

Flow Chart

Macro Structure

25. Surah Al Furqan (The Criterion) Verses: 77; Makki; Paragraphs: 6

Period of Revelation. It appears from its style and subject matter that, like Surah Al-Mu'minin, it was also revealed during the third stage of Prophet hood at Makkah. Ibn Jarir and Imam Razi have cited a tradition of Dahhak bin Muzahim that this Surah was revealed eight years before Surah An Nisa. This also confirms our opinion as to its period of revelation. (*Ibn Jarir*, Vol. XIX, pp. 28-30, and *Tafsir Kabir*, Vol. VI, p. 358).

