

Al-Anbiya

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Questions

1. Why does God cause life and death? Name one other Surah that mentions this.
2. What did Prophet Abraham do to the idols? Why did he do so?
3. What special skill did Prophet David have?
4. What special skills did Prophet Solomon have?
5. Who are Gog and Magog? Which dealt with them? What did he do?
6. In Surah Al-Anbiya v30, describe how the heavens and the earth were and what happened to them

Questions for younger kids:

1. As per Surah Al-Anbiya, what is every living thing made from?
2. What does 'Anbiya' mean?
3. Verse 33 says: It is He who created night and day, the sun and the moon, each floating in its orbit. Draw sun and moon

Answers:

1. **Why does God cause life and death? Name one other Surah that mentions this.**

God creates humans and then causes them to die, he does this so that he can test us and reward us accordingly in the hereafter. This same concept is mentioned in Surah Al-Mulk.

2. **What did Prophet Abraham do to the idols? Why did he do so?**

Prophet Abraham destroyed the idols, but left the biggest idol undestroyed. When people asked him if he had destroyed the idols, he said that the largest idol had destroyed the others. Prophet Abraham asked the people to ask the undestroyed idol, at this the people replied that the people had clearly gone astray worshiping some god that could neither talk nor do any benefit nor harm to the people.

Prophet Abraham did this so that the people would realize their mistake and stop worshiping the idols.

3. **What special skill did Prophet David have?**

God taught Prophet David to make weapons and armor to protect themselves.

4. **What special skills did Prophet Solomon have?**

God gave Prophet Solomon the ability to control the flow of wind to land and could communicate to Jinns and they were subservient to him.

5. **Who are Gog and Magog? Which dealt with them? What did he do?**

Gog and Magog (Yājūj and Mājūj) are described as vicious and destructive beings locked away by the figure Dhu'l-Qarnayn

6. **In Surah Al-Anbiya v30, describe how the heavens and the earth were and what happened to them**

The heavens and the earth used to be joined together and God ripped them apart

For younger kids:

1. **As per Surah Al-Anbiya, what is every living thing made from?**

Water

2. **What does 'Anbiya' mean?**

Anbiya means Prophets or messengers of God

3. **Verse 33 says: It is He who created night and day, the sun and the moon, each floating in its orbit. Draw sun and moon**