

JUZ (PART) – 15 – *subhanallah* [Glorified is He who...]

17. BANI-ISRAEEL [The Children of Israel] (Rukus-12; Verses-111)

1	Allah took Muhammad (<i>pbuh</i>) on a tour of the universe.	17:[1]
	Allah fulfilled the prophecy made in the Holy Book of the Israelites that they will create mischief in the land twice and each time they will be punished. The Qur'an guides to the perfect Straight Way.	17:[2-10]
2	On the Day of Judgment, each individual shall be given the book of his own deeds. He that seeks guidance does so to his own good and he who goes astray does so to his own loss. He that desires the transitory things of this life is given here, but in the Hereafter he shall be condemned to hell.	17:[11-14] 17:[15-17] 17:[18-22]
3	Some commandments of Allah for the believers including proper behavior with parents, relatives, and the community at large.	17:[23-30]
4	The commandments (continued) . . .	17:[31-40]
5	If there were other gods besides Allah, they would have tried to dethrone Him. Belief in the Hereafter is necessary to understand the Qur'an. Hereafter is life after death.	17:[41-44] 17:[45-48]
	The questions of disbelievers on resurrection	17:[49-52]
6	Believers should speak only good words. Invented gods have no power to relieve you from any distress. Why the signs are not sent to Muhammad (<i>pbuh</i>) like prior prophets.	17:[53-55] 17:[56-57] 17:[58-60]
7	Shaitân, his enmity with human beings, and his vow to seduce them. Allah has provided conveyance for you on land and sea.	17:[61-65] 17:[66-70]
8	Accountability of every community and its leaders. No compromise is allowed in matters of Islamic law and principles. Five times daily Salah (<i>prayers</i>) and an extra prayer (called Tahajjud) for the Holy Prophet.	17:[71-72] 17:[73-77]
9	The Qur'an is a healing and mercy for the believers.	17:[78-84]
10	Ar-Rûh (<i>Spirit</i>) is at the command of Allah. No one can produce a Qur'an like this. Allah has used different methods in the Qur'an to make people understand His Message.	17:[85-88] 17:[89-93]
11	Allah has sent a human Rasool to human beings; if the dwellers of earth had been Angels, Allah would have sent an angel as a Rasool. Guidance by Allah only; Disbelievers will be resurrected as deaf, blind..	17[94-96] 17[97]

	Only disbelievers can doubt life after death.	17:[98-100]
12	Musa was given nine signs; people still did not believe him. The Qur'an is revealed in truth and with the truth it has come down in sections to suit each occasion, for easy deliberation. Offer Salah neither too loud nor in too low a voice, adopt the middle course.	17:[101-104] 17:[105-111]
18. AL-KAHF [The Cave] (Rukus-12; Verses-110)		
1	Those who say Allah has begotten a son are uttering a monstrous lie. Story of the Companions of the Cave.	18:[1-6] 18:[7-12]
2	They were young men who declared the truth about the Oneness of Allah. They had to run away and take refuge in a cave.	18:[13-17]
3	They were in a state of sleep. They were awakened by Allah after hundreds of years. Their identity was disclosed to resolve the disputed issue of life after death: What a shame that instead of getting the point, people were disputing about their numbers.	18:[18-20] 18:[21-22]
4	Whenever you promise to do something in the future, always say: "Insha Allah (<i>If Allah wills</i>)." No one is authorized to change the Word of Allah Be content with those who cry unto their Lord	18:[23-26] 18[27] 18[28]
	Proclaim: "Truth from Allah has come, choice is yours: believe it or disbelieve."	18:[27-31]
5	Parable of a believer and a disbeliever.	18:[32-44]
6	Similitude of worldly life and its relationship with the life of the Hereafter. Fate of those who follow the Shaitân and commit shirk.	18:[45-49] 18:[50-53]
7	Allah has given all kinds of examples in the Qur'an so that the people may understand His Message.	18:[54-59]
8	The Prophet Musa travelled to find Khizr to learn some of the knowledge given to him by Allah Almighty and Khizr warned Musa that he would not be able to bear with him.	18:[60-70]
9	The Prophet Musa could not resist questioning Khizr when he made a hole in the boat, and when he killed a boy with no apparent reason.	18:[71-74]