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## Summary of Quranic Sciences

### Lesson 39: Makki and Madani Verses

#### The Place of Revelation of the Verses:

- Mecca: Makki verses
- Medina: Madani verses

#### Three criteria:

1. Verses revealed in Mecca or its surrounding areas are considered Makki, and those revealed in Medina and its surrounding areas are Madani.
2. If the addressees are Meccans, the verses are Makki; if they are Medinans, the verses are Madani.
3. Verses revealed before the Migration (Hijrah) are Makki, and those revealed afterward are Madani.

#### Characteristics of Makki verses:

1. Short surahs and rhymed verses.
2. Calling to the fundamentals of faith in God and the Last Day, and depicting Heaven and Hell.
3. Encouraging noble morals and upright behavior, and condemning despised practices and customs.
4. Disputing with the polytheists and ridiculing their beliefs.
5. Talking about the prophets and previous nations.
6. Addressing all people with "O mankind."
7. Whenever the word "لا" (No) appears.



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**Characteristics of Madani verses:**

1. The length of the Medinan surahs and verses.
2. Detailing the proofs and evidence for religious concepts and the foundations of the Islamic creed.
3. Disputing with the People of the Book and inviting them to avoid extremism in their religion.
4. Discussing the hypocrites and their issues.
5. Detailing the rulings of the Islamic message regarding limits, obligations, jihad, rights, and various other laws.

**Makki Surahs = 86**

**Madani Surahs = 28**