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"NATURAL DISASTERS" ARE A LESSON

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 Exalted and Glorious be He offers various types of means for people to know and appreciate His grandness. When humankind gets arrogant and says, "There is none greater than I!" He troubles them with some of His creation and they search for a place to escape. These typhoons, winds, and all are Allah's creation. While humankind asserts itself saying, "I am in control of the whole world," then they look for a place to run.

This is a big lesson. It is a means for people to strengthen their faith. However, humankind says something else and calls it a natural disaster. It is not natural, it is an act of Allah. Nature is also a servant of Allah. He subjects them as He wills. It is said that it came with a speed of 300 km/h. This is the greatest but there are greater ones. If it is 400-500 km/h it would not leave a building either. It would not listen to neither cement nor steel and it would just blow it away. Allah is capable of everything. Fear Allah. Appreciate Allah. Where are you going to run? Allah Azza wa Jalla says in the Koran:

فَفِرُّ وا إِلَى اللهِ

"Fafirroo ilallah." (Sura Zariyat:50) Run to Allah, go to Allah. They are trying to move millions of people from there. Whereas there is an easier way. He says, "Seek refuge in Allah, run to Allah." What is also interesting is they said it was coming three days before or a week before. When an earthquake occurs, it is Allah's wisdom that it hits immediately. They can only get a minute or two's notice and that is not enough for them to save people. However, with this they make people live in fear slowly, slowly, and gradually saying, "It is about to be here. It is about to be here."

Allah is great. Fear Allah. Allah (JJ) is merciful on those who fear Him. He is not merciful on those who oppose Him and makes them "rub their nose on the floor". May Allah keep us safe. Allahu Akbar. Allahu Akbar. Allahu Akbar.

Wa Minallah at-Tawfeeq. Al-Fatiha.

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