



**Sofbats by**  
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**ALLAH'S DOOR**

*As-Salāmu 'alaykum wa rahmatu Llāh.*

*Aū'dhu bi-Llāhi mina sh-Shayṭāni r-rajim. Bismi Llāhi r-Raḥmāni r-Raḥīm.*

*Waṣ-ṣalātu wa s-salāmu 'alā Rasūlinā Muḥammadin Sayyidi l-Awwalīna wa l-Akhirīn.*

*Madad yā Rasūla Llāh, madad yā Sādati Aṣḥabi Rasūli Llāh, madad yā Mashāyikhinā, dastūr yā*

*Shaykh 'Abdu Llāh al-F'āiḏ ad-Dāghistānī, Shaykh Muḥammad Nāẓim al-Ḥaqqānī. Madad.*

*Ṭarīqatunā ṣ-ṣuḥbah wa l-khayru fi l-jam'iyyah.*

Allah 'azza wa jalla is with us, thanks be to Allah. A person should always remember Allah whether he is in a test or in relaxed state. These days are strange days for the whole world. Thanks be to Allah, people are still more comfortable around in these environs. So why is it comfortable? Because mosques are open, the adhan is heard, the Friday Prayers are performed in jamaat. These things are not available everywhere.

They thought it would be better to close the mosques, but it became worse, because mosques are the houses of Allah. How do you close them, just because something happened? [Shaykh Efendi is referring to a Turkish government decision made with the intention to slow the spread of the virus.] You will beseech Allah there [in the mosques]; you will seek healing from Allah. You can go to Allah's house and ask for whatever you want. Wherever else you may close things on all sides, but it is not acceptable for mosques to be closed. No matter how hard it is, mosques should be open and not closed. Everything is in His hands, but as for shutting His house, Allah 'azza wa jalla says in the Glorious Quran, (*Bismi Llāhi r-Raḥmāni r-Raḥīm*)

**وَأَنَّ الْمَسَاجِدَ لِلَّهِ**

“*Wa-anna l-masājid l-Llāh.*” (Qur’ān 72:18) “And indeed the mosques belong to Allah.” “Go there, gather there, do all your work there,” it means. How will it be, if you close it? Here we see how closing places is worse.

When there is a problem, people will be in the mosque. They will be everywhere else too, but the important thing is that the mosques are open. If you go to the door of a government [office] or something [and find that it] is closed, can you do anything? No way. The biggest door is the door of Allah, and Allah 'azza and jalla said that these doors

are to be open. When it is open, I hope that that door will not turn anyone away, that it will not look like other things, that it will not be like other places. They say that often a door is like a wall, one goes and comes back empty-handed, but one should never be turned away from Allah's door. So just as it is always necessary to beseech Allah, know that Allah is with you when there is trouble, and do not be afraid! Whatever happens is with the permission of Allah, and if Allah does not want something, it will be impossible.

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When you are troubled, you must definitely recite a hundred times, "*La haula vela kumwata illa billahil aliyil aẓim*," and a hundred, "*Hasbinallahu ve nimel wakeel*" every day. They will relieve you of your troubles, increase your rank, increase your rewards with Allah, and Allah knows what and how much He will give. There is no reason to worry or fear, everything happens by the permission of Allah; it happens with the knowledge of Allah, and nothing happens without His knowledge. Not even a single thing can move.

May Allah guide the people, because even at such as this time the perverts and those who go astray neither take lessons nor understand anything. May God give guidance, may Allah give intelligence and thought, and may He give strength to our faith.

*Wa min Allahi t-tanfiq,  
al-Fatḥah*

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