



Şeyh Muhammed Mehmet Adil El- Hakkani Hazretlerine Ait Risaleler

The Month of Sha'ban and Its Duties

*Esselamu Aleykum ve Rahmetullah
Eûzübillâhimine 'ş-şeytâni'r-racim, Bismillâh irrahmân irrahim.
Vesselatu Vesselamu ala Resulina Muhammedin Seyyidul evvelin vel abirin.
Medet Ya Resulullah, Medet ya Sadat-ı Ashab-ı Resulullah, Medet ya Meşayihina,
Şeyh Abdullah Dağüstani, Şeyh Muhammed Nazım el Hakkani, destur.
Tariكاتuna's sobbe vel hayru fi'l cemiyya.*

Thanks be to Allah that once more we are in the month of Sha'ban. It is a blessed month of our Prophet Muhammed (sAs). Today is the first day of it, may Allah bless it. The 15th night of the month of Shaban is the blessed one. Our *wazifa* (duty) is the same as the month of Rajab to do during this month. Those who are capable of fasting should continue fasting as much as possible, *inshaAllah*. This is better for them. At least fasting on Mondays and Thursdays is a good practice.

This month is also the messenger of the coming month of Ramadan. Nowadays, the days end fast; this is the sign of End Days. May Allah let us catch the time of the Mahdi (a.s.), *inshaAllah*. Allah *jalla jalaluh* honoured this month. Because of our Prophet (sAs), Allah honoured this month. The more we honour our Prophet (sAs), the more we are accepted in the sight of Allah. We will be loved more by Allah. One who honors the Prophet (sAs) is also honored by Allah Almighty.

'No, this is unnecessary!' --Those who speak this way are deprived from this good deed. They lose a great deal. When people lose material things, they get upset, grieve. This is a million times more valuable when compared to material loss. Unfortunately, people focus on material benefits instead of spiritual. Those new religious leaders are this way, too. They say, "Honoring is unnecessary." No need to listen to them.

This month is an honored month, it has duties to fulfill. As we said earlier fasting is the most important duty of this month. The other important duty is to make many supplications for the Prophet (sAs). May Allah bless it for us, *inshaAllah*. Those who respect it may receive respect, *inshaAllah*. May Allah '*azza wa jalla* bless those who remember it.

*Wa min Allabi at-tawfiq
Al-Fatihah*

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