



Sofbats by
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GREEDINESS

As-Salāmu ‘alaykum wa rahmatu Llāhi.

A‘ūdhu biLlāhi mina sh-shayṭāni r-rajīm.

Waṣ-ṣalātu wa s-Salāmu ‘alā Rasūlinā Muḥammadin Sayyidi l-awwalīn wa l-āakhirīn.

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 Nāẓim al-

Haqqānī. Madad.

Ṭarīqatunā ṣ-ṣuḥbah wa l-khayru fi l-jam‘iyyah.

People are greedy. Because of their greed, they are in loss most of the time. *Ṭamah* means having hungry eyes. Greed is like a bait, and it deceives them the most. In a typical case, someone exaggerates something to make it look a hundred time bigger, then says he wants to give it to you. You become deceived by him and accept the offer, but in the end you find nothing to it at all.

We hear that some people sell the same flat to ten different people for a so-called “cheap” price. Those people jumped on the property thinking it was a bargain, but in the end none [actually] gets the property. Greed for the property of this world is a loss. You should show *tamah* for the next world—that is the true place, the real. Allah ‘azza wa jalla gives ten for your one, or [even] hundred or a thousand. His property is large, [and] no matter how much He gives nothing affects Him. The lowest one of paradise will be given a property as large as this world. Even for the one who spends a long time in hell, and [then] finally after being forgiven, enters paradise, [even for him] this world is going to be little compared with what will be given to him.

We mean that your ambition should be towards next world. Greed should not be for this world. It is necessary to think whether what you are doing is right. Being deceived is not a good thing, because you also lose your children’s and family’s rizq, but do as much as you can for the Akhirah. Whether you do good deeds or worship. Allah gives for one thing you do ten times, Allah ‘azza wa jalla gives out of His generosity. No need to worry for the sake of this world. It is necessary to work for the Akhirah, inshaAllah. May Allah help us to have this [good] greed for the Akhirah. This world is trash; may Allah help us not to look at it, insha’Allah.

Wa min Allāhi t-tanfiq,

al-Fatihah



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