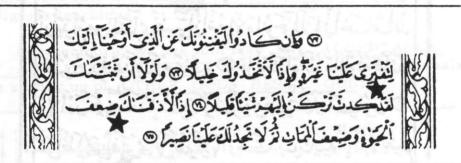
MUHAMMAD ORDERED NEVER TO DEVIATE FROM QURAN. DEVIATION MEANT SEVERE PUNISHMENT



"They almost diverted you (O Muhammad) from our revelations to you; they wanted you to fabricate something else to consider you a friend. If it were not that we strengthened you, you almost leaned towards them a little bit. Had you done it, we would have doubled the punishment for you in this life, and after death; no one could have protected you against us." (17: 73-75)

In setting the example for us, the Prophet was ordered to adhere strictly to God's revelations to Him, specifically identified in 5:48-50 (Page 3) as Quran.

The slightest deviation from Quran (see verse 74 above) incurs severe retribution.