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## FASHION TRENDS DO NOT SATISFY

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.

People of today do not know what to do. The shaitans of today's people play with them as they like. They are never satisfied of anything and want ever newer things. That is why it is to the benefit of Shaitan. When something new comes out it is called fashion: "This year's fashion is like this."

"What happened to last year's trend?"

"That trend is over. We need to dress differently this year."

"What is with last year's? Was it naked last year?"

"No."

Of course, some could be naked.

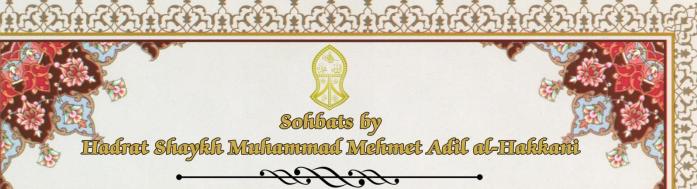
"It was like that last year. This year that is over. We need to dress in the new trend."

This is the case with everything. People have all the opportunities now, they are looking for something but cannot find it. What they are looking for is not in trends, it is next to Allah. You can wear the clothes again from not a hundred years ago but a thousand years ago. There is no obstacle, and there is no discomfort in it either. On the contrary, it is more appropriate, but these people who are not satisfied think everything will be better with clothes, everything will be more beautiful.

No, there is no such thing. The more you satisfy your ego, the more it wants. It does not get enough, the ego is insatiable. There is no such thing as doing it good. It wants new things until death. It is not satisfied. Every year there is a thing called 'following that year's fashion trend' thinking that it is better. They say they want to follow that trend.

France's Paris, which is the center of Shaitan, is what they call the heart of fashion. It is the wisdom of Allah, whatever that wisdom is, that it is the center that comes out with fitna<sup>1</sup> for the whole world for almost two hundred years. Of course there are other places, but what is evident is that place. People of that place have never been satisfied either, and this thing called fahion has not been of any use for them.

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The thing they follow has never been of use for their spirituality, and on the contrary it killed their spirituality. Because they have inflicted a great damage on this religion. In fact, the damage is done on themselves, not against the religion but on themselves. Those who are irreligious suffer the loss themselves. They are never happy with anything throughout their life, nothing satisfies them. And they will be worse still in the hereafter.

That is why you should go in the way of Allah (JJ), do what Allah (JJ) says, and follow our Prophet's (SAW) tradition<sup>2</sup>. Go after the companions<sup>3</sup> and the saints<sup>4</sup>. They take you to tranquility, clean you inside, not outside, and beautify you inside. May Allah (JJ) grant us all Inshallah.

Wa Minallah at-Tawfeeq.

Al-Fatiha.

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- 1. Discord, confusion.
- 2. Sunna
- 3. Sahaba
- 4. Awliya

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