



**Sohbats by**  
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**ALLAH ﷻ DOES AS HE WILLS**

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

A'udhu bi-Llāhi mina sh-shayṭāni r-raġīm. Bismi Llāhi r-Raḥmāni r-Raḥīm:

**فَعَالٌ لِّمَا يُرِيدُ**

(Qur'ān 85:16). Allah ﷻ states in the Holy Quran: 'Effector of what He intends.' Allah ﷻ does as He wills. Everything is in Allah's ﷻ hands, He does as He wills. This [Gregorian] calendar is a commercial calendar, one that has no other value. It is for business and work, because days and months are the same every year. So this is not a religious year but let's call it a commercial year. It's the end of the year now. 2020 years have passed. Now Muslims think that is it a good thing to celebrate the new year. There's nothing to celebrate here. Nothing has changed. It doesn't matter whether you celebrate the new year or not. If you're going to celebrate and sin, there's no need to celebrate at all.

If you say that it's a new year, it has become a classic thing now, you are just getting closer to the grave, your life is passing by so there's no need to celebrate that. You shouldn't be celebrating, instead you should be accounting yourself for what you've done in the past year and repent for it. Make the intention to do better the next year. Don't go and sin tonight. This night was a night when most sins were committed but thank Allah ﷻ, because He is 'فَعَالٌ لِّمَا يُرِيدُ', 'Effector of what He intends.' (Qur'ān 85:16), everything is forbidden. Neither tourists nor locals, nobody is allowed to go out; it is forbidden.

It is the work of Allah ﷻ. It is the majesty of Allah ﷻ. He does as He wills. If Allah ﷻ wants, He can even make people not to be able to breathe. Allah ﷻ is The Greatest. The greatness and majesty of Allah ﷻ are incomprehensible. Therefore, we should take a lesson from it. These foolish ones are not taking a lesson. Those who do not believe in the majesty of Allah ﷻ are not taking a lesson. Let them not take a lesson. If they don't take a lesson, troubles and calamities will come to them. Let them save themselves. Drinks, drugs and medications will be of no use as long as Allah ﷻ doesn't want them to be.





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Of course, these New Year's celebrations did not exist in the past. Who would have celebrated about seventy years ago? No one would even think of it. Then gradually, it became like a Fard (obligatory). Celebrating New Year's Eve for people is more important than the Fard. It is a must for them, even more than the Fard, to go out on the streets at New Year's Eve and commit sin. Missing it would seem like a very disastrous thing to them. But when Allah ﷻ wants, He can stop and forbid them all, and imprison everyone at home.

Thank Allah ﷻ, tonight coincided with the night of Friday, so it was a good thing. No matter what people say, it was a good thing. They should be saying, "We repent to Allah ﷻ for our sins." People should ask for forgiveness and repent for the sins committed in this commercial year. May this new year be a year of repentance to these people, but unfortunately it's not going to be. They say wish; we wish so insha'Allah. May Allah ﷻ send the Sahib (owner). Because at the time of Pharaoh, no matter how many miracles Sayyidina Musa 'alayhi s-salam showed, no matter how many things he did, they said, "Okay, we repent.", but then they start again. He then showed other miracles: raining frogs, turning water into blood and things that harmed them, so they said: "Alright enough" but then they go back again. The people of this time are the same. When they see difficulty they repent and say: "Alright" and then one minute later they directly go back.

Therefore, May Allah ﷻ send the Sahib. What we mean by the Sahib is the savior. He will save us insha'Allah. He will save all humanity, not just Muslims. The salvation of humanity is in Islam. He will make them all Muslim, and that is how we will be saved. May Allah ﷻ help us. May Allah ﷻ protect us insha'Allah.

Wa min Allah at-Tawfiq. Al-Fatiha.

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