

## Glorious Qur'an

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**Abdullah Yusuf Ali**, (1872 –1953) was an Islamic scholar who translated the Qur'an into English. His translation of the Qur'an is one of the most widely-known and used in the English-speaking world. In his childhood, Ali received a religious education and could recite the entire Qur'an from memory. He spoke both Arabic and English fluently. He studied English literature and studied at several European universities. Yusuf Ali's best-known work is his book

The Holy Qur'an: Text, Translation and Commentary,

## Surah Qariyah بِسُمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

| 1. | The (Day) of Noise and Clamor:                                       |
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| 2. | What is the (Day) of Noise and Clamor?                               |
| 3. | And what will explain to thee what the (Day) of Noise and Clamor is? |
| 4. | (It is) a Day whereon Men will be like moths Scattered about,        |
| 5. | And the mountains will be like carded wool.                          |
| 6. | Then, he whose balance (of good deeds) will be (found) heavy,        |
| 7. | Will be in a life of good pleasure and satisfaction.                 |
| 8. | But he whose balance (of good deeds) will be (found) light           |
| 9. | Will have his home in a (bottomless) pit.                            |
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| 10. | And what will explain to thee what this is? |
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11.

(It is) a Fire Blazing fiercely!

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