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HOLY DAYS AND NIGHTS

As-Salamu 'alaykum wa rahmatu Llābi.

A'ūdhu biLlābi mina sb-shayṭāni r-rajim.

Waş-Şalātu wa s-Salamu 'alā Rasūlinā Muḥammadin Sayyidi l-anwalin wa l-akbirin.

Madad yā Rasūla Llāh, madad yā Sādāti Aşḥabi Rasūli Llāh, madad yā Mashāyikbinā, dastūr yā Shaykh 'Abdu Llāh al-Fā'iz ad-Dāghistāni, Shaykh Muḥammad Nāzim al-Ḥaqqāni. Madad.

Ṭarīqatunā Ş-Şuḥbah wa l-khayru fi l-jam'iyah.

Alhamdulillah this is the Night of Forgiveness and Deliverance, may the 15th of Sha'bān be blessed. May Allah let us reach the time of Mahdi (AS) with Islam's honor and dignity. May it be blessed. Tonight it is revived. Even if he goes to bed for about two hours [first], until the time of the morning prayer starts, it is [still considered] part of reviving [and is] therefore accepted. Accordingly Allah rewards him, rewarded him, thanks be to Allah.

He also gave us the chance of celebrating the night, [and if we do] this, our year passes by while we are in the state of iman, in Islam, observing His orders. With His permission the year will pass well. Tonight is not wasted, may Allah's blessings, His knowledge, His manifestation be upon us. Thanks be to Allah. Those who value the night, Allah values them. Some people are unaware of these good things. These good things slip from their hands unawares. They live their lives without distinguishing between good and bad.

They say "a night worthy of being exchanged for a whole life"—this is one of those nights, one of those blessed nights. Thanks be to Allah that we had opportunity to participate in it. May we value all these holy days and nights, because when you value them it is written in your book of deeds, amongst good deeds. Your station is being raised. If you do not value them, if you are not aware of them, you have no value, and at the very least your station becomes lower. If you do not know [about it] at all, at that time you become unworthy and your station cannot be high.

Therefore, these nights are Allah 'azza wa jalla's gifts for us. People are worthy because they value these nights. For this, people should thank Allah. There are billions of people, most already do not have faith. They are out of path; they are on the path of covering the truth (*kufri*). Amongst the Muslims too, most do not value these nights, or they are not even aware of them. Therefore, you being aware of these nights is a favor of

Allah upon you. This is His offer to us. We must thank Allah for this—may it always continue this way!

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Allah's provision (*ni'mah*) continues with our thankfulness. That is why Allah made us aware of this night. His making us aware of the night is a sign that we are amongst those most fortunate people. As we say, only one percent of the people are aware. They run after useless things. They have knowledge of things that are useless, but not of what is beneficial for their souls. May Allah bless it. As we said, may we live our lives with the light of Islam, insha'Allah.

*Wa min Allāhi t-tawfiq,
al-Fāṭḥah*

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