

<i>Marwah</i>	الْمَرَوَّة	one of the two hills between which pilgrims must hurry back and forth during the rites of the Hajj and the 'umrah
<i>al-Masjid al-Harâm</i>	المسجد الحرام	the Sacred Mosque in Makkah, where the Kaaba is situated
<i>muṣ-ḥaf</i>	مُصْحَف	a copy of the Arabic text of the Qur'an that is neither accompanied by commentary nor translated
<i>mustaḥabb</i>	مُسْتَحَب	<i>lit.</i> 'encouraged'; righteous deeds that are not obligatory but encouraged in the religious texts; the one who does them will be rewarded, but the one who does not do them does not incur sin and will not be punished.
<i>nafl</i> (pl. <i>nawâfil</i>)	نَفْل	supererogatory or optional acts of worship, such as prayer and fasting
<i>qadr</i>	الْقَدْر	divine predestination; destiny; power; exact measure
<i>qibla (qiblah)</i>	الْقِبْلَة	the bearing from any point on Earth to the Kaaba; the direction that all Muslims must face in prayer
<i>qirân</i>	قِرَان	one of the three types of Hajj; in this type, the pilgrim performs Hajj combined with 'umrah
<i>Quraysh</i>	قُرَيْش	the dominant tribe in Makkah at the time of the Prophet's mission; their society was based on polytheism
<i>rak'ah</i> (pl. <i>raka'ât</i>)	رَكْعَة	a unit of the formal prayer (<i>ṣalâh</i>)