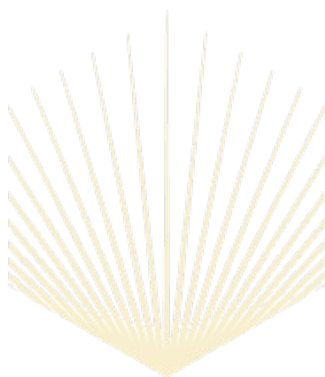


**Sūrah al-Ikhlās**<sup>2013</sup>**Bismillāhīr-Raḥmānīr-Raḥīm****سُورَةُ الْإِخْلَاصِ****بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ**

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| 1. Say, "He is Allāh, [who is] One, <sup>2014</sup> | قُلْ هُوَ اللَّهُ أَحَدٌ ﴿١﴾          |
| 2. Allāh, the Eternal Refuge. <sup>2015</sup>       | اللَّهُ الصَّمَدُ ﴿٢﴾                 |
| 3. He neither begets nor is born,                   | لَمْ يَلِدْ وَلَمْ يُولَدْ ﴿٣﴾        |
| 4. Nor is there to Him any equivalent."             | وَلَمْ يَكُنْ لَهُ كُفُوًا أَحَدٌ ﴿٤﴾ |



<sup>2013</sup>*Al-Ikhlās*: Purification, i.e., the purification of faith – the *sūrah*'s theme. In narrations by al-Bukhārī and Aḥmad, the Prophet (ﷺ) described this *sūrah* as being equivalent to one third of the Qur'ān.

<sup>2014</sup>Alone, without another, indivisible with absolute and permanent unity and distinct from all else. The one and only true deity, unique in His essence, attributes and deeds.

<sup>2015</sup>He who is absolute, perfect, complete, essential, self-sufficient and sufficient to meet the needs of all creation; the one eternally and constantly required and sought, depended upon by all existence and to whom all matters will ultimately return.