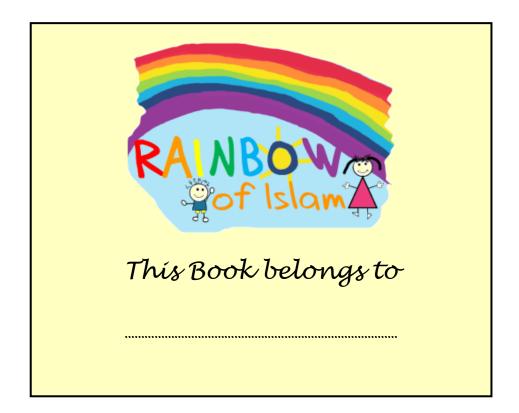


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Sawm



The Messenger of Allah (ﷺ) said:
"He who fasts Ramadan, with Iman and hoping for reward (from Allah) then his previous sins are forgiven." [Bukhari and Muslim]



بِسُرِواللهِ الرَّحُمٰنِ الرَّحِبُو

Alhamdullilah, all praise is to Allah, the Almighty, the all Knower, the Creator and sustainer of the universe. May the peace and blessings be upon Muhammad (ﷺ) (the last of Prophets and messengers) and his (ﷺ) family and companions and all those who follow him until the last day.

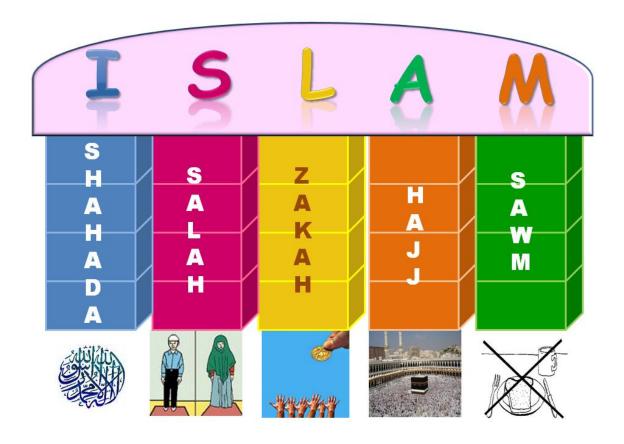
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Sawm is a Pillar of Islam

It was narrated that Ibn Umar (رضي الله عنه) said: The Messenger of Allah (عيدوسلم) said:

- " Islam is built on five (pillars):
 - bearing witness that there is no god except Allah and that Muhammad is the Messenger of Allah,
 - o establishing prayer,
 - o paying zakah,
 - o Hajj and
 - o fasting Ramadan." [Narrated by al-Bukhaari, 8; Muslim, 16]



صَوْم Meaning of Sawm

Sawm means that a person refrains from eating, drinking and other evil deeds from the adhaan of Fajr to the adhaan of Maghrib with the intention to worship Allah. The english word for sawm is fasting.

Why should we Fast

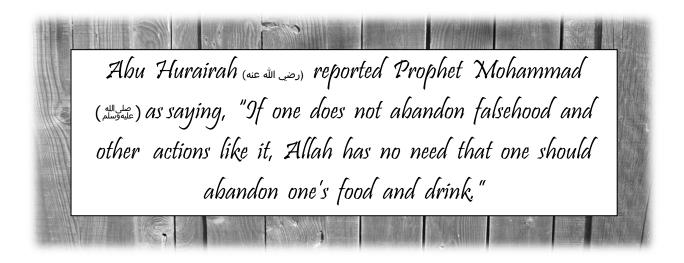
By saying that fasting is a pillar of Islam, we mean that it is obligatory on every Muslim to fast the month of Ramadhan, unless they have an excuse that is permitted in Islam.

183. O You who believe! Observing As—Sawm (the fasting) is prescribed for You as it was prescribed for those before you, that You may become Al-Muttaqun (the pious). [Surah Al Bagarah]

How does Fasting make Us 'Al-Muttagun'

disciplines us spiritually	teaches us self control	purifies our body and soul
teaches us moderation	developes consciousness of Allah	elevates us morally because during fasting we do not do things like backbiting , using foul speech , telling lies etc





This is such a powerful hadith. It makes it very clear that main objective of Allah is not to keep us hungry and thirsty but to make us better muslims. Ramadan is a training time to take control of our desires so that we can always put the word of Allah before our own desires.

Allah's special mercy in Ramadan

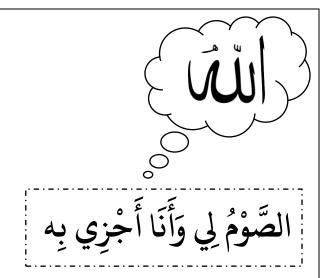
Abu Hurairah (رضي الله عنه) reported that Prophet Mohammad (رضي الله عنه) said, "When there comes the month of Ramadan, the gates of Jannah are opened, and the gates of Hell are locked, and the devils are chained." [Muslim]

Arabic Fun

word	trace	write	meaning
صَوْم	<u> </u>		
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تَقْوَى	<u>/ (</u>		

Virtues of Fasting and Ramadan

Prophet (علي said: "Allah said, "Fast (is exclusively) meant for Me and I would give its reward. There are two (occasions) of joy for the observer of fast. He feels joy when he breaks the fast and he is happy when he meets Allah. By Allah in Whose Hand is the life of Muhammad, the breath of the observer of fast is more beloved to Allah than the fragrance of musk." "(Sahih Muslim)



"The blessed month has come you. Allah has made fasting during it you· During it the of Paradise obligatory upon gates are opened the gates of hell are locked. devils and the are chained· There is a night which is better than a thousand months. Whoever is deprived of its good really deprived. " (of something great) (Ahmad)

The fast will say, "'O Lord I prevented him from his food and desires during the day let me intercede for him." The Quran will say, "I prevented him from sleeping at night. Let me intercede for him," and the intercession will be accepted." (Ahmad)



"No servant fasts on a day in the path of Allah except that Allah removes the hellfire seventy years further away from his face." (Bukhari & Muslim)



70 years

HELLFIRE

"There is a gate to Paradise that is called Ar-Rayyan on the day of Judgement it will say, "Where are those who fasted?" When the last one has passed through the gate. It will be locked." (Bukhari and Muslim)



"Whoever fasts Ramadan out of faith and with hope of reward, all his previous sins will be forgiven." (Bukhari)

Take Note!	
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إِذَا جَاءَ رَمَضَانُ	فُتِّحَتْ أَبْوَابُ الْجَنَّةِ
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حَدَّثَنَا أَبِي هُرَيْرَةَ، (رضى الله عنه) أَنَّ	وَغُلِّقَتْ أَبْوَابُ النَّارِ

THE SENTENCES/PHRASES ABOVE ARE THE PARTS OF A HADITH IN ARABIC WHICH ARE NOT IN SEQUENCE. PLEASE PUT THEM IN SEQUENCE AND WRITE IT DOWN BELOW. THE ENGLISH TRANSLATION IS GIVEN BELOW. ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF THE ABOVE HADITH IS Abu Hurairah (رضي الله عنه) reported that Prophet (صفي الله عنه) said, "When there comes the month of Ramadan, the gates of Jannah are opened, and the gates of Hell are locked, and the devils are chained." LOOK FOR SOME OF THE QUALITIES OF AL MUTTAQUN IN THE QURAN AND SEE HOW MANY OF THEM YOU CAN DEVELOP THIS RAMADAN, WRITE THEM DOWN HERE.



Taqwa is the result of fasting

Allah says in the ayah below that He prescribed fasting for us so that we can become Al Muttagun. Tagwa is a quality of Al Muttagun.

يَتَأَيُّهَا ٱلَّذِينَ ءَامَنُواْ كُتِبَ عَلَيْكُمُ ٱلصِّيَامُ كَمَا كُتِبَ عَلَى ٱلَّذِينَ مِن قَبَلِكُمْ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَتَّقُونَ عَلَى اللهِ عَلَى اللهُ عَلَى اللهِ عَلْمَ عَلَى اللهِ عَلَى اللهُ عَلَى اللهُ عَلَى اللهِ عَلَى اللهُ عَلَى اللهِ عَلَى اللهِ ع

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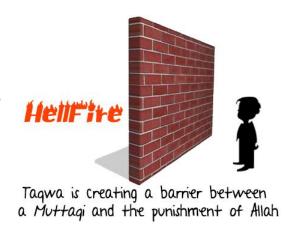


Taqwa is here

The messenger of Allah (عليه عليه عليه) said in a hadith, reported in the Sahih Muslim that, "Tagwa is here", and he pointed to his chest.

تَقْوَى Meaning of Taqwa

- Taqwa is like 'a shield'.
- In action Taqwa means 'to be careful'
 (of Allah's commands and prohibitions).
- It can be further explained as,
 - o 'to be conscious of Allah' or
 - o to have 'fear of Allah'



Taqwa is to be conscious of Allah and to have the fear of Allah in our heart. This consciousness and fear of Allah is like a shield against wrongdoing. A person with Taqwa does all that is enjoined by Allah and His messenger (عَيْنُونُّلُهُ) and holds back from everything that Allah and His messenger (عَيْنُونُّلُهُ) have forbidden. This way the shield of Taqwa creates a barrier between the *Muttaqi* and the punishment of Allah.

A Parable on Tagwa

Umar ibn Khattab (رضي الله عنه) asked Ubay ibn Kaab (رضي الله عنه), " What is the meaning of Taqwa?"

Ubay ibn Kaab (رضي الله عنه) said, "O Amir ul Muminin, have you walked on a field that had a lot of thorny plants?"

Umar (رضي الله عنه) said**, " Yes ? "**

Ubay ibn Kaab (رضي الله عنه) said**, " So what did you** do ? "

Umar (رضي الله عنه) replied, "I lifted up my clothes and I was very careful."

Ubay ibn Kaab (رضي الله عنه) said, "That is Taqwa."

Taqwa is like walking on a thorny path rolling up the garment for the fear of the prick of the thorn.



The Story of a Pious Girl



"Narrated Abdullah ibn Zayd ibn Aslam, from his father, from his grandfather, who said:

"When I was accompanying `Umar ibn al-Khattab (رضي الله عنه) on his patrol of Madinah at night, he felt tired, so he leant against a wall. It was the middle of the night, and (we heard) a woman say to her daughter,

"O my daughter, get up and mix that milk with some water." The girl said, "O Mother, did you not hear the decree of Amir al-Mu'minin (chief of the believers) today?" The mother said, "What was that?" The girl said, "He ordered someone to announce in a loud voice that milk should not be mixed with water." The mother said, "Get up and mix the milk with water; you are in a place where Umar (رضي الله عنه) cannot see you." The girl told her mother, "I cannot obey Him (Allah) in public and disobey him in private."



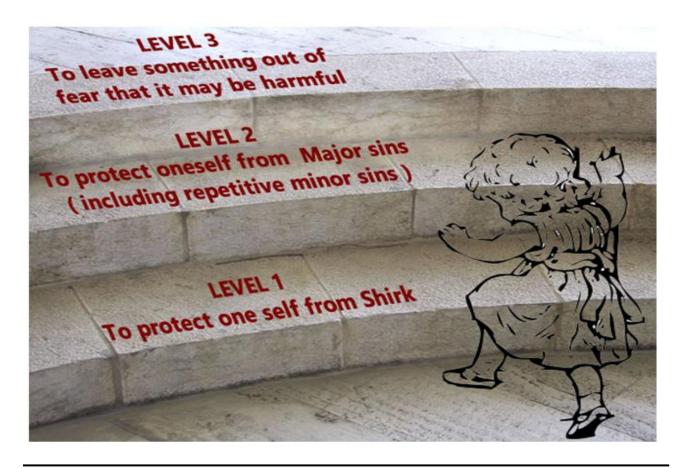
Most honored of you in the sight of Allah

يَتَأَيُّنَا ٱلنَّاسُ إِنَّا خَلَقَنَكُم مِّن ذَكَرٍ وَأُنتَىٰ وَجَعَلْنَكُمْ شُعُوبًا وَقَبَآبِلَ لِتَعَارَفُوٓا ۚ إِنَّ أَكْرَمَكُمْ عِندَ ٱللَّهِ أَتَقَاكُمْ ۚ إِنَّ ٱللَّهَ عَلِيمٌ خَبِيرٌ ۚ

13. 0 mankind! we have created You from a male and a female, and made You into nations and tribes, that You may know one another. Verily, the Most honourable of You with Allâh is that (believer) who has At-Taqwa [i.e. one of the Muttaqûn]. Verily, Allâh is All-Knowing, All-Aware..

[Surah Al Hujurat]

Levels of Tagwa are Three





Note!	



TAQWA IS			
to fear the teacher	to fear Allah	a shield	
to avoid crossing the ro	oad from non-pedestrian are	a fearing the police	
to be conscious of Allah	to avoid wasting	g water fearing a bigger bill	
to carefully handle a kn	ife lest we harm someone e	lse	
creating a barrier betwe	een oneself and the punishn	nent of Allah	
not wasting time in watch	ning cartoons because we will	be accounted for our time	
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SAWM 03 Alhamdulillah Ramadan is here!

12 months of the Islamic Calendar

Every New Month Begins with the sighting of the New Moon

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1	Muharram	مُحَرَّم
2	Safar	صَفَر
3	Rabi-al-awwal	رَبِيع الأوَّل
4	Rabi-ath-thani	رَبيع الشَّاني
5	Jumada-al-awwal	جُمادَى الأوَّل
6	Jumada-ath-thani	جُمادَى الثَّاني
7	Rajab	رَجَب
8	Shaban	شَعْبان
9	Ramadan	رَمَضان
10	Shawwal	شَوَّال
11	Dhu-al-Qadah	ذُوالقَعْدَة
12	Dhu-al-Hijjah	ذُوالحِجَّة

Dua of Sigthing the New Moon



We see the Moon in different shapes during every Lunar Month



Moon as seen from Day 1 to Day 29 of a Lunar Month (left to right)



Alhamdulillah Ramadan is here!

Ramadan is the 9th month of the Hijri Calendar. It starts with the sighting of new moon and ends with the sighting of new moon. A lunar month can be either of 29 or 30 days.

The messenger of Allah (صلي الله) said, "The month (can be) 29 nights (i.e. days), and do not fast till you see the moon, and if the sky is overcast, then complete Sha'ban as thirty days." (Bukhari)

Fasting the whole month of Ramadan is a pillar of Islam.

` شَهَرُ رَمَضَانَ ٱلَّذِيَ أُنزِلَ فِيهِ ٱلْقُرْءَانُ هُدًى لِّلنَّاسِ وَبَيِّنَتٍ مِّنَ ٱلْهُدَىٰ وَٱلْفُرْقَانِ ۚ فَمَن شَهِدَ مِنكُمُ ٱلشَّهْرَ فَلْيَصُمْهُ ۗ وَمَن كَانَ مَرِيضًا أَوْ عَلَىٰ سَفَرٍ فَعِدَّةٌ مِّنَ أَيَّامٍ أُخَرَ ۗ يُريدُ ٱللَّهُ بِكُمُ ٱلْيُسْرَ وَلَا يُرِيدُ بِكُمُ ٱلْعُسْرَ وَلِتُكْمِلُواْ ٱلْعِدَّةَ وَلِتُكَبِّرُواْ ٱللَّهَ عَلَى مَا هَدَاكُمْ وَلَعَلَّكُمْ تَشْكُرُونَ ﴿

185. the month of Ramadân In which was revealed the Qur'ân, a guidance for mankind and clear proofs for the guidance and the criterion (between Right and wrong). so whoever of You sights (the crescent on the first night of) the month (of Ramadan i.e. is present at his home), He must observe Saum (fasts) that month, and whoever is ill or on a journey, the same number [of days which one did not observe Saum (fasts) must be made up] from other days. Allâh intends for You ease, and He does not want to make things difficult for you. (He wants that you) must complete the same number (of days), and that You must magnify Allâh for having guided

You so that You may be grateful to Him. [Surah Al Bagarah]

Timing of the Fast

Fasting is from dawn (Fajr Adhan) till sunset (Maghrib Adhan).



ُ وَكُلُواْ وَٱشۡرَبُواْ حَتَّىٰ يَتَبَيَّنَ لَكُمُ ٱلْخَيْطُ ٱلْأَبْيَضُ مِنَ ٱلْخَيْطِ ٱلْأَسْوَدِ مِنَ ٱلْفَجْرِ الْأَسْوَدِ مِنَ ٱلْفَجْرِ الْأَسْوَدِ الْأَسْوَدِ مِنَ ٱلْفَجْرِ أَثُمَّ أَتِمُّواْ ٱلصِّيَامَ إِلَى ٱلَّيْلِ ۚ

Two Adhans were called

Abdullah ibn Masood reported that Prophet (عليه الله) said, "Bilal would pronounce the adhan (for the end of the night in order to inform the people about the time of Suhoor) So you eat and drink till you hear the Adhan of Ibn Umm Maktoom (Which was pronounced at the conclusion of the sahri and the commencement of the fast)." (Sahih Muslim)

From SUHOOR to IFTAR



سُحُور Suhoor

The Prophet (عليه said: "Take meal a little before dawn for there is a blessing in taking meal at that time. (Sahih Muslim)

إِفْطار Iftar

The Prophet (عليه وسلم) said:
"The people will continue to
prosper as long as they hasten
the breaking of fast."
(Sahih Muslim)

Dua for Breaking Fast

ذَهَبَ الظَّمَأُ، وَابْتَلَتِ العُروقُ، وَثَبَتَ الأَجْرُ إِنْ شاءَ اللهُ

"The thirst has gone and the veins are quenched, and reward is confirmed, if Allah wills."

Take Note!	



CAN YOU DRAW OR PASTE THE PICTURES OF YOUR HEALTHY FOOD ITEMS FOR SUHOOR AND IFTAR

SUHOOR	IFTAR

MATCH THE ARABIC PARTS OF THE DUA FOR BREAKING FAST WITH IT'S ENGLISH TRANSLATION

إِنْ شـاءَ اللهُ
وَثَبَتَ الأَجْرُ
وَابْتَكَتِ العُروقُ
ذَهَبَ الظَّمَأُ

and reward is confirmed
the thirst has gone
if Allah wills
and the veins are

quenched

NOW WRITE DOWN THE DUA IN ARABIC (IN ORDER)

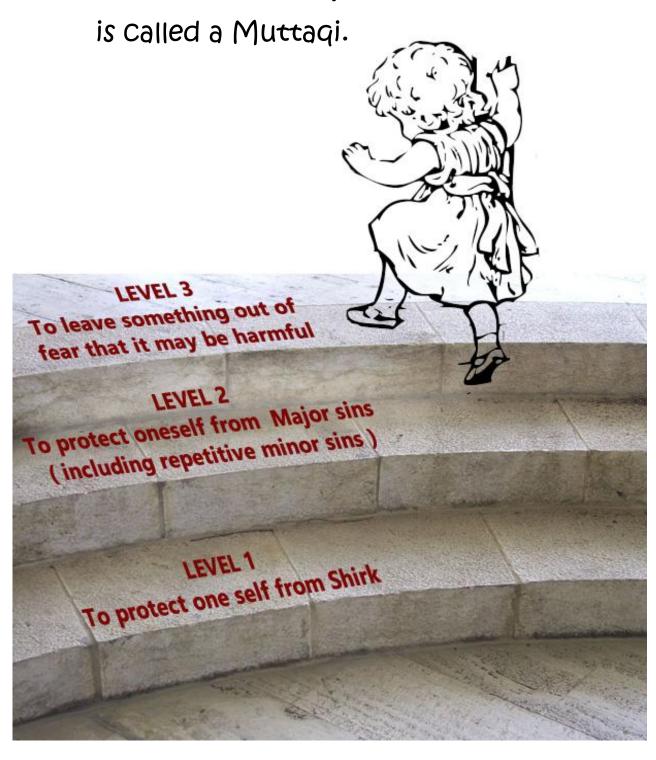
Do you remember the Levels of Taqwa?

The Prophet (sallallahu alahi wasallam) said,
"A person will not reach the level of Muttaqeen
until he leaves something in which there is no harm
out of fear that it may contain some harm."
(At Tirmidhi)



A person who reaches the

3rd level of Taqwa



Qualities of a Muttagi?

* لَّيْسَ ٱلْبِرَّ أَن تُوَلُّواْ وُجُوهَكُمْ قِبَلَ ٱلْمَشْرِقِ وَٱلْمَغْرِبِ وَلَكِكَنَّ ٱلْبِرَّ مَنْ ءَامَنَ بِٱللَّهِ وَٱلْيَوْمِ ٱلْأَخِر وَٱلْمَلَةِكَةِ وَٱلْكِتَابِ وَٱلنَّبِيِّنَ وَءَاتَى ٱلْمَالَ عَلَىٰ حُبِّهِ لَوَى ٱلْقُرْبَولِ وَٱلْيَتَامَىٰ وَٱلْمَسَاكِينَ وَٱبْنَ ٱلسَّبِيلِ وَٱلسَّآبِلِينَ وَفِي ٱلرِّقَابِ وَأَقَامَ ٱلصَّلَوٰةَ وَءَاتَى ٱلزَّكَوٰةَ وَٱلۡمُوفُونَ بِعَهْدِهِمۡ إِذَا عَهَدُواْ ۖ وَٱلصَّبِرِينَ فِي ٱلْبَأْسَاءِ وَٱلضَّرَّاءِ وَحِينَ ٱلْبَأْسِ ۗ أُوْلَتِهِكَ ٱلَّذِينَ صَدَقُوا ۗ وَأُوْلَتِهِكَ هُمُ ٱلْمُتَّقُونَ ﴿

177. it is not Al-Birr (piety, righteousness, and each and Every act of obedience to Allâh, etc.) that you turn your faces towards east and (or) west (in prayers); but Al-Birr is (the quality of) the one who Believes In

Allâh, the Last day, the angels, the Book, the Prophets

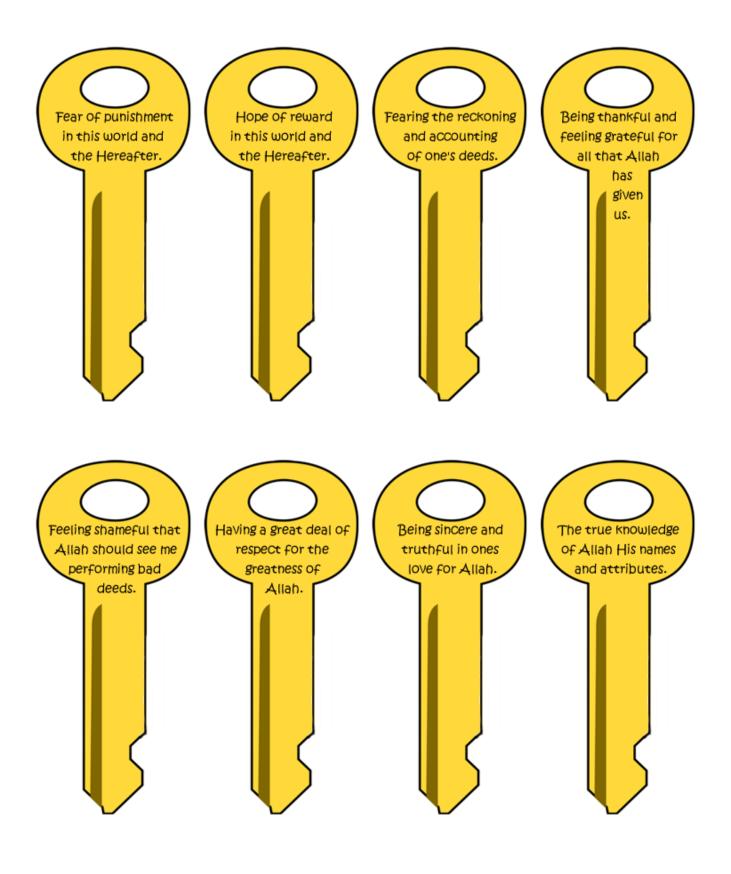
and gives his wealth, In spite of love for it, to the kinsfolk, to the orphans, and to Al-Masâkin (the poor), and to the wayfarer, and to those who ask, and to set slaves free, (performs As-Salât,) and

gives the Zakat) and who fulfill their Covenant

when they make it, and (who are As-Sabirin) (the patient

ones, etc.) in extreme poverty and ailment (disease) and at the time of fighting (during the battles). Such are the people of the Truth and they are Al-Muttagûn. [Surah Al Bagarah]

KEYS to developing Taqwa



Benefits of having Taqwa

Muttageen receives the guidance from Quran.

Allah's help, special closeness and support comes to them. (16:128)

Allah's love comes to them. (9: 4) Allah will remove the fear of punishment and grief from them. (7.35)

Allah gives them furgaan (criterion to judge the right from wrong, good from bad, beneficial from what is harmful).

(8: 29)

Allah provides a way out from difficulties to those who have tagwa. (65:2)

Allah makes matter easy for them. (65:4)

Allah
forgives
their sins
and makes
their
reward
greater.
(65:5)

Allah only accepts deeds from those who have tagwa. If a deed is not done with tagwa it will not be accepted.

(5: 27)

Allah gives
them
prosperity
and
success.
(2:189)

Allah gives glad tidings in both this life and the hereafter to the Muttageen. (10:63,64)

Allah will enter them in Paradise.

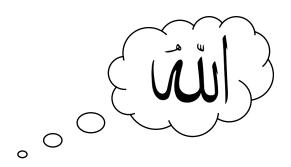
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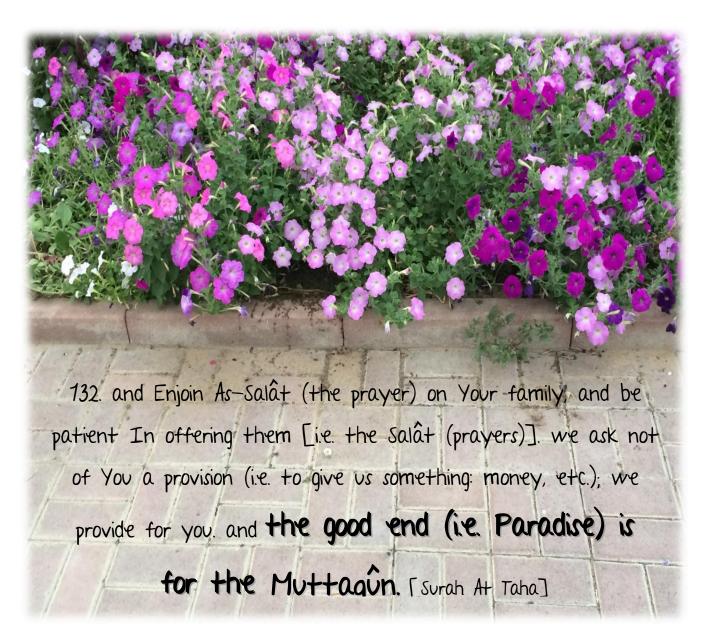
Allah will save them from Hell fire. (19:71,72) Allah will give them honor of being above the rest of creation on the Day of judgment.

(2: 212)

And the Final Result of having Tagwa is here







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MY PLAN TO DEVELOP TAQWA

TARGET QUALITY	ACTION PLAN		
Belief In	I WILL DO THIS TO INCREASE MY KNOWLEDGE OF THE PILLARS OF IMAN		
Allâh, the Last day,			
the angels, the Book,			
the Prophets			
	I WILL GIVE AWAY MY FOLLOWING THINGS TO THOSE WHO NEED		
gives his wealth			
	I WILL DO THE FOLLOWING TO MAKE SURE THAT I PRAY ON TIME		
performs As-Salât			
	MY PAERENTS WILL PAY ZAKAT ON THE FOLLOWING THINGS THIS RAMADAN INSHALLAH		
gives the Zakât	RAIVIADAN INSHALLAN		
fulfill their	THIS IS THE LIST OF PROMISES I MADE. WILL FULFIL THEM INSHALLAH		
Covenant			
who are	I WILL DO THE FOLLOWING TO MAKE SURE THAT I AM MORE PATIENT AT HOME AND OUTSIDE		
As-Sâbirin			

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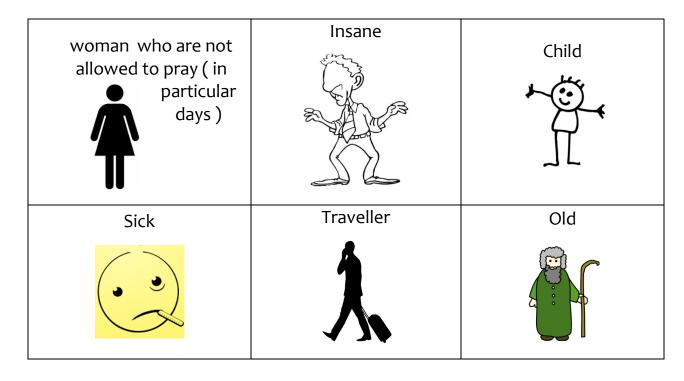
Figh of Sawm

Who has to Fast?



"The month of ramadhan [is that] in which was revealed the Qur'an, a guidance for the people and clear proofs of guidance and criterion. So whoever sights [the new moon of] the month, let him fast it; and whoever is ill or on a journey, then an equal number of other days." (2:185)

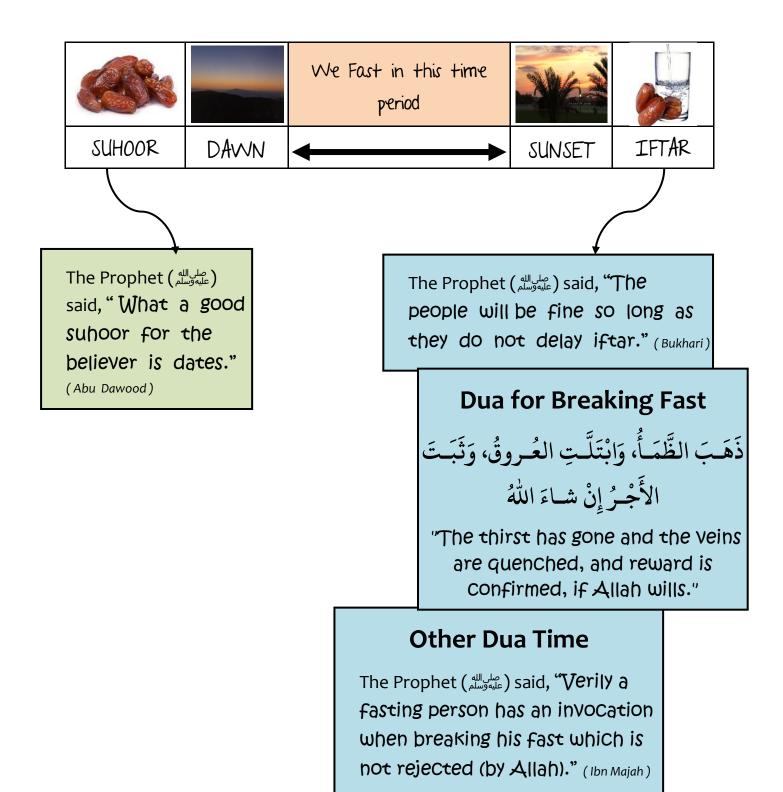
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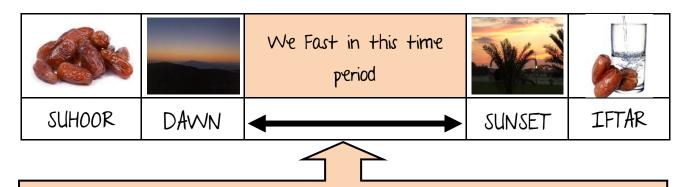


Intention to Fast is a MUST

For	Each day of fasting in Ramadan, that is for the Fard Fasts. For involuntary (Nafl) fast intention from before not necessary. (Muslim)
when	There is no fast for a person who did not intend to fast from the night before. (Abu Dawood)
where	The place of intention is the heart, there is no need to vocalize it.
why	"Actions are according to intentions, and everyone will get what was intended" (Bukhari & Muslim)

Etiquettes of Fasting





The Prophet (مليالله) said, "When any of you is fasting, let him not Commit sin .." (Bukhari)

The Prophet (ﷺ) said, "Whoever does not stop speaking falsehood and acting in accordance with it, Allah has no need of him giving up his food and drink." (Bukhari)

The Prophet (مليالله) said, " If someone fights him and provokes him he should say, ' I am fasting, I am fasting." (Bukhari)

One should not be distracted by quiz-shows, soap operas, movies and sport matches, idle gatherings, hanging about in the streets with evil people and other time-wasters, driving around for no purpose, crowding the streets and sidewalks either at night or during the day.

It is the month of *Tahajjud*, *Dhikr and Ibadah* but for many people, it becomes the month of sleeping in the day so as to avoid feeling hungry, thus missing their prayers and the opportunity to pray them in congregation. This should not be done.

In Ramadan one should be generous by sharing knowledge, giving money, using one's position of authority or physical strength to help others, and having a good attitude.

We should not be eating too much, because the Prophet (عليه said: "The son of Adam fills no worse Vessel than his stomach." (At Tirmidhi)

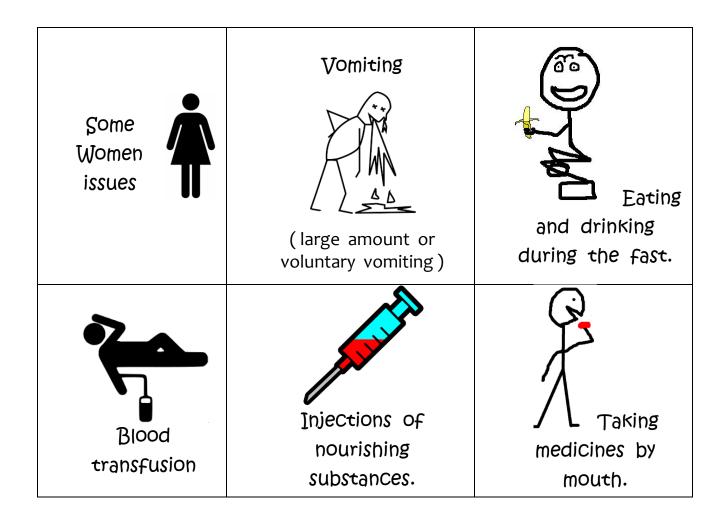




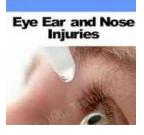
Some Rulings On Fasting

OBLIGATORY	It is Obligatory				
PILLAR	It is a Pillar of Islam				
MAJOR SIN	Breaking a Fard fast without a legitimate excuse is a Major sin				
DISLIKED	Not permissible to single out a Friday or a Saturday for fasting.				
HARAM	Haram to fast on two Eids				
	Haram to fast on Ayyam- al-Tashreeq (11 th ,12 th ,13 th of Zul-Hijjah) except for one who does not have a sacrifice. (Ahmad)				
	To perform Al Wisal i.e, fasting without a break not taking iftar or suhoor both. (Bukhari, Muslim)				
	To fast every day of the year without break. (Bukhari, Muslim)				

Things that BREAK the fast



Things that DO NOT BREAK the fast



According to most correct view supositories, eye drops, ear drops, nose

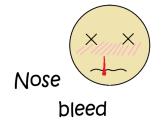
drops, mouth sprays, tablet placed under the tongue, having a tooth extract/filling and treating wounds

do not break the fast if it is not swallowed.

Puffers used for 'asthma' do not break the fast, because this is just compressed gas that goes to the lungs it



that goes to the lungs it is not food, and it is needed at all times.









smelling fragrances

Small amount of involuntary vomiting.

Injections of non-nourishing substances

Eating and drinking out of forgetfulness.

Tasting food to make sure that it is ok, but it should not be swallowed.

Having a blood sample taken does not break the fast and is permissible because it is something that is needed.

Making up The Missed Fasts

أَيَّامًا مَّعْدُودَاتٍ فَمَن كَانَ مِنكُم مَّرِيضًا أَوْ عَلَىٰ سَفَرٍ فَعِدَّةٌ مِّنَ أَيَّامٍ أُخَرَ أَيَّامً وَعَلَى اللَّهِ وَعَلَى اللَّهِ وَعَلَى اللَّهِ عَلَى اللَّهُ اللَّا اللَّا اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللّ

184. [Observing Saum (fasts)] for a fixed number of days, but if any of You is ill or on a journey, the same number (should be made up) from other days. and as for those who can fast with difficulty, (e.g. an old man, etc.), they have (a choice either to fast or) to feed a Miskin (poor person) (for Every day). but whoever does good of his own accord, it is better for Him. and that You fast, it is better for You if Only You Know. [Surah Al Bagarah]

CATEGORY - 1

if any of You is ill or on a journey, the same number (should be made up) from other days.

CATEGORY - 2

as for those who can fast with difficulty, (e.g. an old man, etc.), they have (a choice either to fast or) to feed a Miskîn (poor person) (for Every day).

CATEGORY - 3

If a person dies while his obligatory fast are remaining then his heirs fast on his behalf or give **Fidyah** from his estate as it is a debt to Allah.



Take Note!		



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Brain Time

EVERY MUSLIM ADULT MUST FAST EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING

INTENTION TO FAST IS A MUST

FOR	WHEN	WHERE	WHY

WHAT WILL YOU ${f DO}$ OR ${f NOT}$ ${f DO}$ DURING THE FASTING TIME TO GAIN MORE REWARD FROM ALLAH

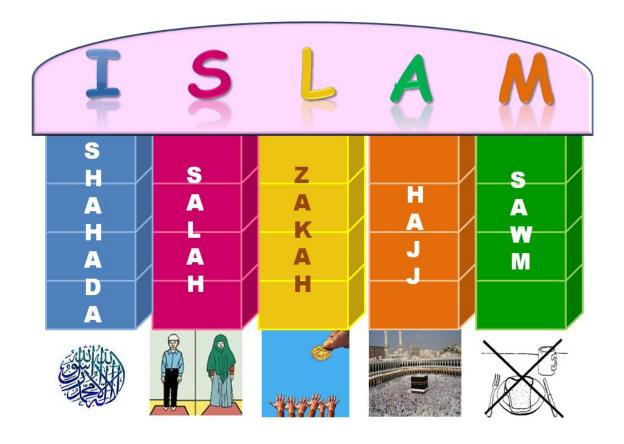
	We Fast in this time period	
DAWN	+	SUNSET

SAWM 06 Zakah

Zakah is a Pillar of Islam

It was narrated that Ibn Umar (رضي الله عنه) said : The Messenger of Allah (ميلي) said:

- "Islam is built on five (pillars):
 - bearing witness that there is no god except Allah and that Muhammad is the Messenger of Allah,
 - o establishing prayer,
 - o paying zakah,
 - o Hajj and
 - o fasting Ramadan." [Narrated by al-Bukhaari, 8; Muslim, 16]



Meaning of Zakah قلقة

Arabic word zakah means "to increase", "to purify "and "to bless".

Zakat is that minimum amount, which a wealthy person is obliged to pay from the surplus of his wealth, every lunar year to the poor according to certain calculations and conditions.

Paying zakah will purify and bless the wealth and also the zakah giver.

Purpose of Zakah

Let's understand Why the rich MUST give away a part of their wealth to the poor



Everything belongs to Allah and hence our wealth also belongs to Allah. Allah has given some people lot of wealth from His bounty. They can enjoy it in halal ways. At the same time, **Allah has commanded** them to share it with those who do not have enough. Following the command brings many benefits.

43. and perform As-Salât (Iqâmat-as-Salât), and **give Zakât**, and Irka' (i.e. bow down or submit yourselves with obedience to Allâh) along with Ar-Raki'ûn. [Surah Al-Bagarah]

Obedience to the command brings blessings to the person, increase in wealth and purification of the soul from greed and selfishness.



خُذْ مِنْ أُمْوَا هِمْ صَدَقَةً تُطَهِّرُهُمْ وَتُزَكِّيهِم بِهَا وَصَلِّ عَلَيْهِمْ ۖ إِنَّ صَلَوْتَكَ سَكَنُ لَّهُمْ ۗ وَٱللَّهُ سَمِيعٌ عَلِيمٌ ۚ

103. take Sadaqah (alms) from their wealth In order to purify them and sanctify them with it, and invoke Allâh for them. Verily! Your invocations are a source of security for them, and Allâh is All-Hearer, All-Knower. [surah At-Taubah]

Zakah is the obligatory portion of charity which a person must give to the poor **to avoid punishment**. It is anyway Allah's wealth, so we have to use it according to His commands.

وَلَا يَحْسَبَنَ ٱلَّذِينَ يَبْخَلُونَ بِمَآءَاتَنهُمُ ٱللَّهُ مِن فَضِلِهِ عَهُوَ خَيْرًا لَّهُم اللَّهُ مَن فَضَلِهِ عَهُوَ خَيْرًا لَّهُم اللَّهُ مَن فَضَلِهِ عَهُو خَيْرًا لَّهُم اللَّهُ مَا تَعْمَلُونَ خَبِيرٌ هَا عَنْكُواْ بِهِ عَيْوَمَ ٱلْقِيَعَمَةِ وَلِلَّهِ مِيرَاثُ ٱلسَّمَوَاتِ وَٱلْأَرْضُ وَٱللَّهُ بِمَا تَعْمَلُونَ خَبِيرٌ هَا

180. and let not those who covetously withhold of that which Allâh has bestowed on them of his Bounty (Wealth) think that it is good for them (and so they do not pay the obligatory Zakât). Nay, it will be worse for them; the things which they covetously withheld shall be tied to their necks like a collar on the Day of Resurrection. and to Allâh belongs the heritage of the heavens and the earth; and Allâh is Well-Acquainted with All that You do. [Surah Imran]

Allah could have given the poor directly if He willed but just see, He gave the rich an **opportunity to earn reward and His pleasure** by giving the poor a portion of their wealth.

<u>Fulfills the needs</u> of the poor, needy and less fortunate people, which promotes peace and love in the society.



Figh of Zakat Al-Maal (Zakah on Wealth)

Who should

Zakah must be paid by every muslim (mature and of sound mind) whose wealth is more than the Nisab.

What is Nisab?

Nisab (نصاب) is the minimum amount for a muslim's total wealth, above which payment of zakat becomes obligatory.



Nisab in terms of gold is the amount equivalent to 85 gm of pure gold. That means if a person's total wealth is more than 85 gm of gold in value, then zakah becomes due on the total wealth.

when



The Zakah is due when the property reaches the *nisab* and is held in possession for 12 lunar months.

With correct Niyyah

The intention is to be made in the heart that one is giving away the Zakah from his wealth at the time of giving it or keeping it aside for distribution.

"Actions are according to intentions, and everyone will get what was intended......"

(Bukhari & Muslim)

	1. Gold (nisab = 85 grams)	
	2. silver (nisab = 595 grams)	SILVER
On	3. Cash (nisab = nisab of gold).	TOTAL AND STATE OF THE STATE OF
On what	4. Livestock	
	5. Land produce (every grain that can be stored such as barley, wheat, dates, raisins etc.) (the nisab is approx 612 kg)	
	6. Commercial stocks (nisab = nisab of gold).	Any kind of item in possession for sale.

For GOLD, SILVER, CASH and **COMMERCIAL STOCKS**, How the Zakah is 2.5 % of the total value of Much the wealth if above nisab. For LIVESTOCK and LAND PRODUCE, it is different. 1) The poor 2) The needy 3) Those who work to collect zakah To 4) Those inclined towards Islam or new Muslims Whom 5) Freeing of Slaves 6) Clearing of debts 7) In the way of Allah 8) The helpless and stranded travelers يَوْمَ شُكِمَىٰ عَلَيْهَا فِي نَارِ جَهَنَّمَ فَتُكُوك بِهَا جِبَاهُهُمْ وَجُنُوبُهُمْ وَظُهُورُهُمْ فَعَنَا مَا كَنَرْتُمْ لِأَنفُسِكُمْ فَذُوقُواْ مَا وَجُنُوبُهُمْ وَظُهُورُهُمْ فَعَندًا مَا كَنَرْتُمْ لِأَنفُسِكُمْ فَذُوقُواْ مَا كُنتُمْ تَكْنِزُونَ ﴿ What ifone 35. on the Day when that (Al-Kanz: money, gold and silver, does etc., the Zakât of which has not been paid) will be heated not In the Fire of Hell and with it will be branded their pay foreheads, their flanks, and their backs, (and it will be said unto them):- "This is the treasure which you hoarded for yourselves, now taste of what You used to hoard." [Surah At-Taubah]



Figh of Zakat Al-Fitr

Why	The Messenger of Allah (علواله) enjoined zakat al-fitr as a purification for the fasting person from idle and obscene speech, and to feed the poor. Whoever gives it before the prayer, it is zakat al-fitr, and whoever gives it after the prayer, it is ordinary charity. [Abu Dawood, classed as hasan by al-Albaani]
Who should give	Zakat al-fitr is obligatory upon all muslims who are mature, sane and free of need . Such a person must give zakat al-fitr on behalf of all under his care whether they are young or old, male or female, free or slave.
To whom	to the poor and needy.
When	It is obligatory to give it before the Eid prayer . There is nothing wrong with giving it one or two days before the Eid.
How Much	One Saa of any staple food per person. The staple food should be that of the people where the zakat al-fitr is distributed. Staple food is the food item which the people of any area eat regularly. One Saa is approximately equal to 3 kg.

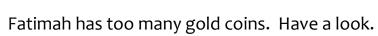




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CAN YOU HELP ME CALCULATE FATIMAH'S ZAKAT AL-MAAL









285 gm

Nisab for gold is 85 gm

Should Fatimah pay Zakah on her gold coins?				
If yes, then for how many grams of gold, she has to pay zakah?				

IF YOU ARE LIVING WITH YOUR FATHER AND MOTHER AND HAVE A SMALL BABY AT HOME, THEN HOW MUCH ZAKAT AL-FITR YOUR FATHER WILL HAVE TO PAY ?

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What to do on the Eid Al-Fitr Day



1 - Doing ghusl before going out to the prayer.



2 - Adorning oneself on the occasion of Eid.

It was narrated that Jabir (رضي الله عنه) said: The Prophet (عليه والله) had a cloak which he would wear on the two Eids and on Fridays. [Saheeh Ibn Khuzaymah] With regard to women, they should avoid adorning themselves when they go out for Eid, because they are forbidden to show off their adornments to non-mahram men.



3 - Eating before going out to pray on Eid al-Fitr

Messenger of Allah (مطياله) did not go out on the morning of Eid al-Fitr until he had eaten some dates.

الله أكبر الله أكبر لا إلّه الا الله الله أكبر الله اكبر و لله الحمد

4 - Takbeer on the day of Eid

Saying takbeer when coming out of one's house to the prayer place and until the imam came out was something that was well known among the salaf (early generations).

The time for takbeer on Eid al-Fitr starts from the night before Eid until the imam enters to lead the Eid prayer.



5 – Zakat Al-Fitr (should be given before Eid Salah)





6 - Eid Salah

The Salat-ul-Eid-ul-Fitr, is offered when the sun has reached at a good height above the horizon, in the forenoon, in the early hours after sunrise. There is no adhan or Igamah.

Aisha (رضي الله عنها) said: "The Apostle of Allah (مصلوالله) would say the Takbeer seven times in the first rakah and five times in the second rakah on the day of the breaking of the fast and on the day sacrifice. There is a Khutbah after the salah.



7 - Offering congratulations

The etiquette of Eid also includes the good wishes exchanged by people such as saying to one another *Taqabbala Allaah minna wa minkum* (May Allaah accept (good deeds) from us and from you".



8 – Going to the prayer by one route and returning by another.

It was said that the reason for that was so that the two routes would testify for him on the Day of Resurrection.



Note!	





MAKE YOUR PLAN FOR THE EID DAY HERE, KEEPING IN MIND THE EID ETIQUETTES

This	is	MY	Eid	Day	!



سُبْحَانَكَ اللَّهُمَّ وَ بِحَمْدِكَ أَشْهَدُ أَنْ لاَّ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ إِلَيْكَ أَلْمُ الْمُؤْمِدُ اللَّهُ اللّهُ الللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ الللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ اللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ الللّهُ اللللللّه

Glory is to You, O Allah, and praise is to You. I bear witness that there is none worthy of worship but You. I seek Your forgiveness and repent to You.

(Whatever is authentic and sound is from Allah and His messenger (عليه وسلم) and whatever is wrong is from me.)

