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GOOD DUA AND BAD DUA

*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 Faiẓ Dagbestani, Sheikh Naẓim al-Haqqani. Madad.
Tariqatunas sobba, wal khayru fil jamiyya.*

A'ūdhu bi-Llāhi mina sh-shayṭāni r-rajīm. Bismi Llāhi r-Raḥmāni r-Raḥīm:

ادْعُونِي أَسْتَجِبْ لَكُمْ

(Qur'ān 40:60). Allah ﷻ says: 'Call upon Me; I will respond to you.' Dua is important. "الدُّعَاءُ مَخُّ الْعِبَادَةِ", "Dua is the brain of worship", says our our Holy Prophet ﷺ. Ask people for a good Dua, and avoid bad Duas. There are some Duas that last until the Day of Judgement. And there are some bad Duas that will also last until the Day of Judgement.

How is a bad Dua done? If the oppressed person makes Dua, then it will be accepted. But if there is no oppression and a person makes a bad Dua out of envy or jealousy, it has no value. In fact, our Holy Prophet ﷺ says, "If a person makes a bad Dua, it returns to him." If there is no justification, if it is purely out of envy, it will befall the one who makes this bad Dua. And the person who makes a good Dua will benefit both the person he made Dua for and himself. Our Holy Prophet ﷺ says, "Supplication for a person in his absence is even better." You could say: "I made Dua for you", but it is even better not to say it.

Therefore, we should make good Duas for each other so that we can find goodness insha'Allah. Because whoever spreads goodness, there will be goodness around him and there will be beauty. Just as there are flowers and beauties everywhere, those spiritual beauties also make people comfortable and beautify the place they are in. What is more important than the outward beauty, is the unseen, the spiritual beauty. And that comes through Duas insha'Allah. May Allah ﷻ give us all goodness, and give goodness to our children insha'Allah. May He give goodness to the Islamic world, and send the Sahib insha'Allah.

Wa min Allah at-Tawfiq. Al-Fatiha.

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