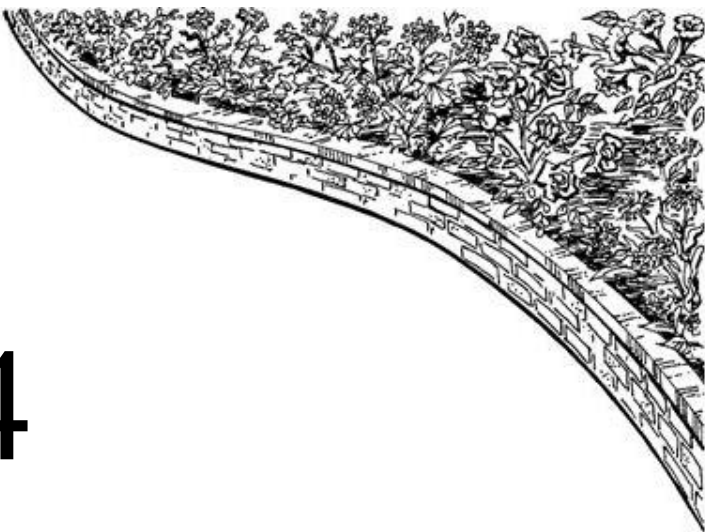


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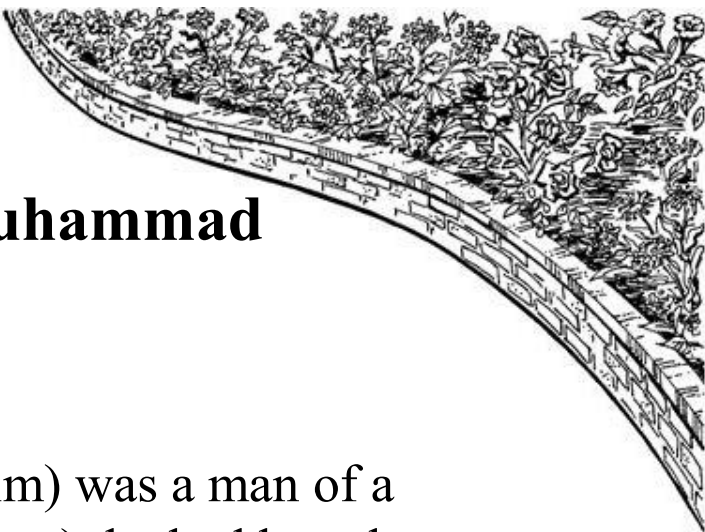
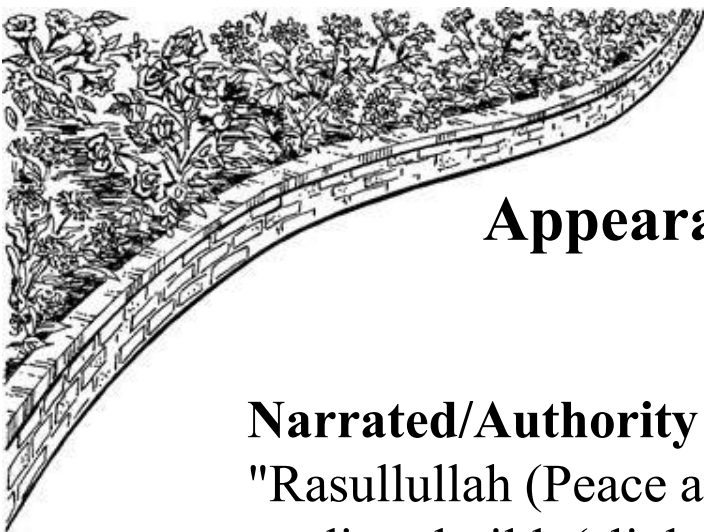
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(PBUH)**



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Describe the key physical features and noble appearance of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH) as reported in authentic narrations.

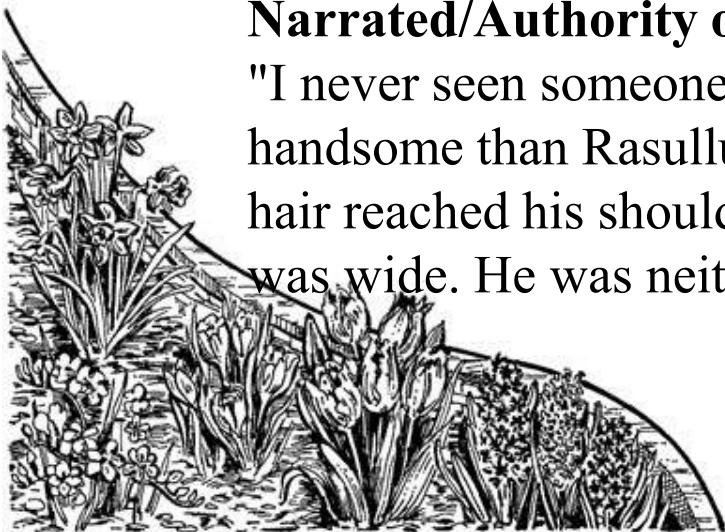




Appearance of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH)

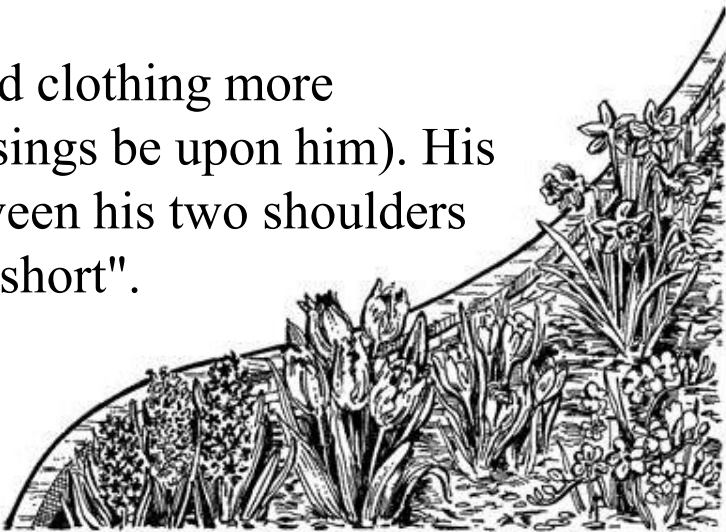
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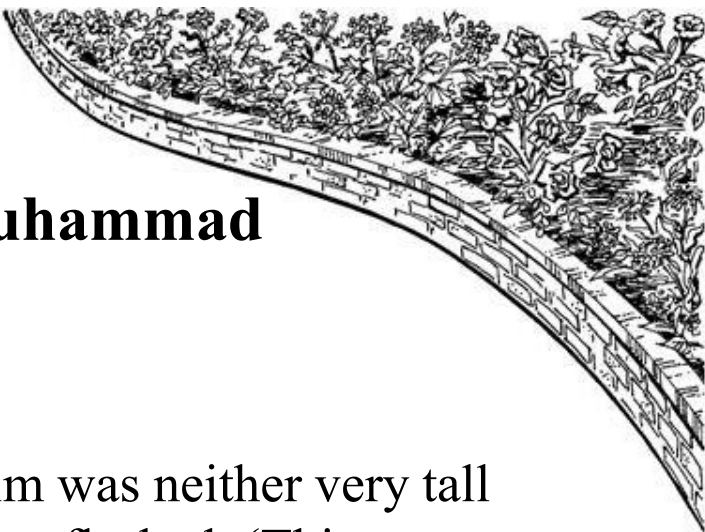
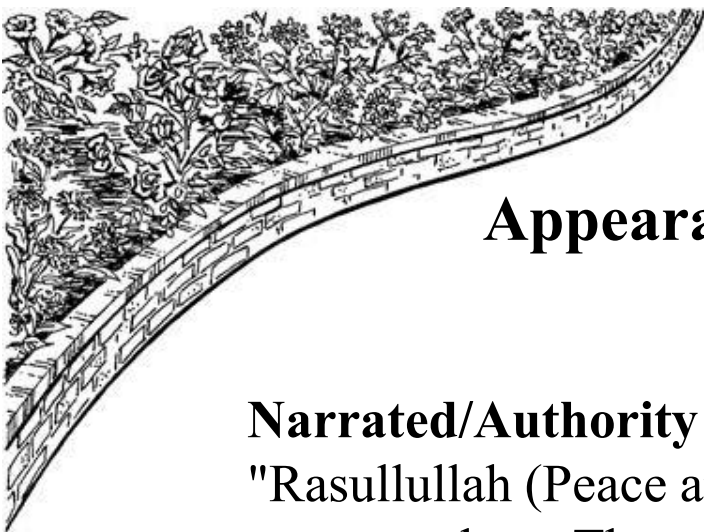
"Rasullullah (Peace and Blessings be upon him) was a man of a medium build, (slightly tall, as explained before); he had broad shoulders (from which we may gather that he had a wide chest); he had dense hair which reached his ear-lobes; he wore a red striped lungi (a cloth worn around the legs) and shawl. I never saw anybody or anything more handsome than him".



Narrated/Authority of Bara bin Azib

"I never seen someone with long hair and red clothing more handsome than Rasullullah (Peace and Blessings be upon him). His hair reached his shoulders. The portion between his two shoulders was wide. He was neither very tall nor very short".





Appearance of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH)

Narrated/Authority of Hazrat Ali (RA)

"Rasullullah (Peace and Blessings be upon him was neither very tall nor very short. The soles of both feet were very fleshed. (This quality is praiseworthy in a man as it denotes strength and courage but is not praiseworthy for a woman). He had a large head. The joints of the bones was also large. There was a thin line of hair from the chest to the navel. When Rasulullah (Peace and Blessings be upon him) walked, it appeared that he was descending from a high place". Ali (Radiallahu Anhu) says: "I did not see anyone like him neither before him, nor after him".

