ABSTRACT

Naufal Cholily. *The Repetition of Prophet Ibrahim’s Story in al-Quran; The Comparative Study of The Various Redactions in The Same Theme.*

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Repetition of verses is inevitable as part of the al-Quran. His role in conveying the teachings not only from the side of the miracle. It also has its own function as part of linguistic style. The main strength of the repetition function above is the emphasis on something that is repeated. This is what is used in Quran in conveying its message through the story. The verses about the stories are dominating the contents of Qur’an. The dominance of this story is marred by repetition of the verses which it is present in the story of the Prophets. Among the repeated story of the Prophet which is about the life of Prophet Ibrahim. If may be assessed, the methods of struggle in instilling the doctrine of monotheism (tawhid) is the best one, based on the ways, arguments and the dialogue of monotheism with his people which is built on rational arguments. It is not often found in other stories of Prophets.

Repetition in Qur’an has several forms. One of them is the repetition of meaning or theme with a different redaction. This kind of repetition is included in the story of Prophet Ibrahim which is consisted of several themes. The same themes are repeated in various surah’s with the different redactions. These different redactions in one theme are the object of research. Then these verses are compared and analyzed. The analysis of different editorials based on interpretations of the scholars. Their views are used to analyze and compare the verses are, al-Khatîb al-Iskâfi, al-Karmânî, al-Biqâ’î and Abî Ḥayyân.

The conclusions from the analysis of the repeated verses with different redactions in the same theme in Prophet Ibrahim’s story are; 1) There are two patterns in the aspect of the repeated story; The repetitions of the story involve just one verse with one another. And the repetitions of Prophet Ibrahim’s story contained in a group of verses which is repeated in other groups of verses; 2) The repeated verses in the story of Prophet Ibrahim which have similarity and different editorials in a single theme, spread in surah’s. Those located in different parts of stories. In the structures of repeated verses, there are the addition, subtraction, preposing and termination, without prejudice its compatibility with the previous or preceding verses. In addition, not all of repetition verses in the story of Prophet Ibrahim had the same context, but sometimes that verse is repeated in different contexts; 3) The main reason of repeated verses of Prophet Ibrahim’s story is; the repetition was intended to complement the parts of story another. And through the themes with repeated verses, al-Quran emphasized the importance of it; contemplating the struggle of Prophet Ibrahim.