



Sofbats by
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THE LAST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH OF SAFAR

As-Salāmu ‘alaykum wa rahmatu Llāh.

Aūdhu bi-Llāhi mina sh-Shayṭāni r-raġīm. Bismi Llāhi r-Raĥmāni r-Raĥīm.

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.

Tomorrow is the last Wednesday of the month of Safar. It is a heavy day, and we need to be careful on it. Pay attention to it. Again, the duties are the same 3 Testifications of Faith (*Shahadāh*), 300 *istighfār*, 7 *Suratu l-Fīl*, and don't forget about sadaqa. There is no need to go into that [topic] more here.

Some days are heavy, but through Allah's grace they pass with ease. But those people who don't pay attention to this, don't have information about Safar, or about religion and faith! Then something happens to them, "Where did this come from?" they say. They do not know the reason, but there are some days that have more barakah, and some days are heavier. By the permission of Allah, for whoever respects them and takes his precautions, they will pass lightly and be harmless. Our Holy Prophet (SAW) says, "Wish for goodness and you will find it." He would never consider anything to be bad luck. But again, take precautions. To take refuge in Allah, to ask for forgiveness, and to give charity—these are big precautions for people. Allah Azza wa Jalla says:

وَتَحْسَبُونَهُ هَيِّئًا وَهُوَ عِنْدَ اللَّهِ عَظِيمٌ

"*Wa tahsabūnahu hayyīnān wa huwa ‘anda Llāhi ‘aẓīm*". (Qur’ān 24:15). It is simple, and you might not value it much, but it is great in the sight of Allah. What is great in the sight of Allah is what most people don't consider at all. They don't consider or pay attention to important things, but [instead] pay attention to useless, unimportant things. Well, we should be paying attention to what is important in the sight of Allah, and consider it. What we need to pay attention to in the sight of Allah is to ask for forgiveness, to repent, and to give sadaqa. These things are valuable in the sight of Allah. Insha'Allah, we will pass it [*i.e.*, this last Wednesday of Safar] with ease and without any harm. We say these now so that people may take precaution for tomorrow. Today is Tuesday. Tomorrow is Wednesday.

Insha'Allah, may we reach many good days and these trials end, these difficulties pass. May we, insha'Allah, gain rewards in these. These things do not happen

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in vain. Everything that is written for them, they will receive it here and in the Hereafter, insha'Allah. May Allah make us succeed. May we be blessed, insha'Allah. May all our days be blessed.

*Wa min Allāhi t-tawfīq,
al-Fātiḥah*

Şuḥbah of Shaykh Muḥammad Mehmet 'Adil

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