

SOO-RA-TUL-QADR

Chapter 97
Revealed in Mak-ka, 5 Verses

In the Name of Allaah, the All-Compassionate, the Most Merciful.

1. **In-naa an-zal-naa-hu fee lai-la-til-qadr** – Indeed, We descended it (Qur’aan), in ‘Lai-la-tul-Qadr’ (the Esteemed Night),
2. **Wa-maa ad-raa-ka maa lai-la-tul-qadr** –and, what shall make you understand what that ‘Esteemed Night’ is.
3. **Lai-la-tul-qad-ri khai-rum min al-fi shahr** – That ‘Esteemed Night’ is better than a thousand months.
4. **Ta-naz-za-lul-ma-laa-‘i-ka-tu war-roo-hu fee-haa bi-iz-ni Rab-bi-him min kul-li amr**– In it descend the angels and the spirit (Jibreel) by the authority of their Almighty-Lord, for every (blessed) affair.
5. **Sa-laa-mun hi-ya hat-ta mat-la-‘il fajr** – Peace it is, till the break of the dawn.

The whole of the Eminent Qur’aan was descended from the ‘Loa-hi-Mahfooz’ in the Heavens to ‘Betul-Izzat’ on the sky of this Earth in this Esteemed Night – which is known as “Lai-la-tul-Qadr” i.e., The Night of Esteem. It started being revealed on the Kind Prophet and completed in 23 years during his life time. However, the original Order and the Destiny of the descendance of the Glorious Qur’aan from “Loa-hi-Mahfooz” in the Heavens over to “Betul-Izzat” on the sky of this Earth, was passed and ordained in a NIGHT on the 15th of Sha’-ba-nul-Mu-az-zam i.e., the Night following the 14th of this lunar month, as hinted elsewhere in the “Qur’aan-i-Majeed” and described in “Ahadees.”

The *Lai-la-tul-Qadr* is so full of Peace and Blessings and recurs every year in the



month of *Rama-zha-nul-Mubarak*. Every prayer and recitation receives proportionate good if performed in it. It has been kept secret and is a special Bliss on the Muslims. The Kind Prophet did not disclose it but hinted that it should be searched in the month of *Rama-zha-nul-Mubarak*, especially the odd nights of its last ten days?

The Eminent Qur'aan is Peace by itself. It differentiates between the good and evil, and shows the path of eternal Peace and Bliss to all Mankind for ever and therefore this Night (when the Qur'aan Shareef was descended) attains great superiority.