

Long long ago, there lived a wise man whose name was Luqman. He was probably the grandson of a sister or an aunt of the Prophet Ayyub (Job) عليه السلام.

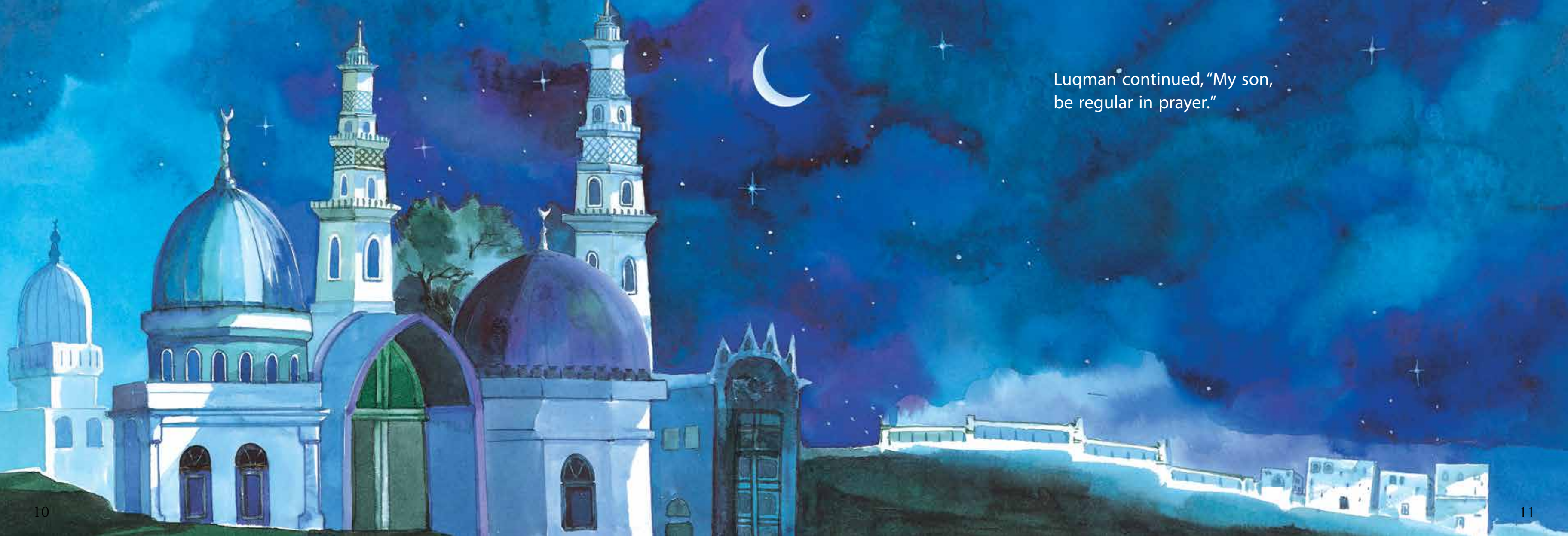




One day Luqman called his son and gave him some wise counsel. He said, "O my little son, serve no other deity besides Allah; for idolatry is an abominable sin."

Luqman said, "My son, Allah will bring all things to light, be they small as a grain of mustard seed, be they hidden inside a rock or in heaven or earth. Gracious is Allah and all-knowing."





Luqman continued, "My son,  
be regular in prayer."