In the name of Allah, Most Gracious, Most Merciful
Praise to Allah and peace and prayers upon the Messenger of Allah.

Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques,
King Salman bin Abdulaziz, God bless him!
Your Highnesses, Eminencies and Excellencies,
Winners of King Faisal Prize,
Honorable guests, 

It has been forty years since this Prize was launched,
Two hundred fifty-eight Laureates honored,
Today, we are honored with a noble King
of a great Kingdom!
Winning with their wisdom every battle.
It is the moment of defeating terrorism
By means of thought, culture and speech.

Today, we raise a flag for knowledge,
And we write a novel for history,
From the cradle of the Messenger of Guidance.

Dear winners and honorees,
The diligent scholars:
You have served humanity,
And you have blessed mankind.

In the name of the powerful and faithful King,
And on behalf of Saudi Arabia and all Saudis,
And from the Arabian Peninsula and the heart of the Muslim world,
We say to you: Thank you!

And peace be on you.

Khaled Al-Faisal