

## What is the shore of safety?

The conclusion of the journey of life and the reaching the shore of safety are summed up in the following verses:

{The earth will shine with the light of its Lord, the record of deeds will be laid open, the prophets and the witnesses will be brought forth, and judgment will be passed between them with fairness, and they will not be wronged. Every soul will be paid in full for what it has done, for He knows best what they do. Those who disbelieved will be driven to Hell in groups, until when they reach it, its gates will be opened and its keepers will say to them, "Did there not come to you messengers from among you, reciting the verses of your Lord and warning you of your meeting of this Day?" They will say, "Yes indeed, but the decree of punishment has come to pass against the disbelievers." It will be said, "Enter the gates of Hell, abiding therein forever." What a terrible abode for the arrogant! But those who feared their Lord will be led to Paradise in groups, until when they reach it, its gates will be wide open, and its keepers will say to them, "Peace be upon you. You have done well, so enter it, abiding forever." They will say, "All praise be to Allah Who has fulfilled His promise to us, and made us inherit the land to dwell wherever we please in Paradise." How excellent is the reward of those who do [good]!} [331] Surat az-Zumar: 69-74.

I testify that there is no god but Allah alone, Who has no partner,  
and I testify that Muhammad is His slave and messenger.

I testify that the messengers of Allah are true,  
and I testify that Paradise is true and that Hellfire is true.

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