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**Hadrat Shaykh Muhammad Mehmet Adil al-Hakkani**

**ISLAM IS THE FAVOR OF ALLAH**

*Assalamu Alaykum wa Rahmatullah wa Barakatuh,  
Auzu Billahi Minashaytanir Rajeem. Bismillahir Rahmanir Raheem,  
Wassalatu Wassalamu ala Rasulina Muhammadin Sayyidul Anwalin wal Akhbirin,  
Madad Ya Rasulallah, Madad Ya As'habi RasuLillah, Madad Ya Mashayikhina,  
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Tariqatunas sohba, wal khayru fil jamiyya.*

We need to be constant in being thankful to Allah. Allah (JJ) increases His blessings to those who are thankful. And the greatest blessing is the blessing of Islam and being on the right path. It is a great blessing to be entering these ways and being on these ways. It is Allah's favor and Allah's mercy for us.

It is not good to look at others and make it a matter of pride or be arrogant. It is not good to think it is because of ourselves that we are on this good path and they are on the bad path. It is the predestination of Allah, Allah willed it so. He gave you this favor. You need to be thankful to Him.

You need to always know the value of this blessing and not think of it as being from yourself. Because Allah forbid, humankind can go astray at any time. Allah could try the person so hard that he would not be able to endure the test and directly go off the path and end like those people he condemns. Therefore, you should know the value of this blessing and be thankful to Allah so it may always increase. You should say, "May our faith get stronger. Thank Allah for being on this way."

If not, if you are not thankful and know it from yourself then the danger is great. If you supplicate to Allah saying, "Do not deviate us from this path!" Allah would certainly help you and answer your prayers. Allah is the one who answers the dua. Never forget this. Shaitan tries to deviate people from the path. He even makes you feel arrogant during worship. That worship has no value left and you fall in danger.

Certainly, be a person of humility and always fear Allah. Do not see yourself superior to others. We need to pity even those who have deviated from the path. Because they think "We are gaining". They laugh at those on the right path and mock them. We need to pity



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them, those who poke fun, because they have no idea they are on the evil path. Allah left them on that path and they were not favored.

What we are to be most happy about in this world is being on the right path. Because this world is the place of trade. The more people trade [for the hereafter], the higher their station is in the hereafter, they are that much more at peace, and are also at peace in the world. Do not think you can find peace with sins. Peace cannot be found with sin and darkness. Peace can only be on Allah's path. May Allah make us all stand firm on this path. May Allah not misguide us.

Wa Minallah at-Tawfeeq. Al-Fatiha.

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