



Sohbats by Hadrat Shaykh Muhammad Mehmet Adil al-Hakkani

EGYPT

*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 As'habi RasuLillah, Madad Ya Mashayikhina,
Sheykh Abdullah Daghestani, Sheykh Nazim al-Haqqani. Dastur.
Tariqatunas sohba, wal khayru fil jamiyya.*

Tonight, with Allah's permission, the month of Rabi'ul Awwal has started. May it be blessed¹, may it be good. May our Holy Prophet's (SAW) blessed himmat², barakat³, and shafaat⁴ be upon us Inshallah.

Those who go in the way of our Holy Prophet (SAW) are people who have attained happiness. Whether they are poor, whether they are ill, or even if they are deprived of all kinds of worldly possessions, again they are people of happiness. Allah Azza wa Jalla gave our Holy Prophet (SAW) all kinds of barakat, rahmat⁵, inayat⁶, and nazar⁷.

Thank Allah, we went to Egypt, that is a holy place, three or four days ago. We see that Allah Azza wa Jalla gave those who follow our Holy Prophet (SAW), his nation, and Islam the most valuable and most beautiful places, thank Allah. People are unaware of this. People do not see the good, and have gone after things that are not good.

Our Holy Prophet (SAW) said: "People enjoin the good and forbid the bad in these times. The exact opposite will happen when the End Times arrive. People will forbid the good and enjoin the bad in those times."

What he means by bad is not just committing haram. Enjoining the good is not just ordering worship. What he means by the good: all beautiful things are good. Allah (JJ) says to you: "Eat good things. Do not go to bad things." What does this mean? He means not only the filthy things but things that do not benefit you. He teaches goodness and orders whatever is beautiful.



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Shaykh Mawlana never liked concrete. Concrete is another ugliness. Concrete came with Communism. Islam orders all kinds of good. We are giving concrete as an example and not referring to it absolutely. Allah (JJ) gave all goodness and beauty to the Nation of Muhammad⁸. Allah (JJ) gave all kinds of beauty to those who are Islam, but unfortunately people do not appreciate it.

You see that most people leave the eastern parts of Turkey because it is cold and come to Istanbul. This time they want to go to Europe that is fivefold worse, colder than here. They do not care about the cold and what not, and look forward to the gate opening so they can go there. Here you are, Muslims are in such a state of confusion. And this is caused by a lack of iman, a shortage of iman.

They would say Nil Mubarak (Holy Nile) about Egypt. It was the richest country in the world during the Ottomans. The treasures of Egypt were famous. Misir Mubarak (Holy Egypt) was the place feeding the Ottomans. The British came and expelled the Ottomans from there. When the British came, they started fitna⁹ and corruption there and divided Islam. After them by a while these Communist Russians came, and made people miserable altogether and in need of threepenny. There was nothing left they did not do for money. These people suffered tyranny since five thousand years. They only became a little better during the time of Islam. Of course, Shaitan does not let go, he immediately sent his soldiers there. He made that place corrupt too.

It is a very holy place: lots of awliya and thousands of sahabs. The sayyid of companions and martyrs, Hadrat Husayn (Karramallahu Wajhahu) is there. That blessed one is the blessing of that place because they honor him. Of the grandchildren of our Holy Prophet (SAW) Sayyidina Hadrat Zaynab is also there. There are tens, hundreds, and thousands of sahaba.

There are many from the great awliya too. Hadrat Ahmad Badawi, Hadrat Ibrahim ad-Dasuqi, Hadrat Imam Shazali... So there are countless many. There are so many maqams that there is a tomb at every step. The tombs are also very old because Egypt was opened [to Islam] all the way at the time of Khulafai Rashidin (Rightly Guided Caliphs). It



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educated great ulama for the Islamic world and protected the religion. As we said, it is a nice place. May Allah give them, and everybody, the light of the heart.

Let us be thankful to Allah (JJ) that he gave us beautiful places. What is more important than that is He gave us iman and honored us with Islam. Because other people are afraid of Islam, they are scared of Islam. They have been deceived. Of course, Allah gave everybody a mind and they can research, but Shaitan is not letting them.

Shaykh Mawlana (QS) used to pray a prayer of thanks every day. We need to offer a prayer of thanks that Allah created us from our parents as Muslim. Because on the contrary, those who have some fortune and those whom Allah grants again become Muslim. But of course it is one in a thousand that time. Thanks be to Allah.

May Allah (JJ) send the Islamic world a leader Inshallah. Because Allah is capable of everything. Inshallah we are waiting. All of the signs of the End Times have appeared, Inshallah Mahdi Alayhis Salam also appears. He will gather Islam Inshallah. Before he appears, may Allah (JJ) protect Islam and true Muslims too Inshallah.

Wa Minallah at-Tawfeeq.

Al-Fatiha.

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