



Sofbats by
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SUBMISSION AND FAITH

As-Salāmu ‘alaykum wa raḥmatu Llāh.

Aū’dhu bi-Llāhi mina sh-Shayṭāni r-rajīm.

Waṣ-ṣalātu wa s-salāmu ‘alā Rasūlinā Muḥammadin Sayyidi l-Awwalīna wa l-Ākhirīn.

Madad yā Rasūla Llāh, madad yā Sādāti Aṣḥābi Rasūli Llāh, madad yā Mashāyikhinā,

dastūr yā Shaykh ‘Abdu Llāh al-F’āiz ad-Dāghistānī, Shaykh Muḥammad Nāẓim al-

Ḥaqqānī. Madad.

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

May Allah ‘azza wa jalla bless our day, insha’Allah, and cause it to be good. Allah says, “Ana al-ḥākim.” “I am the Ruler.” [Editor’s note: The transcription was unclear, but I think this was it.] What He does must not be questioned. What He wishes, always happens. Other than that, nothing else occurs. Submission to Him is necessary. It is also necessary to be thankful for what He does, so that He may have mercy on us and keep us on the right path. This is what is important. There is a visible disease at the moment, but this is something that can be taken care of. People are occupied with this virus while they have no knowledge of spiritual illnesses. They cannot see this, but [only] the virus. The whole world is in a panic to find a way to deal with it. This is nothing compared to spiritual illnesses. So this trial was necessary for people, so that they come back to their selves a little. Unfortunately, they still have not. It may appear as if they are coming back, but once the case is over, they will forget and turn back to their egoic self. They will forget that all of this has happened. This or that did happen, [yet] all of the suffering that they have gone through will be in vain. Being thankful to Allah is more important. Shukr is for what good happens, and hamd is for all times [— Shaykh Efendi spoke Arabic here—], for all His doings.

People, mankind, as the Holy Prophet said, towards the End Days evilness will be ordered and goodness will be banned. Can there be a worse illness than this? This virus [i.e., a virus of misguidance and misbehavior] started in Europe and has passed on to us. They were the ones who taught perverted acts to children as young as three or four. They included this in their lessons. Then they ask mercy of Allah. Already they deny Allah. Allah ‘azza wa jalla will punish them in this world, yet even so punishment in the Next World is worse when compared to punishment in this world. This that has happened is a great miracle, a miracle of Allah. Its nature is as a rehearsal of the Day of Judgement, so that

they come back to themselves. Those who do so will be saved, while those who do not will be pass in vain and receive no benefit either here or the Next World. May Allah strengthen our faith. May Allah protect our faith. Our iman is more important than our ego. Death will take place for sure whenever or wherever. Leaving this world with iman is the most important thing. The rest is vain. May Allah protect us and strengthen our

faith, insha'Allah. The faith of Muslims has been quite wounded. These demons have attacked them constantly. Most people's faith is either distorted, or they do not have faith at all. May Allah give us faith, strengthen it, and protect it.

*Wa min Allāhi t-tawfīq,
al-Fātiḥah*

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