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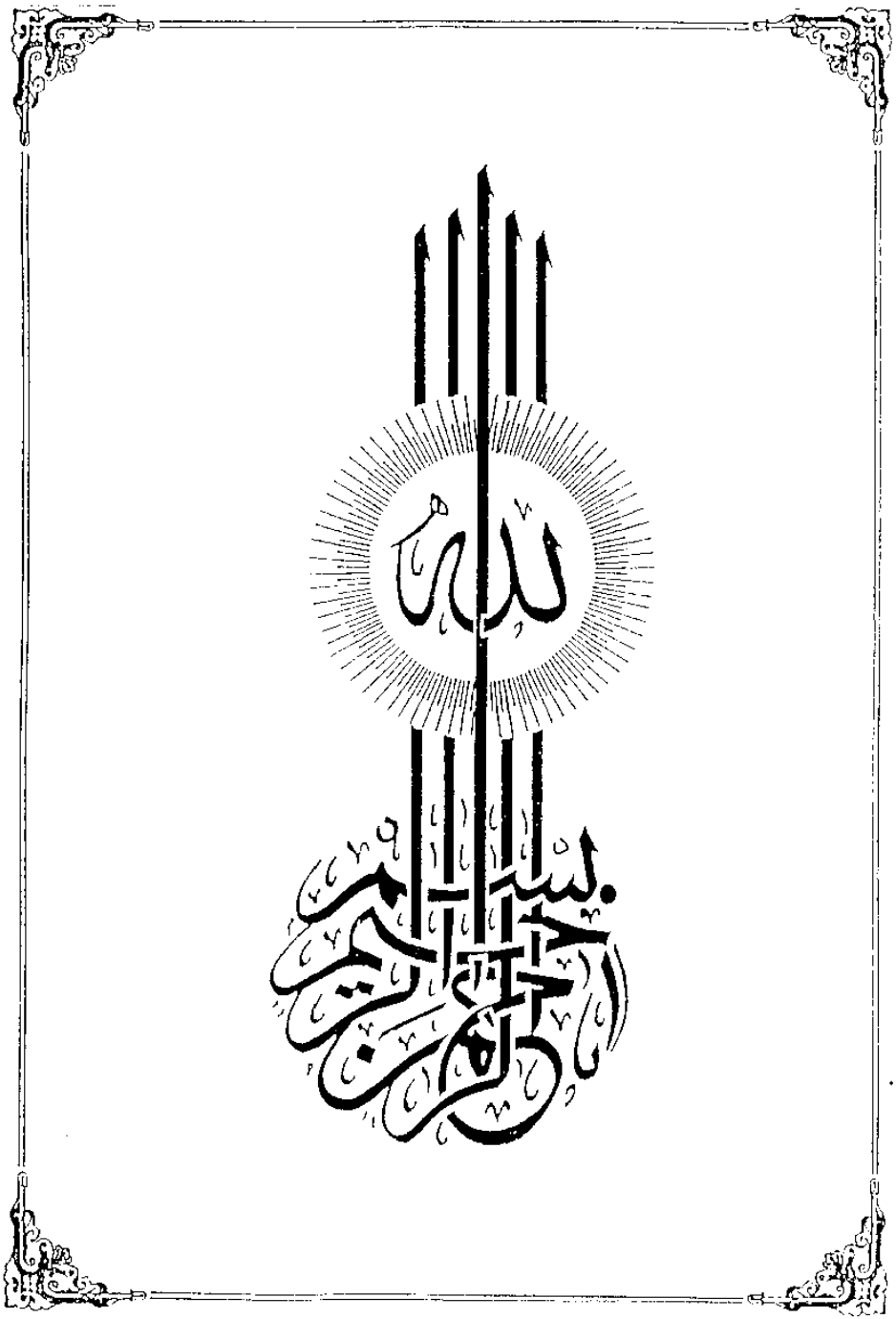

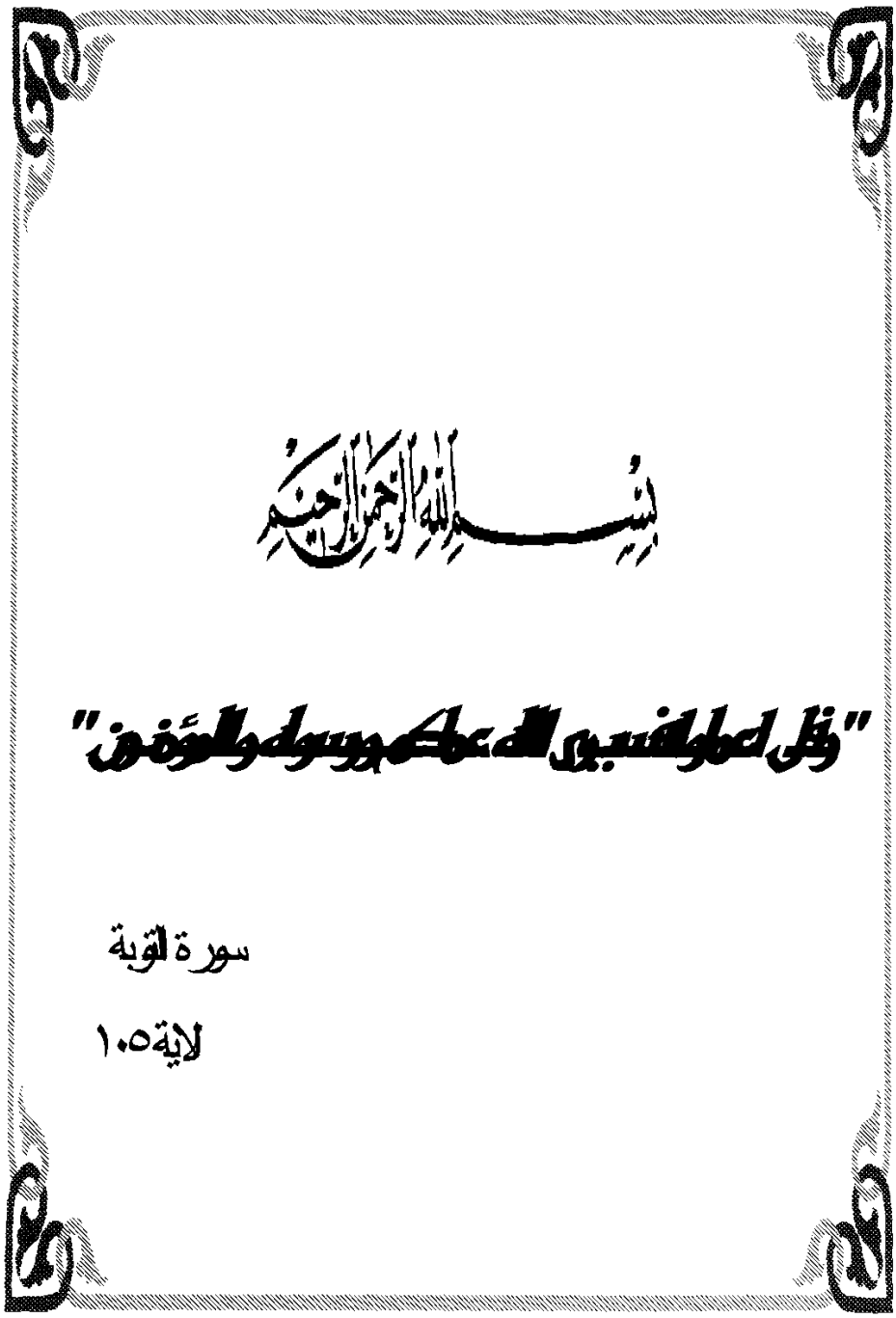

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

- **ABP** : Androgen binding protein.
- **ACTH** : Adrenocorticotrophin hormone.
- **BMI** : Body mass index.
- **cAMP** : cyclic AMP.
- **CNS** : Central nervous system.
- **DHEA** : Dehydroepiandrosterone.
- **DHEA-S** : Dehydroepiandrosterone sulphate.
- **DHT** : Dihydrotestosterone.
- **FSH** : Follicular stimulating hormone.
- **GH** : Growth hormone.
- **GnRH** : Gonadotrophin releasing hormone.
- **HCG** : Human chorionic gonadotropin.
- **LH** : Luteinizing hormone.
- **LHRH** : Luteiniznig hormone releasing hormone.
- **SD** : Standard deviation.
- **SDS** : Standard deviation score
- **SHBG** : Sex hormone binding globulin.
- **TeBG** : Testosterone binding globulin.
- **TW2** : Tanner - Whitehouse system no.2.

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