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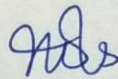
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*And that nothing belongs to man except what he strives for, and that he will soon  
be shown his endeavour*

*(Q.S. An Najm 39-40)*

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