

# The Holy Quran

## Chapter 101

**Surah Al -Qariah**

**Chapter The striking calamity**

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ ○

Bis-mil-lah hir Rah-maan  
nir Ra-heem

In the name of Allah, the Entirely Merciful,  
the Especially Merciful.

الْقَارِعَةُ ١

Al qaa-ri'-ah-tu

The Striking Calamity –

مَا الْقَارِعَةُ ج  
٢

Mal qaa-ri-ah

What (is) the Striking Calamity?

وَمَا أَدْرَاكَ مَا الْقَارِعَةُ ﴿٣٠﴾

Wa maa ad-raa-ka

mal qaa-ri'-ah

And what can make you know  
what is the Striking Calamity?

يَوْمَ يَكُونُ النَّاسُ كَالْفَرَاشِ الْمَبْثُوثِ ﴿٣٠﴾

Yau-ma ya-koo-nun naa-su  
kal fa-raa-shil mab-s(th)ooth

The day people will be like  
moths scattered

وَتَكُونُ الْجِبَالُ كَالْعِهْنِ الْمَنْفُوشِ ط

Wa ta-koo-nul ji-baa-lu  
kal 'ih-nil man-foosh

And the mountains will be like  
wool fluffed up

فَأَمَّا مَنْ ثَقُلَتْ مَوَازِينُهُ ﴿٦﴾

Fa-am-ma man s(th)a-qu-lat  
ma-waa -zee-nu-hoo

Then as for the one whose scales  
are heavy



فَهُوَ فِي عَيْشَةٍ رَّاضِيَةٍ ﴿٤٠﴾

Fa-hu-wa fee

‘ee-sha-tir raa-di-yah

so he (will be) in an easy life of bliss.

وَأَمَّا مَنْ خَفَّتْ مَوَازِينُهُ ﴿٨﴾

Wa am-ma man khaf-fat  
ma-wa-zee-nu-hoo

And as for the one whose  
scale is light,

فَأُمُّهُ هَاوِيَةٌ ۖ

Fa-um-mu-hu

haa-wi-yah

His refuge (will be) the pit (fire)

وَمَا أَدْرَاكَ مَا هِيَ ۖ

Wa maa ad-raa-ka  
maa hi-yah

And what can make you know what that is?

نَارُ حَامِيَةٍ ۞

**Naa-run** haa-mi-yah

**A fire** intensely hot