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## **MERCY SEASONS**

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.

Allah Azza wa Jalla created seasons for us. There are seasons of the world and seasons of the hereafter. It is now spring in wordly seasons. In the sight of Allah (JJ), Rajab, Shaban, and Ramazan are seasons of mercy.

There are virtuous nights in them. They are more beautiful and more merciful. Allah (JJ) has assigned 5-10 nights in the year to give more. These are special, separate nights. They are nights in which prayers¹ are accepted. Worship done during these nights are more acceptable and more more rewards are written. Our payment is more, more is given, and gifts are more abundant.

There are these and then there is the night of Friday (Thursday night) every week. It is also a holyday. Its gifts are also separate. Thank Allah today is the Friday of the month of Shaban, and Allah willing tomorrow night is the Night of Baraat<sup>2</sup>. It is considered the end of the year. The sustenance<sup>3</sup> that is set, what will be done, and who will make it to next year and who will not are all written on this night. Therefore, it is also a sacred<sup>4</sup> night, an important night. Taking advantage of it would be greatly virtuous.

Allah Azza wa Jalla says to the angels, "Go around and look who is asking Me for forgiveness and repentance, and who is asking for sustenance." They look until morning and treat<sup>5</sup> them. Inshallah, may we be amongst those who are treated. May we be of those who do not forget Allah. He says, "Wa zakkir." Zikr means to remind.

Remembering Allah is the best of worship. Let Allah always be in your mind, do not forget. If you forget Allah then you will be in trouble, but you have nothing to fear and be upset about if you do not forget Him. People who forget Allah are finished. All fear and all worries are with them. However, even if the whole world comes crashing down around, those who do not forget Allah do not care. There is Allah: we do not need anything else. We did not come here for this world. We came for Allah, Inshallah.

Wa Minallah at-Tawfeeq. Al-Fatiha.

1. Dua 2. 15th of Shaban

3. Rizq

4. Mubarak

5. Ikram

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