

## Prophets Zakariyya and Yahya (a.s)

**[3:38] *There did Zakariya pray to his Lord; he said: My Lord! Grant me from Thee good offspring; surely Thou art the Hearer of prayer.***

**[3:39] *Then the angels called to him as he stood praying in the sanctuary: That Allah gives you the good news of Yahya verifying a Word from Allah, and honorable and chaste and a prophet from among the good ones.***

**[3:40] *He said: My Lord! When shall there be a son (born) to me, and old age has already come upon me, and my wife is barren? He said: even thus does Allah what He pleases.***

**[3:41] *He said: My Lord! Appoint a sign for me. Said He: Your sign is that you should not speak to men for three days except by signs; and remember your Lord much and glorify Him in the evening and the morning.***

**[19:2] *A mention of the mercy of your Lord to His servant Zakariya.***

**[19:3] *When he called upon his Lord in a low voice,***

**[19:4] *He said: My Lord! Surely my bones are weakened and my head flares with hoariness, and, my Lord! I have never been unsuccessful in my prayer to Thee:***

**[19:5] *And surely I fear my cousins after me, and my wife is barren, therefore grant me from Thyself an heir,***

**[19:6] *Who should inherit me and inherit from the children of Yaqoub, and make him, my Lord, one in whom Thou art well pleased.***

**[19:7] *O Zakariya! Surely We give you good news of a boy whose name shall be Yahya: We have not made before anyone his equal.***

**[19:8] *He said: O my Lord! when shall I have a son, and my wife is barren, and I myself have reached indeed the extreme degree of old age?***

***[19:9] He said: So shall it be, your Lord says: It is easy to Me, and indeed I created you before, when you were nothing.***

***[19:10] He said: My Lord! Give me a sign. He said: Your sign is that you will not be able to speak to the people three nights while in sound health.***

***[19:11] So he went forth to his people from his place of worship, then he made known to them that they should glorify (Allah) morning and evening.***

***[19:12] O Yahya! Take hold of the Book with strength, and We granted him wisdom while yet a child***

***[19:13] And tenderness from Us and purity, and he was one who guarded (against evil),***

***[19:14] And dutiful to his parents, and he was not insolent, disobedient.***

***[19:15] And peace on him on the day he was born, and on the day he dies, and on the day he is raised to life***

***[21:89] And Zakariya, when he cried to his Lord: O my Lord leave me not alone; and Thou art the best of inheritors.***

***[21:90] So We responded to him and gave him Yahya and made his wife fit for him; surely they used to hasten, one with another In deeds of goodness and to call upon Us, hoping and fearing and they were humble before Us.***

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