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# Terminologies of Tafseer



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The style of tafseer adopted by the Mashaikh (teachers) of Ishaat-e-tauheed wassunnah frequently uses following terms that need to be understood before taking a start in understanding the Holy Qur'aan.

- Daawa (Claim)(دعوى): it is the pivot, topic, the issue discussed in a Surah or the required conclusion that is acquired at the end of the discussion. Daawa may be any of the eight topics of Quran solely or combinely with one or more of them. The remaining part of the subject matter always whirl around the main claim.
- Tanweer (refulgence)(تنوير) some times Daawa or apart of it needs further elaboration for understanding or removal of a misconception, this is known as Tanweer.
- Daleel (Evidence)(دليل) : The part of speech of Allah that is used to prove "Daawa" is called "Daleel". Once the claim is put forward that is proved with evidences of four types which are as under
- Daleel-e-Aqli(دليل عقلى) (rational evidence) the evidence that is acceptable to wisdom
- Daleel-e-Naqli (دليل نقلى) (copied evidence): the evidences that are reproduction of the evidences

from previous Holy books, nobilities, Malaika or Jinnat

- Daleel-e-Wahyee(دليل وحى) (revealed evidence) the evidence that has been revealed as a commandment in the Quran by Allah
- Basharat(بشارت) (Good news). This is either related to this world and is known as Basharat-e- Duniyawi (بشارت دنيوي) or it may belong to the life after death and is known as Basharat-e- Ukhrawi.(بشارت اخروي)
- Tasalli(تسلى) (consolation)
- Tashjee(تشجيع) (a bravery command like buck up) this is done by telling the tales of prophets and pious people who withstood and remained unbeaten by the negative forces.
- Targheeb(ترغيب) (inspiration)
- Isteqamat(استقامت) (uprightness, firmness)
- Tazheed min-ad-dunya(تذهيد من الدنيا) encouraging for becoming least interested in this world
- Tanbeeh(تنبيه) (warning) a warning is given to prophets and other noble people on happening of a wrong thing
- Tarheeb(ترهيب) (Fear) imposing the fear of Allah on not following the commandments
- Zajar (زجر)(scolding) on irrational demands and unjustified doings the non submissive are scolded and informed of punishment
- Takhweef-e-Duniyawi(تخويف دنيوي) intimidation related to this world

- Takhweef-e-Ukhrawi (تخويف اخروي) intimidation related to the world after death hereafter
- Kha'tam-ul-qalb (ختم القلب) heart is permanently sealed so as not to accept any right thing
- Adkhaal (ادخال) (insertion) during narration of a subject or a tale, Allah inserts his own words. Such an insertion is not part of the main stream discussion but is strongly in relation to that
- Rabt (رابط) (Coherence) Coherence of a surah with preceding and receding surahs is known as rabt.