

Surah Kahf

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Questions

Question for younger kids (Questions 1 & 2)

1. What does Kahf mean?
2. Which animal is mentioned in the surah that was in the cave?
3. How many people were in the cave?
4. When Allah told all the angels to bow down to Adam who was the jinn who didn't bow?
5. How long did the people in the cave think they slept for?
6. What trait did Allah praise Dhul-Qarnain for?
7. True or false: Al-khidr is explicitly mentioned as a Prophet in Surah Kahf.
8. What did Allah say He will award the people who did good deeds in heaven:
 - a) Flowing rivers
 - b) Bracelets of gold
 - c) Green robes of fine silk
 - d) All of the above
9. What day of the week is it recommended to recite Surah Kahf?
10. How many distinct stories are mentioned in this surah?

Answers

1. **What does Kahf mean?**

Cave

2. **Which animal is mentioned in the surah that was in the cave?**

Dog

3. **How many people were in the cave?**

It was mentioned there were either 3 people, 4 people or 5 people.
But **only Allah knows** the exact amount of people.

4. **When Allah told all the angels to bow down to Adam who was the jinn who didn't bow?**

Iblis (Shaytan)

5. **How long did the people in the cave think they slept for?**

300 years

6. **What trait did Allah praise Dhul-Qarnain for?**

Justice

7. **True or false: Al-khidr is explicitly mentioned as a Prophet in Surah Kahf.**

False: He is mentioned as a slave, on whom Allah had bestowed mercy from Him

8. **What did Allah say He will award the people who did good deeds in heaven:**

a) **Flowing rivers**

b) **Bracelets of gold**

c) **Green robes of fine silk**

d) **All of the above**

All of the above. Mentioned in verse 31

9. What day of the week is it recommended to recite Surah Kahf?

Friday

10. How many distinct stories are mentioned in this surah?

Four stories

1. Trial of Faith – People of the Cave (Verses 9 – 26)

2. Trial of Wealth – The story of the rich and the poor (Verses 32 – 44)

3. Trial of Knowledge – The story of Moses and Al-Khidr (Verses 60–82)

4. Trial of Power – The story of Dhul-Qar-nayn with Yajuj Majuj (Verses 83–98)