environment, infrastructure, and public and private facilities. Religion also prohibits squandering and orders maintaining all natural and national resources to sustain a good life for all creatures, not only human beings.

Accordingly, belief has a variety of wide-reaching advantages

for believers especially satisfaction, tranquility, and psychological relief. It also reduces disputes and problematic issues because believers usually think about their afterlife, therefore they are more patient, and they can endure more difficulties than other people.

To attract their attention to the reality of life, religion tells believers that this life is imperfect, and we must face problems and things that we don't like such as illness and poverty. In this way, religion prepares its followers to get ready for overcoming difficulties and sad occasions as well as concentrating on major issues concerning their lives.

Likewise, it makes sense to our lives since our lives will be more meaningful and straightforward through focusing on social reform since believers like the good for themselves and the others. If societies get such benefits, then they can turn life into a paradise even for unwealthy people since satisfaction and tranquility are much important than wealth. We all know that not all rich people lead a happy life, and they may face tougher pressures than the other people. Some rich people and tycoons commit suicide because of certain troubles such as social problems or financial distress.

Before we proceed, we must clarify another point about religion and belief. Some people think that religion is something associated with the past and it doesn't fit our present world due to the great scientific and technological advancement and inven-

tions that the world witnessed in the past two centuries. They feel that our world requires special ways for living that fit the recent tremendous development.

If we consider such a statement, we can notice that there is no contradiction between modernity requirements and the religious instructions, on the contrary, they complement each other. Modern societies always call for social justice and awareness and pay a great attention to such issues. In the meantime, religion incites people for improving their knowledge continuously and maintaining their societies. Now, the demands of modern societies and religions meet, and they call for the same targets.

By the way, religion calls for knowledge and expanding scientific research which harmonizes with the demands of modern societies, too. Of course, there are some issues that religion bans and the modern societies support, but such issues don't interrupt development and modernity.

The issue of free-living or adultery, for example, is supported by modern societies and banned by religion. If we think logically and neutrally about such an issue what will the result be? Adultery leads to multiple social problems and modern societies call for social reform! Now, where is the contradiction? Is it associated with religion or secular views of societies? Religion calls for social reform and bridges all gaps that might lead to social problems and secular societies call for social reform and ignore gaps that lead to social problems.

On the other hand, the advancement of technology such as transport methods and the multiple inventions made our life more exciting, but busier than before. In this rapidly evolving era, the world became like a little village where people can see, visit, and talk to each other whenever they like. They can travel from one country to another in a few hours to the extent that a passenger can have his/her breakfast in a country and lunch in another country.

This advancement distracted our attention from important issues and made our life too busy to the extent that a lot of people don't have time even to think about their special life. People spend long time at work and surf internet on their mobile phones, computers or laptops and they don't assign a short time to think logically about their lives and how short they are.

People need always to think logically about their life since each day brings us closer to our final destination. Every wise person needs to consider this destination and how it will be! Our lives will be short even for those who live 100 years or more. If we ask some of these persons how their past 100 years were, they will tell us that this long period has passed just like a dream. Or they will tell us that they feel as if they have been living for only 10 years. This is a sufficient reason to make us re-think about our lives and how short they are even if we live for long years.

To have further knowledge about believers, disbelievers and those who claim to be believers, we must be aware that religion consists of different followers. Some of them are productive and helpful while other followers are not. We also need to understand that not everyone says I belong to that religion is a real follower. The real followers are the ones who stick to the instructions of their religion and obey all its instructions. The individuals who don't abide by instructions aren't real followers of that religion. The real followers are the good people who help each other and help everyone in their societies and the other societies as well.

To obtain the relief of belief and expand social benefits, we need to fine-tune the knowledge of people about religion and urge them to think logically about what is good for their lives and what makes them happy in both the life and afterlife. We also need to think logically and identify if there is a contradiction between the religious instructions and modernity or not! We need to identify whether these instructions improve our lives and support development or not as well.

Due to the great values and instructions of religion, I believe that religion drives people toward spiritual transcendence and perfection. It also plays a great role in improving peoples' health and maintaining mental and psychological well-being. We need just to think logically about ourselves, lives, and everything around us and then draw conclusions about the destination and the way where we have to go.

Chapter Three

Immortality

Immortality has been an obsession or dream for a lot of people since the dawn of history. Since thousands of years philosophers, scholars and heroes were looking for immortality and exerted great efforts to find out the secrets or the reasons that might lead to fulfilling such a great aspiration. People also used to write stories about that and fabricated tales to persuade others that this aspiration is accessible. Some ancient stories concentrated on the idea of elixir as this material, according to them, would help those who drink it live forever and become immortal persons with an eternal youth.

Immortality has also been highlighted by both literature and religion. The difference between the two fields, in terms of dealing with immortality, is that religion calls for accessing it in the afterlife, in the paradise, while literature focuses on eternity in our worldly lives. For philosophy giants like Aristotle, the universe is eternal in terms of time, but it is finite in terms of spatial extent. Accordingly, the universe has infinite past and future which makes it eternal. Aristotle's thoughts were supported effectively by the Islamic philosopher Averroes, Ibn Rushd, since Aristotle gives eternity to time and mortality to place like the earth and all creatures that will vanish one day.

Immortality in literature can be divided into two quests or

types. The first one is eternity through death itself and the second one is the inaccessible eternity which is immortality and living forever on the earth. The first one is sought by heroes who were fighting bravely in battles to keep their names memorized as great historical soldiers through either fulfilling great victories or dying at the battlefields. The second one refers to endless or infinite time along with eternal youth which can be attained through certain material or medicine like elixir. This idea was sought by various alchemists and scholars.

However, a lot of people had the quest of looking for eternal life and many others have been searching for the secrets that might help them attain immortality during the past centuries. People were eager for such great ambitions but none of them could break up the norms and rules of Almighty Allah Who destined death for all creatures. In the past and present, death was and still is the final destination for all human beings and every creature on this planet.

In literature, immortality was depicted as a significant issue that people have been looking for. It has been highlighted by ancient prominent literary pieces such as 'The Epic of Gilgamesh' which dates back to the 22nd century BCE. This is one of the first literary quests toward eternity.

In the meantime, alchemists have been searching for elixir of life to step forward immortality. Although they might feel that they were searching for the impossible, we appreciate their quest because it features the great vigor and ambition of the former scholars. In the past, some people believed that when an individual drinks from a certain glass or cup with a certain drink in a certain time, then that individual will obtain immortality or immortal youth.

In Medieval literature, stories were full of adventures and unreal scenes. However, they enjoyed those stories at that time, and they knew well that they were fictional stories and so do we now. We enjoy reading such stories, but we are sure that they are fictional works and can't be real like the scene of the chival-ric romance "Sir Gawain and the Green Knight" when the Green Knight was beheaded, but he rose again after cutting off his head. It is a good story for enriching our imagination and improving our skills, but we are sure that such scenes can't occur in our real life. This scene forms an important part of Medieval literature since literature at that time included certain characteristics particularly magic and adventures.

On the other hand, religion calls its followers to attain immortality across this life itself. According to religion, people need to

be good human beings who concentrate on doing good deeds and avoid sins or bad deeds. Religion calls its followers to be good citizens in order to serve their societies and countries to set aside a better life for them and the people who live around them. Through the good deeds, human beings can succeed in this life and obtain an eternal wealthy life in the paradise after death.

Literature dealt with immortality differently since heroes of stories attempted to achieve immortality in this world and on this earth. All their attempts failed and none of them could achieve this target. Throughout such attempts, immortality energized the imagination of writers to write fantastic stories, novels, and poems such as T. S. Eliot's Whispers of Immortality, Robert Herrick's Eternity, etc.

Furthermore, the three main religions: Islam, Christianity and Judaism concentrate intensively on immortality and the three religions agree about immortality, but not in this life since immortality can be attained only in the afterlife. The unity and harmony of the three main religions about immortality leads to significant questions especially the question about the existence of the Creator and the afterlife.

These religions have been calling people to work for their afterlife and they affirmed that immortality is an unattainable target on the earth. The religions presented a true explanation and a clear message about immortality. Part of this message gets clearer with the advancement of science and technology since this advancement failed to break up the norms of mortality. This is the answer for the first part of the religious call for immortality which came true, therefore we must think logically about the second part which is immortality in the afterlife, which will certainly come true just like the first one.

The dream of immortality on the earth has been clarified as an unattainable one since nothing on this earth among living creatures survived or can survive forever. All creatures including people, animals, insects, trees, and the other species have a certain lifespan, and they die once they complete their life cycle. Some species or creatures may live longer, but they will face the same destiny of those that lived for a shorter time.

Everything takes us toward the same conclusion which is death. It is waiting for all, and immortality is an inaccessible quest in this world. What we need most is to think about life itself and how to make it more beneficial for us and the others.

In the interim, we mustn't ignore immortality, but we need to look for it throughout different ways from the aforementioned heroes. If immortality is unattainable in this life and people failed to reach it, the door is still open for human beings to pursue their quest toward it. After considering many examples and issues, we are sure now that immortality is impossible in this life, and we need to consider it well whether it is accessible in the afterlife or not.

If we think logically about life and death, then we will discover that life and death prove the existence of Almighty Creator. When all people face the same destiny or fate and all creatures die after completing their lifespan and the universe goes on in the same order along with planets orbiting in an organized way, this refers to the existence of Almighty Creator Who created all of that and He controls everything in the universe and beyond.

If we think that there is no creator, things will never be organized like this, and we will have too many exceptions and abnormal things in terms of lifespan of creatures and the way planets orbit and many other things. We might also find eternity amongst certain people or any other creatures. But this is impossible because the sole Creator created the world and controlled it through wise laws which stipulate that each creature is going to die one

day. The Creator also calls people for considering that and getting ready for the immortality quest in the afterlife.

According to religious beliefs, the human body is mortal while the soul is immortal. This belief motivates spiritual purity while the awareness of death fuels thinking about supernatural immortality that human beings gain after death. Both aspects stimulate people to be more productive society members and focus more on the good deeds to get the awards of our worldly life and the afterlife as well.

The question now: is immortality accessible on the earth? From logical point of view, this is impossible, and it will never be accessible even in the future. As people failed to access immortality in the past they will fail in the future, too.

While considering the relationship between life, immortality and advancement of science, positive results can be tracked in this concern. These positive results contributed to improving the lives of people and making them live longer, but they didn't lead to any further step toward immortality.

The advancement of science raised awareness of people about things that influence their health and may cause death

in addition to showing the great results of cleaning, sanitizing, and avoiding infections. At the present time, while Covid-19 pandemic sweeping the world, new sciences especially the medical institutions presented great services and benefits to the whole humanity.

As for the pandemic, the medical institutions could make a vaccine in a short time that did exceed one year. The vaccines contributed to containing the pandemic and saved the lives of millions of people. However, without vaccines the situation could be much worse. Throughout the medical tips, people also could lead a healthier life and they may live longer, but they will never ever be immortal.

We believe in medical advancement and its positive results, but, at the same time, we mustn't be overoptimistic about any possible extraordinary breakthroughs that may be in the offing. Of course, the advancement of science benefitted people everywhere, but the very advancement could do nothing for mortality. Anyway, many thanks to the great advances in medical field that saved the lives of a lot of people.

Think Logically calls you to make immortality accessible by your good deeds and positive contributions. This helps you access immortality two times: the first one is through immortalizing your name as the other people may remember you for a long time after your death and the second one is the real immortality that you are going to enjoy in the afterlife. This life is mortal because God destined mortality for everything and promised immortality for human beings after death. If you are eager for the quest of immortality, you must start preparing for it from now.

Chapter Four

Mortality

Mortality is a must, and it is waiting for all creatures. It is our final destination on this planet and wise people ought to think how to deal with this stage. What we need is to think logically about it since this is one of the stages that we are going to undergo on the earth. Some people prefer not to discuss the issue of mortality or death since they may feel afraid of it. This is a deadly mistake because avoiding such a discussion won't help them circumvent death. It is much better to think about it well from now as the time doesn't wait for us and we are approaching it more with the lapse of each day. We have to meditate and consider it well to make it one of the pleasant stages amid the way toward immortality.

Mortality can play a positive role in our lives as it urges us to plan our lives well. It also attracts our attention to be aware of our journey on the earth which must come to an end. When we are aware of that, we plan and work accordingly through dedicating every moment in our lives to fulfil further achievements. We also make use of every moment to fulfil either worldly achievements or heavenly ones via good deeds.

All people are sure that they are going to experience death one day and they are curious to know what will happen to them on that day when they abandon the life and enter the stage of the afterlife. We have got some religious information about that, describing how human beings will be after death. Let's consider this issue logically through assessing the available information about death to help us draw beneficial conclusions.

However, death is still something vague because we didn't try it and no one experienced death and returned to us once again to tell us about its nature and secrets. Anyway, we have received some religious information about death from the Creator Himself Who created life and death. For believers, they have no problem about the religious information as they believe in what they have received.

For disbelievers, we may ask them to think logically and assess the religious information in general i.e., the information about death, like what we have received in the Holy Quran, and information about other different issues. If the information about the other issues is true then the information about death will definitely be true because we got the information from the same source, the Holy Quran, the Book that Almighty Allah has revealed.

According to the Holy Quran, there is a similarity between death and sleep. Almighty Allah says in the Holy Quran: "Allah takes the souls at the time of their death, and those that do not die [He takes] during their sleep. Then He keeps those for which He has decreed death and releases the others for a specified term. Indeed in that are signs for a people who give thought" - Az-Zumar, 42. Almighty Allah said in another Sura: "And it is He who takes your souls by night and knows what you have committed by day. Then He revives you therein that a specified term may be fulfilled. Then to Him will be your return; then He will inform you about what you used to do" - Al-An'aam, 60. When

we consider the two verses, we can notice the similarity between death and sleep.

When we sleep, we usually are unaware of time and how long time passed from the beginning of our sleep until we get up. If any individual is kept inside a room without providing him with a clock or watch and he can't see anything outside like the sun, then this individual won't be aware of time. If he sleeps and gets up, it is impossible for him to tell us how long he slept because he wasn't aware of time and things that were happening around him.

When people die and resurrect again, they will be like that. They won't know how long they stayed in their graves especially disbelievers because they didn't believe in God or the afterlife. Believers, at that time, know that they were dead and resurrected again, but they also don't know how long they stayed in their graves. The Holy Quran said about that "And the Day the Hour appears the criminals will swear they had remained but an hour. Thus they were deluded." - Ar-Room, 55.

According to the verse, disbelievers are deluded and can't comprehend what is happening around them because they were like that in their life. They swear that they spent very short time in graves despite the fact they stayed until the doomsday. Believers are the opposite, and they are wise as they were wise in their worldly lives. They even provide a wise answer when they tell disbelievers that they stayed in their graves until the doomsday

or the Day of Judgement. Believers are aware of that because they were aware of death during their worldly lives and they used to prepare themselves for this journey, the journey of immortality.

The verse includes another indication which resembles death to sleep. When both believers and disbelievers resurrect, they are sure that they were in their graves, but both parties don't know how long they remained.

Now, let's go back to the previous example. If we keep some persons in a room and leave them for a certain period of time without providing them with any device that may tell them about time and then they sleep and get up later on. They will be in a similar situation to that of people in the doomsday. They will be aware of the place, but they will never be aware of time.

Almighty Allah told us in the Holy Quran that we are going to die one day in addition to all creatures. We can't deny this because we used to observe that in our daily lives. The question is that: if we know that we are going to die and we are proceeding toward our destination with the lapse of each day and get closer to it, then why we attempt to ignore death or not to think about it? Avoiding thinking about it will never prolong our life and make us live longer. On the contrary, it deprives us from many advantages.

Thinking and reading about death make us more logical individuals and provide us with knowledge and information about what will happen to us after death. They also make us better persons because people who think about death will concentrate on good deeds to protect themselves in both life and afterlife. They also get more beneficial to the other people in this worldly life, but in the afterlife, they can do nothing for disbelievers because they are destined to be dwellers of the hell.

Let's consider death from a different perspective which is the scientific one. According to science and relevant studies, death occurs when the heart stops beating followed by halt of the functions of the other organs of the body. The other organs start stopping from work since they don't receive the required blood supply which empowers them to function and sustain the cells of the various organs such as the brain.

In the meantime, various scientific studies have recorded activities inside the brain even after death. These activities, even if they don't last long, indicate that something happens to creatures after death. This might be the beginning of the afterlife which is definitely different from our current life. Moreover, this new type of life will be either pleasant or miserable.

Accordingly, the union of body and soul occurs in two stages amid our journey toward immortality. The first one occurs between birth and death. In the second stage of the journey, we ex-

perience separation between the body and the soul during which our bodies will be disintegrated while our souls will be kept in a certain place till the start of the third stage. The third and the last stage starts with resurrection in which our bodies and souls reunite again exactly like the union of our bodies and souls of the first stage. Hence, immortality journey starts with an eternal happy life or an eternal miserable life.

In terms of immortality on the earth, Think Logically affirms that immortality on the earth is impossible. If we think about that logically, we will find out that this earth isn't prepared for immortality since the earth itself is mortal. Furthermore, if creatures get immortal on this planet, then there will be billions of people and other creatures and then the earth will never be enough to accommodate all of them.

Since thousands of years, a huge number of people and other creatures died either normally or by plagues and disasters. If all of them exist at the same time and the number of creatures keeps increasing by reproduction, the earth will be busy with an unendurable number of people and different creatures. Therefore, everything on this planet must be mortal and everything must die after completing the assigned lifespan.

As a result, there is a great wisdom behind mortality because it has multiple advantages. Mortality balances the planet since all creatures and species grow and die orderly. The number of people and other creatures is also increasing reasonably and in an organized way that the planet can accommodate.

If we think logically about natural disasters and catastrophes, we might find some advantages coming out of them. Sometimes, the number of certain creatures increases rapidly in a way that endangers nature or environment, then we have certain disasters such as pandemics, volcanoes, earthquakes, or fires which contribute to restoring the balance once again. This is similar to the dinosaurs' era, when they ruled vast part of the earth. How was that era ended? It was ended by an epic asteroid wherein that catastrophe reorganized the planet in a new way and shifted sovereignty to different species.

The giant asteroid that ended the dinosaurs' era is also considered as one the most catastrophic events that the earth has ever undergone. The asteroid caused extinction of a lot of species including animals and plants and marked the beginning of a new era on the earth. Although this event caused a huge destruction, it also contributed to re-organizing the earth in a way that might fit new creatures better. Consequently, mortality has been playing a great role in balancing the planet through ending the lives of certain creatures to pave the way for new ones.

While discussing mortality and its influence on people, a different influence can be noticed on believers and disbelievers. The difference here is associated with anxiety. When death comes to the minds of believers, they think positively about it and think about what they did for the day of death. They don't feel afraid of it, and if they committed mistakes and sins, they would attempt to atone for their guilts and sins.

For disbelievers, they try either to avoid thinking about death or think negatively since they did nothing for that day. They feel sacred, because they think that they are going to embark on an unknown journey surrounded by dangers and damnation.

They feel, at their last moments, that they missed everything as they didn't take the opportunity when they had it. They lived for a long time, but they didn't prepare or get ready for this an inevitable journey. They also feel sorry because they didn't think logically or neutrally about the various stages of their life. At that time, they realize the significance of this stage and they feel sorry for it, but sorriness is worthless because the test has been completed.

On the other hand, believers sometimes miss death and wish to be closer to it because they believe that death is the first step toward the heavens. They even enjoy thinking or working for that stage unlike disbelievers. For believers, the sole thing that separates them from the heavens is waiting for the end of their lives and death which will open the door toward immortality.

Believers believe that death will be a new beginning as they believe that people who pass away will be in an intermediary state. This state is between life and afterlife, and they maintain the same state until resurrection for the Day of Judgement.

Accordingly, death isn't the end at all, on the contrary, it is the beginning of a new promising stage. It is just the end of our worldly life on this planet. This stage includes separation between the body and the soul which represents a new journey in a new blessed world.

Now, we are sure that all human beings live on this earth and die on it, but we need to think logically about what is beyond death and how we will rise once again. According to various scientific studies there are some viable cells in the human body and those cells might be the base for our resurrection at a certain point of time. All people, in the doomsday, will resurrect again and get ready for the Day of Judgement in which they will be granted a happy eternal life or miserable eternal one in an everlasting punishment.

At that time, all people get sure that they were in a test in which they will be either winners or losers as some of them will pass the test and others will fail. The people who successfully pass the test will enjoy a great immortal life in the heavens. Further, the lives and bliss of the heavens are indescribable, and nobody can describe them well because nobody has experienced or seen anything like

them. In general, if a person wants to describe something, this person must have seen it or seen something similar in order to express a similar quality or shape of the described thing. Therefore, it is impossible for people to describe the heavens well.

As mentioned above, death will be a transitional stage between two important stages. The first stage starts with the beginning of our worldly lives and the last one is our eternal life in either the paradise or the hell. The three stages complement each other, and no one can escape any of them. Before reaching the final stage, you must have passed throughout all previous stages. Also, the bases of success must be built from the very beginning since we have only two active stages out of the three. The first one is full of activities in which we write the stories of our success or failure for the upcoming stages. The second stage is a stagnant one which doesn't have the activities of the first and the last one.

Our final stage is similar to the first one in terms of activities in which people are busy in both of them. In the first one, they are busy with their life requirements in addition to preparation for the upcoming stages. In the final stage, some people will also be busy with the indescribable paradise and the great wealthy life and property that Almighty Allah will grant them. The other people will be also busy with indescribable eternal punishment and misery, and they will never ever be allowed to get out of this miserable situation.

Think Logically calls all people to think about these stages and choose the end that they prefer. We must also remember that we are writing right now stories for the second and the third stage and we must be aware of what we write because we still have time to end the story as we like, but the time will be over sooner or later. It might be after tens of years, one year, tomorrow or today. I advise you to prioritize your immortal life to the mortal one since our worldly life is short, time passes quickly, and our sunset is approaching. We mustn't miss our life's sole chance.

Chapter Five

Seeing the Creator

We can't describe or even imagine how great and powerful is our Creator! We may understand this when we meditate about His great creation of the vast universe especially through what we can observe by the developed technological means. If we have a look at the new technology products and images that we get about the universe, we will find out that we need millions of light years to travel from one galaxy to another. The universe also includes millions or billions of galaxies. When we think about that what a result we can obtain! The result is that such a vast and huge universe needs an immense power to control, at least according to our human criteria because the human capacity and advancement of science fall short of surrounding such an amazing universe.

Some people ignore this marvelous creation and question why they can't see the Creator if He does exist! This is a very important question that needs too much meditation and logical thinking. Before navigating in such an issue, we must be aware that we have a certain mission on this earth and our whole life is like a test in which some people succeed, and others fail.

When we make sure that we are in a test, we get part of the answer. This is because the test has certain requirements to succeed, and the persons who subject to the test must be aware that they are having a real test. The test aims to identify the people who obey the divine instructions and those who don't obey the very instructions.

To attract the attention of people and interest more in the test, the tester - the Creator - revealed many signs and marks to emphasize that the test is real and people who would like to save themselves must do well in the test through believing in God. In the meantime, those who choose the other way can do whatever they want.

The signs that tested persons see are clear for those who think logically and like to save themselves. The people who don't interest in these sings might damn themselves because they didn't use their cleverness and mental capacity to think how to succeed in the test. Those who prepare themselves well for the test can pass it easily while those who waste their time will fail.

Back to the question of seeing God, after discussing some points about the greatness of our Creator. Firstly, Almighty Allah destined that no one would see Him during this life on the earth for reasons known only to Him and concealed from mankind. Secondly, what will happen if we see our Creator? The result is that everyone sees Him will believe willy-nilly because of his greatness. And if all people believe in God, then why the test is there! The test gets meaningless.

The test has definite objectives especially fair assessment of tested persons who have to think logically before submitting their answers. The signs that they get are clear and allow them to have options. Almighty Allah didn't send down signs and verses to force us to believe as He gave us options to do whatever we like during the test and write the answers that we prefer.

Almighty Allah can force us to believe by sending down a great sign that may endanger the lives of disbelievers or attract their attention in different ways. Almighty Allah said in the Holy Quran "If We willed, We could send down to them from the sky a sign for which their necks would remain humbled"- Ash-Shu'araa, 4.

The verse is clear that Almighty Allah willed to give options to all people after sending down certain signs which are very clear for those who think logically about them. Meanwhile, these clear signs will remain vague for those who prefer to freeze or restrict the role of their minds through avoiding considering the Creator's signs.

However, when Almighty Allah created Adam, who was tempted by Satan, He ordered both to get down to the earth. Allah also destined that a lot of people and devil would be the dwellers of the hell. Those who follow the divine instructions and believe in Almighty Allah will be saved to enjoy eternal life in our first place that Adam dwelt before the earth. Those who follow the devil will be the dwellers of hell and share with the devil an eternal suffering.

Now, let's have an example from our real life. If you are a university professor and you would like to assess the performance of your students, you need to take some steps to perform the assessment. The first one is how to conduct the assessment or the test including the required number and form of questions. Imagine that you prepared a test and provided your students with little information including all answers of the test! In such a step you devalue the test and make the test meaningless. Students themselves will feel that the test isn't that important, and they may feel sorry for the time they spent while studying for it.

Thus, if the test is very clear and the answers are almost provided to students then how the tester will differentiate between tested persons! If we have clear answers for the questions, then there is no need for the test itself. As a result, if people see clearer signs, then there will be no option for them and there will be no way for disbelief. At that time, everyone must believe forcibly.

A former secular co-worker of mine said, why I can't see Almighty Allah! I need to see Him in order to believe! This is the question of a former co-worker and other people might have similar questions. Let's consider that logically in light of the test example and how non-seeing Almighty Allah is part of the test.

Before answering the question, we need to clarify something. We must know that Almighty Allah doesn't need our belief and worship. He revealed certain instructions for people and gave them the option to believe or disbelieve. Therefore, during life, some of them succeed and others fail. The first thing that we need to be aware of is that our belief will never ever benefit Almighty Allah.

To illustrate this more, we need to consider modern science products. This can be believed easily because all people live on the earth and the whole earth is worthless when compared to the huge universe. If we think logically about how weak we are, we can notice our weakness and fallibility through everything around us.

Despite all scientific advancement and development of technology, we could discover only mini part of the universe. Some experts say that we didn't discover more than 1 percent of our huge universe, if the universe is as big as they expected. They also say that it might be much bigger than what they expected. How the great God Who created all that needs us or needs our worship and how will we see Him on the earth? Of course, He can allow us to see Him, but this will never happen now because non-seeing Him allows the test to proceed smoothly.

Think logically about who needs the other! Do people need Almighty Allah or Almighty Allah needs people? For believers the answer is well known and for disbelievers it may vary from one to another. Anyway, believers know the right path which they are going through while disbelievers are perplexed for a very simple reason which is the lack of logical and neutral thinking.

If people don't think logically, they deprive themselves from a golden opportunity to discover the truth. Almighty Allah created us with minds to think well and meditate about our creation and everything around us. If we restrict the role of our minds, we will miss the right path.

Every normal person can discover the truth if this person thinks about the signs that Almighty Allah sent down. Therefore, Almighty Allah differentiated people from other creatures by granting them the mind and the ability to think. If we freeze the role of mind, we will narrow the difference between us and the other creatures.

Back to considering the question of the secular co-worker about seeing the Creator. In this life, people can't see Almighty Allah and He said something about that in the Holy Quran. He said that people can't see Him and He sees everything. "Vision perceives Him not, but He perceives [all] vision; and He is the Subtle, the Acquainted"- Al-An'aam", 103.

Instead of seeing the Creator, the co-worker and everyone has a similar question can scrutinize the signs around them to discover the truth by themselves. He provided us with clear signs to hold us responsible for all our actions in this life. When He said this is my creation, we need to consider this well and think logically about it. When we think logically our thinking and mind will lead us to the right path.

The other thing is that Almighty Allah revealed certain instructions to differentiate between people who believe and people who don't believe. He also told us that we will see Him in the afterlife, but in our worldly life this will never happen. Here lies the answer for the question of the secular co-worker.

He told us that we can't see Him only in this life, but at the same time He gave us too many signs to know Him through. Thus, if seeing Almighty Allah is impossible now, it will be possible in the afterlife. By the way, this will be possible for believers only while disbelievers will never ever see Him neither in this life nor in the afterlife as mentioned in the Holy Quran. Almighty Allah mentioned these two cases in the Holy Quran, saying that believers will see Him with a great happiness. "[Some] faces, that Day, will be radiant. Looking at their Lord" - Al-Qiyaama, 22/23. He also said that disbelievers will never see Him, and they will be deprived from this great bliss as this bliss is described as the best one that the dwellers of the heavens can have. "No! Indeed, from their Lord, that Day, they will be partitioned" - Al-Mutaffifin, 15. If seeing Almighty Allah is the best bliss for believers, consequently depriving disbelievers from this bliss will be the biggest loss.

Now, everything is clear after providing clear signs and calling people for considering them and then people can decide to believe or not. The message here is clear for disbelievers as it tells them that they have full option and freedom to choose the way they like. They can choose the right path or the wrong one. It is up to them.

Another thing I would like to add to the former secular co-worker. I would like to tell him that non-seeing the Creator is part of the test that people undergo in this life and on this earth. Therefore, you will never see Him, but you can feel His presence throughout the signs that he created on this earth, in the universe and in yourself. Consider that logically and then make up your mind. If you really think logically and neutrally you will succeed and if you make a prior decision before even thinking you will be one of the biggest losers. I wish you and all people a lucky choice.

Chapter Six

Excerpts from the Holy Quran

In the past, Arabs were very proud of their linguistic excellence and narrating poetry. The Arabian Peninsula and the other Arab regions included a huge number of amazing poets. Arabs also used to highly respect both poets and knights to the extent that Arabian kings used to avoid annoying or angering poets. In fact, kings were afraid of the tongues of poets not their power or swords because kings were sure if a good poet satirizes them then this satire will be memorized and narrated by Arabs till the end of life.

As a result, poets and knights occupied a prominent rank in the Arabic culture and literature. The poets were respected for their great poetic skills and the knights were respected for their bravery, swords, and the role they play in protecting their nations. For a lot of Arabs, the man could be perfect if he mastered two things: poetry and chivalry.

Arabs in general paid a great attention to language, not only poets, and they were meticulous in terms of choosing words either in their literary symposiums and meetings or even in their ordinary lives. Poetry, oratory, and eloquence were part of their lives. Thus, the role of poetry in Arabic language is similar to the role of theatre in English literature. Accordingly, we can call Arabic Language as the language of poetry and English language as the language of theatre.

Poetry played another great role in the lives of Arabs as it contributed to uniting them against certain dangers. Poetry united Arabs against the Sassanid Empire, Persians, in Dhi Qar Battle and they won a great victory. Poetry also contributed to documenting history of their nation, victories, and many other occasions like the poem of Al-A'sha which described the details of Dhi Qar battle and how Arabs won that great victory.

During this golden era of Arabic language, Almighty Allah revealed the Holy Quran to challenge the Arabs in the field of their excellence. When Arabs heard some verses of the Holy Quran, they were astonished, awe-struck and admired what they had heard and got sure, from the very beginning, that such words can't be said or composed by human beings. They believed that it can't be but a divine diction and it will never ever be a human composition. They had never ever heard anything like that.

At that time, Arabs in Mecca were divided into two groups. Some of them believed in Almighty Allah as the sole Creator and the other group got convinced that the Holy Quran was revealed by Allah Almighty, but they didn't believe that He is the sole God. Although they thought that Almighty Allah is the one Who created the earth and the universe, they didn't believe as they worshipped different fetishes. The worship of the other fetishes spoiled their belief.

Due to Arabs' linguistic excellence, they acknowledged that the Holy Quran was far more sublime than the Arabic poetry, prose, and stories. Furthermore, the Holy Quran challenged all Arabs, the masters of poetry, eloquence, and oratory to bring a few verses like that of the Holy Quran. "Say, "If mankind and the jinn gathered in order to produce the like of this Qur'an, they could not produce the like of it, even if they were to each other assistants" - Al-Israa, 88. "Or do they say [about the Prophet], "He invented it?" Say, "Then bring forth a surah like it and call upon [for assistance] whomever you can besides Allah, if you should be truthful" - Yunus, 38.

After challenging Arabs to come up with a few verses similar to that of the Holy Quran, Almighty Allah said that He revealed the Holy Quran, and the Quran is His great book. He also promised to keep up the Holy Quran forever against any changes or modification. No one in the past could change a single word and no one in the future will be capable to change a word. Therefore, we have the same Holy Quran from 1400 years until now and it will continue like this till the end. Almighty Allah said "Indeed, it is We who sent down the Qur'an and indeed, We will be its guardian - Al-Hijr, 9.

When Almighty Allah revealed the Holy Quran and promised to keep it up forever, He added one more important thing to clear all doubts about the Holy Quran. Some disbelievers may say that the Holy Quran is revealed by Almighty Allah, but Prophet Mohammad peace be upon him (PBUH) might change some verses. Almighty Allah said in the Holy Quran about this issue: "Nor does he speak from [his own] inclination. It is not but a revelation

revealed" - An-Najm, 3/4. The previous verses certify that the Holy Quran was revealed by Almighty Allah and Almighty Allah will keep and protect it till the end of life.

The Holy Quran isn't a mere masterpiece that includes great divine instructions, it is also a great book that includes laws for organizing life, miscellaneous information about different fields such medicine, policy, history, etc. It is also a great literary masterpiece with an outstanding eloquence, style, expressions, and many other features and characteristics.

The Holy Quran contributed to adding great characteristics to Arabic language especially maintaining the language with the lapse of time, enriching it, and polishing its grammar. With a brief comparison between Arabic and any other language, it will be clear that the other language has undergone numerous changes during its history while Arabic is still the same in terms of grammar, spelling, and sentence structure even after inserting more derivations or words into Arabic.

We can have a clear example about that when we ask a native reader of Arabic to read an old text written a thousand years ago. The reader will understand the text well. In the meantime, if we ask another native reader to read a text, from his/her language, written a thousand years ago, the reader will misunderstand part of the text and in some languages the reader may misunderstand most of the text. This is because the other lan-

guages keep changing continuously while the Arabic language is preserved by the Holy Quran and kept up its grammar even after deriving new words to match the modern life.

Furthermore, the Holy Quran calls all human beings to read and think about it to discover by themselves whether this Holy Book is revealed by Almighty Allah or composed by human beings. The Holy Quran calls for that because it is a perfect and wise book, and no one can find contradictions between its multiple verses because it is revealed by Almighty Allah. "Then do they not reflect upon the Qur'an? If it had been from [any] other than Allah, they would have found within it much contradiction" - An-Nisaa, 82.

The Holy Quran deals with various aspects of life including the scientific ones. It also highlighted certain norms that the modern science couldn't break up and it will never break up till the end of life. Such norms include the soul and immortality.

The modern science along with its great advancement couldn't provide us with any clear information about the soul. It also couldn't help people step forward immortality on the earth. Science failed in these fields because Almighty Allah destined death to all creatures and kept some important information for Himself such as the information about the soul and the time of the doomsday which is concealed from angels, mankind, and all creatures. Almighty Allah said "And they ask you, [O Muhammad], about the soul. Say,

"The soul is of the affair of my Lord. And mankind have not been given of knowledge except a little" - Al-Israa, 85.

Since the revelation of the Holy Quran, people have been discovering new scientific clues in it. Some of these clues are proven by science recently, more specifically during the last century. In the Holy Quran there is a verse indicates that Almighty Allah created the universe, and He expands it more and more.

In this concern, National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) announced in 2016 that the universe expands continuously. Such a fact can't be proven only by having very developed devices like giant telescopes. In the past, this idea can't be validated due to the lack of the required technology, and the Holy Quran stated that before having technology and before the development of science. "And the heaven We constructed with strength, and indeed, We are [its] expander"- Adh-Dhaariyat, 47.

Along with the advancement of science, we can have a clearer view of the great creation of our Creator. The new technology empowered us to discover accurate information about human body, human life, the universe, stars, the earth, and space. All these discoveries tell us that there is an Almighty Creator. In the Holy Quran Almighty Allah says, "We will show them Our signs in the horizons and within themselves until it becomes clear to them that it is the truth. But is it not sufficient concerning your Lord that He is, over all things, a Witness?"- Fussilat, 53.

With thinking logically, we may notice that our lives are nothing when compared to the afterlife. This worldly life won't last long, and it will come to an end one day, but the afterlife is eternal. Therefore, there is no way to compare the worldly life with the eternal one which is full of happiness and joy unlike our worldly lives that must undergo troubles and turbulences. Allah says "And this worldly life is not but diversion and amusement. And indeed, the home of the Hereafter - that is the [eternal] life, if only they knew" - Al-Ankaboot, 64.

In addition to the excerpts that we went through, there are more scientific signs describing various phenomena in the Holy Quran. In the past, before people travel by planes, they had no idea about how oxygen decreases with higher altitudes. When human beings are in high altitudes, they feel that they are out of breath or breathe hard because the air pressure decreases and if they get higher then pressure will decrease more and more at a near-linear level. With elevations or altitudes, the body obtains less oxygen than that on the earth or lower altitudes because there is less oxygen in that area. This issue is highlighted in the Holy Quran when Almighty Allah gave an example about people who don't believe in Him.

According to the verse, people who don't believe in Allah feel as if they were under continuous pressure unlike believers who feel relieved and relaxed because of Almighty Allah's guidance and help. "So whoever Allah wants to guide - He expands his

breast to [contain] Islam; and whoever He wants to misguide - He makes his breast tight and constricted as though he were climbing into the sky. Thus does Allah place defilement upon those who do not believe"-Al-An'aam, 125.

According to various scientific studies, the mountains play a significant role in fixing the earth. The mountains are like great pegs that fix the earth similar to the role of pegs that we usually use to raise and fix tents. Therefore, the mountains contribute to maintaining the motion of the earth to remain in the same orbit and continue the same way of its movement. "Have We not made the earth a resting place? And the mountains as stakes?"-Al-Naba, 6/7. "And you see the mountains, thinking them rigid, while they will pass as the passing of clouds. [It is] the work of Allah, who perfected all things. Indeed, He is Acquainted with that which you do" - An-Naml, 88.

One more thing, modern science revealed that seas and oceans' waters don't mix when they meet with each other. The scientific studies gave an explanation to that which is related to the different salinity and density of the waters. These two factors formed something similar to a thin wall that prevents waters from mixing with each other. The matter is highlighted in the Holy Quran when Almighty Allah said, "He released the two seas, meeting [side by side]; Between them is a barrier [so] neither of them transgresses" - Ar-Rahmaan, 19/20.

The aforementioned clues and information were revealed and written in the Holy Quran since 1400 years. Modern science also validates these clues and information. I may question you now: who told Prophet Mohammad PBUH that? By the way, this is part of a wider range of scientific, literary, medical, legal, political, and other information available in the Holy Quran. If Mohammad weren't a Prophet, then he would never be able to provide such information! Secondly, if he is a prophet then this means that he got the information from Almighty Allah Who knows everything.

There is another evidence through having multiple examples and clues in the Holy Quran. When we have multiple examples and clues, this means that nothing happened by chance. On the contrary, everything is organized, and it functions according to precise ways. If there is only one example or a few examples, some people may say that this occurred by chance since we sometimes expect something, and it occurs as we expect, but when we have multiple expectations most of them fail.

Let's consider an example from our real life. When you expect a student to pass a test and get 90 out of 100, your expectation may come true. But if you expect 10 students to pass the test along with guessing a certain mark for each one, your expectations won't come true. A few expectations may come true, but there is no way for all of them to come true. Therefore, the multiples examples and clues in the Holly Quran form solid evidence that this great book is revealed by Almighty Allah.

Following the previous examples and clues, let us consider a short story in the Holy Quran about resurrecting the dead. In this Quranic short story, a disbeliever came to Prophet Mohammad PBUH, holding a disintegrated bone. The disbeliever said to Prophet: do you pretend that Allah will give life to this disintegrated bone once again? Prophet said: yes, Allah gives you life again after your death and casts you in the hell. The Holy Quran narrated this story with providing examples about how Almighty Allah gives life to creatures after their death.

"And he presents for Us an example and forgets his [own] creation. He says, "Who will give life to bones while they are disintegrated?" Say, "He will give them life who produced them the first time; and He is, of all creation, Knowing." [It is] He who made for you from the green tree, fire, and then from it you ignite. Is not He who created the heavens and the earth Able to create the likes of them? Yes, [it is so]; and He is the Knowing Creator. His command is only when He intends a thing that He says to it, "Be," and it is. So exalted is He in whose hand is the realm of all things, and to Him you will be returned" - Yaseen, 78-83.

Almighty Allah promised the righteous people great rewards in the afterlife. These rewards are better than any other rewards because they last forever in the heavens. This also comprises a call for all people to choose logically because if they miss the heavens then they will be amongst the dwellers of the hell. Almighty Allah said, "Say, "Is that better or the Garden of Eternity

which is promised to the righteous? It will be for them a reward and destination. For them therein is whatever they wish, [while] abiding eternally. It is ever upon your Lord a promise [worthy to be] requested"- Al-Furgaan, 15/16.

After giving miscellaneous clear examples: is it logical to think that the universe was found by chance? Isn't the Holy Quran revealed by Almighty Allah? Such great and creative universe is the best evidence for the existence of our great Lord Who created everything and created us. He gave us life and he will give us life once again after our death, when we resurrect for the Day of Judgement.

Conclusion

Mind and thinking are the things that differentiate people from the other creatures. People use their minds and cleverness to improve the quality of their life and make it easier through working hard to come up with new techniques or inventions that help them meet the requirements of the modern life and the advancement of technology. During this busy modern life, some people may not even have time to think about their destiny. They are too busy with following up their businesses, works and duties. Consequently, their attention was distracted from essential issues concerning existence in this life and the afterlife. This busy life has a full control over their thinking, and some people prioritized businesses to everything else as if they were destined to live forever.

On the other hand, many other people demonstrate more logical tendencies as they think about both worldly life and the afterlife. They meditate on what is going to happen to them at the end of this life and beyond. Meditation is the main idea of this book as it concentrates on calling all people to think logically. It also attempts to draw attention of people to significant issues

especially immortal happiness in the afterlife, urging all to have more good deeds since these good deeds will be the best credit and companion after death.

The book presents various examples, facts and excerpts from the Holy Quran to prove the presence of a supreme Creator Who created the whole universe. It harnesses such examples to prove that the universe can't be found by chance as some people believe. The book intentionally uses very simple and unarguable examples, from our daily lives, to bridge all gaps that disbelievers exploit while justifying or defending their conceptions.

Bridging the gaps means the logical use of unarguable instances to confirm all facts the book employs. This technique also aims to remind the readers of occurrences that they usually see or practise in their daily lives. However, disbelievers and sceptics can't refute the examples used, unless they speak illogically, because they are part and parcel of our life.

After that, the book asks readers to think logically and neutrally about the wonderful design of the universe which looks

like a great painting that fascinates the eyes and minds of all human beings. Can this creative image of the universe be found without a supreme painter or creator? Absolutely no, and nothing else can be found without a creator!

When we think logically about the incredible design of our planet and what it contains such as rivers, seas, oceans, forests, mountains, and deserts in addition to the whole universe, we get sure that such a systemized universe can't be found by chance. We need just to consider that well to understand the philosophy of life which tells us that life emerges from seeds or other sources, and it can't emerge out of nothing.

As for the cited verses from the Holy Quran, I didn't intervene in translation of the Quranic verses from Arabic into English. I didn't change any word. I cited all verses from the electronic copy of the Holy Quran that was translated by King Fahd Complex for the Printing of the Holy Qur'an. This version is also accessible to all on the website of the institution.

The excerpts that I cited from the Holy Quran emphasize that these verses can't be composed by people and the whole

humanity can't come up with a few verses like them. Thus, the Holy Quran must be the Book of Almighty Creator. And if we believe now that there is an Almighty Creator for this universe then we must believe in the second part which is the afterlife because the Creator Himself told us that through the Holy Quran.

I would also like to draw the attention of readers to one more significant issue. While writing some examples of this book, I felt that they were a bit tough, but this is the reality, and we have to accept it willy-nilly. I mean, here, the examples about death along with the frequent use of this word. I believe when we face something tough and deal with it wisely and smoothly, this thing will boost our experience and it might provide us with further advantages. This is because we still have time, and the test hasn't finished yet. We are still able to change our answers and follow the right path as long as the test is there.

It is well known that a lot of people don't like to read or discuss death-related issues. But if we like that or not, the result is the same. The result is the reality which tells us that we are proceeding throughout our life journey toward our final destination.

Further, thinking about death can lead to positive results as it urges us to think logically and think for solutions to get ready for the next stage by enhancing our belief and increasing good deeds. Thus, when we assess the issue of discussing death and obtaining more information about it, we may get sure that its advantages outnumber its disadvantages.

Let's consider one more example which might not be welcomed by some people. Imagine that you passed away and resurrected once again, what will your reaction be? If you believed in Almighty Allah during your life, you will be pleased and feel comfortable for what you have done before. If you didn't believe, you will be sorry for that and you will never have a chance to change. I wish everyone to understand this message because he/she is going to cope with that one day and remember the opportunities that he/she missed during the life.

Some people may say, if we die and don't resurrect or died and resurrected once again, but we found nothing like what is mentioned in this book, then we will be losers, too. Let's think logically about this point. If this really occurs, it will be accompanied with certain losses, but we need also to compare them with the losses when this comes true after death.

While assessing wins and losses, the loss of the first party, disbelievers, will be much worse than the second party, believers. This is because the first party will lose immortal happiness which will be gained by the second party. The loss of the second party won't be a critical one because they missed rewards for some works that they had performed during their worldly lives. Yet the good deeds and things that they performed during their lives benefitted them first and other people around them second. Therefore, they didn't experience a great loss like that of the first party.

Let's go deeper with assessing the wins and losses. Remember that it will be an everlasting win or an everlasting loss. During this life you don't need to perform very difficult tasks or works to get rewarded in the afterlife. On the contrary, there are only tolerable tasks. When Almighty Allah calls you to pray this doesn't mean that you keep praying the whole day. All prayers can be performed in around 30 minutes.

Furthermore, all the other requirements are tolerable and if you really can't do any of them, you will be excused. If you don't have money, you don't need to pay alms (Zakat). If you

don't have money or physical ability, you don't need to perform pilgrimage (Haj). If fasting is difficult for you because of a certain illness, then you can have solutions for that.

In the meantime, when you perform these rituals, you will benefit from them in this life through either improving your health or helping others and the big win is waiting for you in the afterlife. Are these things difficult? And what is the reward if you do these things? The reward is indescribable! It is an eternal or endless reward. Is this better or damnation? If you prefer damnation, then you must get ready for an eternal loss and misery.

Based on this, we need to think logically about the word immortality or forever. This is a very important matter because we aren't talking about a temporary thing or a thing that can be changed! We are talking about an eternal life which you are writing its story right now. At the end of your story, you will move either to an endless happiness or an endless sadness.

Additionally, religion and belief have many more advantages for our lives. They instill in us great values and call us to commit to especially cooperation, tolerance, helping the needy ones and loving each other. In fact, a religion or belief that calls for such great values is meritorious and deserves respect and glorification. Religion and belief also tell us that life can be enjoyable and we can enjoy ourselves and help others enjoy life in the right way. These two beacons urge us to respect others, preserve their rights and avoid any type of trespass against laws and traditions.

Think Logically also tracks the roots of various issues such as the causes of life and lays out recommendations to help people get aware of their short lives and how to succeed in the worldly life and the afterlife. The book attempts to enhance satisfaction amongst people and shows that happiness is attainable for everyone. For those who don't have much money, they may enjoy many other things which might be more important than money such as physical health and logical thinking. If they are satisfied, then this will be a great bliss to enjoy because satisfaction is the secret behind happiness. It is the best way to overcome negative qualities like envy and miserliness and satisfaction bridges the gap between the haves and the have-nots as well.

Since the book has been prepared as an advice to friends and all people, I would like to remind them that normal people always like for their friends what they like for themselves. Wise individuals also wish to lead a happy life and wish other people around them to live happily because no one can live happily amongst unhappy or miserable people. Environment always influences individuals and contributes to either increasing or decreasing their happiness.

Let's navigate further with our real examples. Imagine that you are reading this book on the last day of your life and you are going to bid farewell to this world today. Will your choice be like your choice when you hope to live for years? Absolutely no, because your decisions now are affected by the hope of living for a long time which also influences the way of thinking.

If you know that this is the last day for you in this world, you will think logically because you don't have extra time to waste. You must make your mind shortly. It is supposed, at least for the majority of people, to choose the way of salvation. The question is why! The answer is that hope exists with salvation and despair exists with damnation, therefore hope which influenced your first choice, it forced you now to choose rightly because the time is running short.

Think about hope and the devil! Are they connected with each other? I think there is a big relationship between the two. The devil invested hope to raise procrastination in your mind to make you unintentionally feel that life is still too long, and you have much more important issues to think about than thinking about salvation.

In the second case, the shortness of time and lack of chances blocked the way before the devil. You can't allow the devil to intervene because you are thinking seriously. You are required to make your mind in a very short time. Here, you try to get the best solution and choose successfully with the shortest possible time.

I advise you to consider salvation and damnation along with this example. If you do, you must thank God because you did the right thing before it is too late. If you reject the whole idea or procrastinate then you must remember that life may last long, and it may end unexpectedly in seconds. Now, we have options, but the very options may evaporate in a few moments.

However, what I mentioned in this book became like a mathematical equation: (If there is a universe → there must be a creator → and if there is a creator → there must be afterlife in the heavens because He proved that with clear signs and examples about how He gives life to creatures). This is because the Creator who created the universe, humanity, and everything else told us about our worldly life, death, and the afterlife which is waiting for us. Currently, we are aware of the first two because we experienced the first one and see people experiencing the second one every day, but we are still waiting for the next one which is immortality.

According to that, salvation and damnation are part of your choice since you have full control on your behaviors and deeds. Therefore, you need to think logically before you choose. Think also that damnation track is easier and more tempting than the salvation track because the devil is there and always tries to tempt you and guide you to the wrong track, the track of damnation. The track of salvation needs patience in addition to avoiding certain practices that you might like. During life, you write the story that will lead you to one of the two tracks and so do all the other people since everyone must subject to the same test.

At the end of the test, there will be winners and losers. Just think and decide to select the team that you would like to join. If you would like to join the team of salvation, you have to do what is required for that and if you prefer to join the team of damnation, you also know the things that cause damnation particularly after going through the pages of this book. Think logically and neutrally before you choose. I wish all readers and all people everywhere a lucky choice to save themselves and enjoy a happy life on the earth and on our first homeland, paradise.

Quotes from the Book

- "Creation itself is the best evidence for the existence of an Almighty Creator, and there must be only one Creator since the existence of multiple creators triggers a race for sovereignty and mastering the universe"
- "Prioritize your immortal life to the mortal one since our worldly life is short, time passes quickly, and our sunset is approaching. We mustn't miss our life's sole opportunity"
- "Belief enlightens our life, and life without belief is like a ship without a rudder"
- "Salvation and damnation are part of your choice"
- "Satisfaction is the secret behind happiness"
- "Satisfaction bridges the gaps between the haves and the have-nots"

- "Religion drives people toward spiritual transcendence and perfection"
- "Belief creates relief in your soul and enhances psychological stability"
- "With belief, we enjoy tranquility and get more resilient"

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