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AL-MASJIDu 'L-AQSA

As-Salāmu 'alaykum wa raḥmatu Llāhi. A'ūdhu biLlāhi mina sh-shaytāni r-rajīm.

Waṣ-ṣalātu wa s-Salāmu 'alā Rasūlinā Muḥammadin Sayyidi l-awwalīn wa l-ākhirīn. Madad yā Rasūla Llāh, madad yā Sādāti Aṣḥābi Rasūli Llāh, madad yā Mashāyikhinā, dastūr yā Shaykh 'Abdu Llāh al-Fā'iz ad-Dāghistānī, Shaykh Muḥammad Nāzim al-Ḥaqqānī. Madad. Ṭarīqatunā ṣ-ṣuḥbah wa l-khayru fi l-jam'iyyah.

Our Prophet (SAW) says,

لا تشد الرحال إلا إلى ثلاثة مساجد: المسجد الحرام ومسجدي هذا والمسجد الأقصى.

Thanks be to Allah our brothers (*ikhwān*), children went to visit Jerusalem (*Al-Quds*). Those who have prayed salah there are credited with having prayed 500 salats, which means that salat there has 500 times more reward. In the Ka'aba Masjid, it is 100,000 times, in the masjid of our Prophet (SAW), 1000 times. In Masjid al-Aqsa, it is equivalent to 500 times.

While our Prophet (SAW) was on [his] Miraj journey, from Makkah he came to al-Masjid al-Aqsa, and after he had served as imam for the other prophets [AS], he took on a journey to the heavens, Miraj. The people of that locality, in order to confuse people, point out al-Qubbat us-Sahra (which is rounded and its dome golden) as al-Masjid al-Aqsa. They do not point out the real al-Masjid al-Aqsa. The other is a deceit.

To pray in al-Masjid al-Aqsa is 500 times superior. That is what is being said in the hadith of our Prophet (SAW). As-Sahra is the rock that our Prophet (SAW) climbed on. When our Prophet moved, the rock itself moved high up to do miraj with the Prophet (SAW). He told it to stay where it was. That rock is [still] cut off from the ground, but they put something under it to make sure people do not damage it. Over it they built a masjid, which is also blessed, but al-Masjid al-Aqsa is the main place, [and] that is beside it. It has been a blessed place for ages. Sayyiduna Sulayman (AS) built a sanctuary there. This sanctuary that they are looking for is under this masjid.

Therefore this place is blessed, but they want people to forget it. These people are not aware of it. Whoever is able to visit these places they should. Our Prophet (SAW) has a hadith about it [i.e., the one quoted above], "There are three masjids to be visited, for them you may travel. One is the Ka'aba, the other is my masjid, [and the] third one is al-Masjid aL-Aqsa." May Allah accept the visit and let us go there, too, insha'Allah.

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Of course these visits consist of difficulties, [but] no need to mention them. May Allah make it our destiny to go there, insha'Allah. For those who went there, may Allah accept their visit; may it be blessed (*mubarak*).

Wa min Allāhi t-tawfīq, al-Fāti**h**ah

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