

Noble Qur'an (English Translation)

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Surah Al Qadr

(The Night of Power)





Verily! We have sent it (this Quran) down in the night of Al-Qadr (Decree).

ومَاأَدْ مَاكَ مَالَيَلَةُ الْقَدُي

And what will make you know what the night of Al-Qadr (Decree) is?

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لَيْلَةُ الْقَلِّ بِحَيْرُ مِنُ أَلْفِ شَهْرِ

The night of Al-Qadr (Decree) is better than a thousand months

(i.e. worshipping Allâh in that night is better than worshipping Him a thousand months, i.e. 83 years and 4 months).

تَنَزَّلُ الْمَلَائِكَةُ وَالرُّوحُ فِيهَا بِإِذْنِ مَبِّهِمُ مِنْ كُلِّ أَمْرٍ

Therein descend the angels and the Rûh [Jibrael (Gabriel)] by Allâh's Permission with all Decrees,

سَلَامٌ هِيَ حَتَّى مَطْلَعِ الْفَجُرِ

Peace! (All that night, there is Peace and Goodness from Allâh to His believing slaves) until the appearance of dawn.

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