

## Şeyh Muhammed Mehmet Adil El Kıbrıs-i Hazretleri'ne (k.s.) Ait Risaleler

## **MAWLID AND CHRISTMAS**

Assalamu Alaykum wa Rahmatullah wa Barakatuh, Auzu Billahi Minashaytanir Rajeem. Bismillahir Rahmanir Raheem, Wassalatu Wassalamu ala Rasulina Muhammadin Sayyidul Awwalin 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.

It is the wisdom of Allah that this year the Mawlid Sharif falls close to what they call Christmas, near the birth of Hadrat Isa<sup>1</sup>. A difference is made when it is close to each other like this so people may remember. Most people follow Shaitan. Properly speaking, Christmas is not the birth of Hadrat Isa. The birth is another date. They chose this season because it was an empty season, in the middle of winter.

In the past, nothing could be done when days were short. Therefore, they made this to be an entertainment. They said, "We have nothing to do and we would be making some trade. This fits us!" and came out with the thing called Christmas.

Of course, nobody in the past, the Muslim world had not heard of this deal. Now you see they follow it the most as if it was something better and try doing something. There are those who do it unknowingly, but what is being done is a sin again. May Allah forgive them then. What can we say?

Those doing it knowingly are endangering their iman<sup>2</sup>. What is being done draws the anger and wrath of Allah. Now what does that mean? Everything is in the hands of Allah. You cannot oppose Allah. If you oppose Him, you will suffer punishment both in the world and in the hereafter.

This Mawlid Sharif is two days before what they are calling. And this is so people are given a wake up call not to enter this sin, and not to celebrate New Year or Chritmas. I see that some of the people we visit that are called high society, may Allah cause them to think straight, hang decorations on their doors. Where are they learning this? They are learning it from movies. What is poisoning all people anyway are the movies these strangers are making. They show these movies as if they were something good.

We went to America during Christmas time in the year '95. This much celebration is not even done there. Wherever you go in our Islamic countries, everybody is after celebrating. It passes quietly, calmly, and in a normal fashion there. Our people are trying

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hard as if it was something important. In the end, it goes away with them being tightened inside, uneasy, without light, and in a troubled manner. So there is no such thing as "I am happy" or "I freshened up". It does not happen. Becasue Allah gives both distress and relief.

Allah gives tranquility, happiness, and light to His Muslim servant who honors Hadrat Prophet, who loves Hadrat Prophet, respects him, and always does things for the love of Hadrat Prophet. If they do not honor him and go and do what these enemies of Islam do, Allah gives them tightness, their insides darken, and their faces darken. Allah forbid.

May Allah give guidance to these people. Do not ever come close to even the slightest things they do. Not the red joker thing they put on their heads nor anything else. They came out with a great deal of things just so it sells. There are no blessings<sup>3</sup> in that. On the contrary, you would draw Allah's anger and wrath over yourself. Do not ever resort to those. Stay away.

Wa Minallah at-Tawfeeq. Al-Fatiha.

> Hadrat Shaykh Muhammad Mehmet Adil 16 December 2015, Akbaba Dargah, Sabah Namaz

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