

ON TRUTHFULNESS

WITH THE NAME OF ALLAH, MOST GRACIOUS, MOST MERCIFUL.

Truthfulness (Sidq) is used in the Noble Quraan in more than one hundred places.

This word appears in the Holy Quraan as a command from our Rabb.

“O you who believe! Fear Allah and be with those who are true (in word and deed).”

Sura al-Tauba (ch.9): verse 119

Truthfulness is one of the main qualities of the Nabies of Allah (S.W.T.)

This term has also been used with regard to Bibi Miriam (R.A.), the mother of Nabie Isa (A.S.) in Sura Tahrim (ch.66): verse 12.

About lies, Allah (S.W.T.) says in Sura al-Mumin (ch.40) : verse 28 :-

“ ...truly Allah guides not one who transgresses and lies !”

Our beloved Nabie (S.A.W.) was so honest, trustworthy and truthful that he was given the title **Al-Amin (the trustworthy)**, even before Allah (S.W.T.) made him a Nabie.

The following are some of the sayings of our Nabie (S.A.W.) On truthfulness and lying:-

- 1) “Be truthful because truthfulness leads to righteousness and Righteousness leads to paradise.”
- 2) “Lying is one of the main qualities of a hypocrite.”

Our Nabie (S.A.W.) Regarded over-praising someone as lying!

Worksheet

- 1) Assume you are a trader and there are some articles that are faulty, must you tell the customer about these faults ?