

"WHICH OF THE FAVOURS OF YOUR LORD WILL YOU DENY?"

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

It is not without significance that the above verse appears as many as thirty one times in Sura Ar-Rahman. The Sura particularly refers to the great favours and blessings which Allah (S.W.T.) has bestowed upon human beings.

In view of these numerous and great variety of favours, the repeated use of the verse is quite appropriate.

But then the Sura also speaks of retribution in hell as a favour - why?

This fore-warning surely constitutes a blessing in disguise!

We must learn to acknowledge in thought, word and deed the countless favours of our Rabb.

To ignore or misuse these gifts means that we are ungrateful and refuse to profit by Allah (S.W.T.)'s infinite grace.