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ADAB IS LEARNT FROM GOOD ONES

*Assalamu Alaykum wa Rahmatullah wa Barakatuh,
Auzu Billahi Minashaytanir Rajeem. Bismillahir Rahmanir Raheem,
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Tariqatunas sobha, wal khayru fil jamiyya.*

Adab is a good habit. Good ones like people with manners. Who do we learn adab from? From good, mannered people - from tariqas, and from shaykhs. Those who do not like manners are Shaitan and those who follow him.

There was a man in the past whom they said was very well-mannered. They asked him, "Who did you learn this adab from?" He answered, "There was a very ill-mannered man. I learned it from him." They were surprised and asked, "How could it be? Good manners are learned from the well-mannered. How was it that you learned from him?" He said, "I saw that his situation was very bad, very ugly. I did the opposite of whatever he did and thus I became well-mannered."

So people, normal people, do not like ill-mannered people. However, it is End Times now: the more ill-mannered one is the more people like that person, and there are those who try to look like that one. During our Holy Prophet's (SAW) time, goodness was ordered and evil was prohibited. Now, evil is ordered and goodness is prohibited. Therefore, people in these times should learn their manners from well-mannered people. As we said, there are no more people left who would look at the ill-mannered, get disgusted, not like it, and hold on to good manners. They have blurred everybody's head. They are showing the good as bad and the bad as good.

May Allah protect us from the dissensions (fitna) of these times, and may our mind be present Inshallah. We are always saying "May Allah give us common sense and intelligence". This is our greatest prayer (dua) for people and nothing else anymore. Children, people, women, men, the old, and the young: everyone is bewildered. May Allah not make us confused. May Allah not deviate us from the right path.

Wa Minallah at-Tawfeeq. Al-Fatiha.

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