

## Sūrah Al-Māʿūn Summary

## Points:

- a) Al-Māʿūn means The Small Things
- b) Al-Māʿūn describes *four detestable (Very bad) qualities* that existed in the *disbelievers and hypocrites.*
- c) They denied the '*Ākhirah, (Life after Death)* thus, they *did as they wanted in this world*.
- d) It is *not befitting of a true believer* to possess any of these qualities.
- e) Approximately, 30 animals have been mentioned in the Qur'an
- f) In Islām, an orphan is a *child who has lost his father*

## The four detestable qualities: (Learn this table!)

	Quality	Explanation
1	Drives away an orphan	a) Does not help an orphan
		b) When an orphan comes for help, drives him
		away without helping him
2	Does not persuade others to feed the needy	a) Even though he has enough money, does not
		feed the needy
		b) AND, tells others not to feed the needy!
3	Neglectful of Ṣalāh	a) Rushing Ṣalāh
		b) Praying it at the wrong times
		c) Reading it to show off they are Muslims
		d) Ṣalāh is a burden for them
4		a) Refuse to give something small that you
	Refuses to give even small	don't need to think about <i>e.g. a glass of</i>
	things	water
		b) Refuse to pay Zakāh