



## Şeyh Muhammed Mehmet Adil El- Hakkanî Hazretlerine Ait Risaleler

### TO LOVE THE PROPHET (SAW)

*As-Salāmu ‘alaykum wa rahmatu Llāhi.*

*A’ūdhu biLlāhi mina sh-shayṭāni r-rajīm.*

*Waş-şalātu wa s-Salāmu ‘alā Rasūlinā Muḥammadin Sayyidi l-awwalīn wa l-āakhirīn.  
Madad yā Rasūla Llāh, madad yā Sādāti Aşḥābi Rasūli Llāh, madad yā Mashāyikhinā,  
dastūr yā Shaykh ‘Abdu Llāh al-Fā’iz ad-Dāghistānī, Shaykh Muḥammad Nāẓim al-  
Ḥaqqānī. Madad.*

*Ṭarīqatunā ş-şuḥbah wa l-khayru fi l-jam’iyyah.*

Allah ‘azza wa jalla says, *Bismi Llāhi r-Raḥmāni r-Raḥīm.*

قُلْ إِنْ كُنْتُمْ تُحِبُّونَ اللَّهَ فَاتَّبِعُونِي يُحْبِبْكُمُ اللَّهُ

“*Qul ‘in kuntum tuḥibbūna Llaha fa-ttabi‘unī yuḥbibukumū Llāh*” (Qur’ān 3:31). “If you love Allah, then follow me, and Allah will love you.” To follow the Prophet, to love him is bliss. Allah ‘azza wa jalla is saying in the Quran from the mouth of the Prophet, If you wish to receive the love of Allah, then follow me, accept me.” Show respect to him so that Allah loves you.

Now Satan has many different kinds of tricks to deceive people. Sometimes it takes you to unbelief (*kufr*). Sometimes to divert you from the path they say, “What you do is wrong.” They say that respect towards the Prophet is shirk! Allah ‘azza wa jalla [however] says, “Love him, do what he did, stay on his path.” These people divert people from the path, weaken people’s faith, then they remain faithless. Not wishing to commit more sin, they ruin their belief. After belief is ruined, neither does faith remain.

Our path is the path of the Prophet (SAW). We try to accept all the things he said, following his way as much as we are capable of doing so. Doing these things strengthens our faith, and what is done reaches Allah: we go to next life with faith. Our struggle here on Earth is to remain in faith during our last breath. Without faith, it does not matter whether are a scholar or how good you might think you are. These are of no use at all [to the faithless].

Strengthening our faith is important. This is possible with the love of our Prophet (SAW), because our Prophet said, “For after me I have left two things: the Quran and my Sunnah.” Commit yourselves to them. They do not follow the Sunnah now. They say



they commit to the Quran [only]. That is useless. Useless without our Prophet's (SAW) Sunnah and love. May Allah save us from their evil! May Allah have us on the right path.

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*Wa min Allāhi t-tawfiq,  
al-Fātḥah*

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