



**Sohbats by**  
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**CALAMITY OR AFFLICTION**

*Assalamu Alaykum wa Rahmatullah wa Barakatuh,  
Auzu Billahi Minashaytanir Rajeem. Bismillahir Rahmanir Raheem,  
Wassalatu Wassalamu ala Rasulina Muhammadin Sayyidul Anwalin wal Akhirin,  
Madad Ya Rasulallah, Madad Ya Sadat As'habi RasuLillah, Madad Ya Mashayikhina,  
Dastur Mawlana Sheikh Abdullah Faiz Daghestani, Sheikh Nazim al-Haqqani. Madad.  
Tariqatunas sobba, wal khayru fil jamiyya.*

It has been about a week since the month of Dhu al-Qi'dah started. Dhu al-Qi'dah is one of Ashhur al-Hurum, the Sacred Months and from the months of Hajj. Allah ﷻ has made these months Haram, so there is no war in them. Allah Azza wa Jalla gives people an opportunity to get along well. Some people don't realize it, some don't care. Those months have more blessings and are more virtuous. Even Khalwa (seclusion) can be done in it. Khalwa is performed for forty days, from the first of Dhu al-Qi'dah to the tenth of Dhul-Hijjah. But people know it more to be done in Rajab. Therefore, this is a blessed month.

Hajj has been strange this year. By the wisdom of Allah ﷻ, Allah ﷻ gave people something to come to their senses, he gave them an affliction. Sometimes it's either an affliction or a calamity. For believers, it is an affliction. But for unbelievers, it is a calamity so that they can come to their senses. At first some were cautious, after that they did not care anymore. But Allah Azza wa Jalla always warns people in order to come to their senses.

We live in the end of times, and our reward is great. Whether it was a disease or an earthquake, all these things happen to warn people. We did not come here for nothing. This place has an owner. We do not live in vain. Allah ﷻ warns people and gives them something to come to their senses. There is a benefit in everything that Allah ﷻ gives. Even if it seems bad, it will often be beneficial for people. As long as we recognize Allah ﷻ, we don't care about the whole world. If you have nothing or the whole world is yours, as long as you are with Allah ﷻ, both are the same. May Allah ﷻ protect the Islamic world and Muslims for the blessings of this blessed month, and guide the others and those who stray from the path. May Allah ﷻ make it blessed insha'Allah.

This year, Hajjis (pilgrims) will not be able to go, it is forbidden. It has become compulsory for them to cancel the Hajj. This should be a lesson for them, but the people there do not seem to be taking a lesson. They say, "We will choose according to quotas, elections or raffles." Anyways, it is an invalid thing from the very beginning. Since every



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year they do not take some people, Allah ﷻ will punish them for every person they did not take. Because that place doesn't belong to them, it belongs to Allah ﷻ. Allah's ﷻ door is open, it is impossible for them to close it. It will be good for them this year since they have an excuse. But Allah ﷻ will punish them for not accepting them every year. They will be punished for every person they ban from Hajj, because it is not known whether a person will live or not. May Allah ﷻ help us insha'Allah and give strength to our faith. As long as we have faith, nothing else matters. May Allah ﷻ keep us steadfast on the right path. Amin.

Wa min Allah at-Tawfiq. Al-Fatiha.

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