



**Sofbats by**  
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**THE SHAYKH SAYS THE TRUTH**

*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 Dagbestani, Sheykh Nazim al-Haqqani. Dastur.  
Tariqatunas sobba, wal khayru fil jamiyya.*

It says, "Ma aradash shaykh." Those following a shaykh need to do whatever the shaykh says. What is important is the way shown by the shaykh and not what you know. Sometimes they ask things saying, "No, it is like this and it is like that." The shaykh will say alright, but what really needs to be done is what the shaykh says.

Meaning if you have believed in the shaykh, you need to follow the shaykh. Of course there are many who come out claiming to be shaykhs these days. Those following a shaykh that is not real could suffer harm. Its sin would again be on the person who claims to be a shaykh.

The way shown by our Shaykh Mawlana (QS) is to follow a shaykh. You need to come empty to the shaykh and leave full. Nothing would happen if coming full. They would go their way and leave. Even if saying the truth<sup>1</sup> is difficult, it is necessary<sup>2</sup> for us, it is obligatory<sup>3</sup>. It would not be good to say something outside of truth. We need to say whatever the truth is. They say, "La hayaa fiddin." There is no shame in religion. Do not be ashamed of anybody, and say the truth whoever it may be.

That is why we are compelled to say the truth. It should be accepted here. It is not a mandatory place, it is a volunteer place. It is not a place to be holding by force. Those who accept the truth will accept it, and those who do not can do whatever they like, they are free. We cannot manage the tariqa according to anybody's whims. We need to say whatever the truth is. May Allah (JJ) not misguide us from the truth. May Allah not make anybody follow their ego. Inshallah, may we be with the Haqq.

Wa Minallah at-Tawfeeq.  
Al-Fatiha.

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1. Haqq 2. Wajib 3. Fard

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