



Lesson 56

When a *sâkin* ن at the end of a word is followed by ر, ل or م, it gets totally assimilated to the following letter¹. To indicate this, the letters ر, ل and م carry *shaddah*, e.g.,

- مِنْ لَدُنْكَ is pronounced : mil ladunka (not : min ladunka).
مِنْ رُسُلِنَا is pronounced : mir rusulinâ (not : min rusulinâ).
مِنْ مَسَدٍ is pronounced : mim masad (not : min masad).

Read the following keeping in mind the rule of the assimilation of the *sâkin nûn* :

﴿ هُمْ الْمُفْسِدُونَ وَلَكِنْ لَا يَشْعُرُونَ ﴾
﴿ فَإِنْ لَمْ تَفْعَلُوا ﴾ ﴿ أَنْ رَأَاهُ اسْتَغْنَى ﴾
﴿ وَمَا أَنْزَلَ اللَّهُ مِنَ السَّمَاءِ مِنْ مَاءٍ ﴾
﴿ فَأَحْيَا بِهِ الْأَرْضَ بَعْدَ مَوْتِهَا ﴾

¹-This change happens in English also, e.g., *illegal* for *inlegal*, *immortal* for *inmortal*, *irregular* for *inregular*.