All praise be to Allah the Lord of the worlds.

May Allah send blessings upon our master Muḥammad His Prophet

and upon his Household and may He salute them with thorough salutation.

O Allah, all praise be to You

for Your decree that has been applied

to Your vicegerents whom You have purely selected for Yourself and Your religion;

as You have chosen for them the abundance of what You have in possession;

that is the enduring pleasure

that neither vanishes nor diminishes,

after You had already stipulated on them to renounce

all the ranks of this lowly world

along with all of its embellishments and ornaments,

and they accepted this stipulation.

As You knew that they would fulfill this stipulation,

You accepted and drew them near to You.

You thus provided them with sublime mention

and obvious approval,

made Your angels descend to them,

حَمْدُ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ ٱلْعَالَمِب لَّهُمَّ لَكَ ٱلْحَمْدُ مَا جَرَىٰ بِهِ قَضَاوً مِنَ ٱلنَّعِيمِ ٱلْمُقِيمِ شرطوأ لك ذلا

honored them with Your revelations,

supported them with Your knowledge,

and made them the channel to You

and the means to winning Your pleasure.

Therefore, You made some of them dwell in Your Garden

until You decided to take him out of there.

You bore another one on in Your Ark

and saved him and those who believed with

from perdition, out of Your mercy.

You took another one as Your intimate friend

and when he asked You to leave behind him a truthful mention, You responded to him

and made that (mention) to be eminent.

You spoke to another one from a tree directly

and decided his brother to be his protector and representative.

You made another one to be born without a father,

gave him clear-cut proofs

and aided him with the Sacred Spirit.

For each of them, You gave a code of law,

وَجَعَلْتَ ذَٰلِكَ عَلِيّاً وَبَعْضُ كَلَّمْتَهُ مِنْ شَجَرَةٍ تَكْلِيماً وَجَعَلْتَ لَهُ مِنْ أُخِيهِ رِدْءاً وَوَزِيراً وَبَعْضُ أُوْلَدْ تَهُ مِنْ غَيْرِ أَبٍ وَآتَيْتَهُ ٱلْبَيِّنَاتِ وَأَيَّدْتَهُ بِرُوحِ ٱلْقُدُسِ وَكُلُّ شَرَعْتَ لَهُ شَرِيعَةً decided a certain course,

and finely chose successors;

well-trustworthy successors one after another,

each for a certain period,

in purpose of establishing Your religion

and acting as arguments against Your servants,

so that the truth should never leave its position

and the wrong should never overcome the people of the truth

and so that none should claim, saying,

"If only You had sent to us a warning messenger

and established for us a guiding person,

we should have followed Your signs before that we met humiliation and disgrace!"

You then ended the matter with Your mostbeloved and well-select one, Muḥammad,

may Allah bless him and his Household.

He was—as exactly as You have chosen—

the master of all those whom You created,

the best of all those whom You selected,

عُحَّةً عَلَى 'عِبَادِكَ وَ ٱلبَاطِلَ عَلَى الْهُلهُ وَلاَ يَقُولَ أَحَدٌ وَأَقَمْتَ لَنَا عَلَماً هَادِياً آياتِكَ مِنْ قَبْل وَصفوة مَن أصطف

the most favorite of all those whom You pointed out,

and the noblest of all those on whom You decided.

So, You preferred him to Your prophets,

sent him to the two dependents (men and jinn) from Your servants,

enabled him to tread on the east and the west of Your lands,

made subservient to him the Burāq (the celestial sumpter),

raised his soul to Your heavens,

and entrusted with him the knowledge of whatever passed

and whatever shall come to pass up to the extinction of Your creatures.

You then granted him victory by means of horror

ordered (Archangels) Gabriel and Michael

as well as the marked angels to surround him,

and promised him to make his faith prevail all other faiths

however much the polytheists may be averse.

You did all that after You had settled him in an honest position among his people,

made for him and them the first house

ever located for the people; that is the house in Bakkah,

وَسَخُرْتَ لَهُ ٱلْدُاقِ وَأُوْدَعْتُهُ عَلْمَ مَا كَانَ

وَلَوْ كَرِهَ ٱلْمُشْرِكُونَ وَذَٰلِكَ بَعْدَ أَنْ بَوَّأْتَهُ مُبَوَّأً صِدْقٍ مِن أَهْلِهِ

> وَجَعَلْتَ لَهُ وَلَهُمْ أُوَّلَ بَيْتٍ وُضِعَ لِلنَّاسِ لَلَّذي بِبَكَّةَ

blessed and guidance for the worlds.

In it, there are clear-cut proofs.

It is the standing-place of Abraham,

and whoever enters it will be secured.

You also said, "Allah only desires to keep away the uncleanness from you,

O people of the House,

and to purify you a thorough purifying."

You then decided the reward of Muḥammad,

Your blessings be upon him and his Household,

to be the love for them; as in Your Book

You said, "Say: I do not ask of you any reward for it

but love for my near relatives."

You also said, "Whatever reward I have asked of you, that is only for yourselves."

You also said, "I do not ask you aught in return

except that he who wills, may take the way to his Lord."

They (i.e. the Prophet's Household) have therefore been the way to You

and the course to Your pleasure.

مُبَارَكاً وَهُدي لِلْعَالَمِي فِيهِ آيَاتٌ يَتِّنَاتٌ مَقَامُ إِبْرَاهِيمَ مَهُ: دُخَلَهُ كَانَ آمِنا ءٌّ حَعَلْتُ أَحْ َ مُحَةً صَلَواتُكَ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ مَوَدَّتَهُمْ فِي كِتَابِكَ فَقُلْتَ «قُل ْ لا أَسْأَلُكُمْ عَلَيْهِ أَجْر إِلاَّ ٱلْمَوَدَّةَ فِي ٱلْقَرْبَيٰ.»

وَقُلْتَ «مَا أَسْأَلُكُمْ عَلَيْهِ مِنْ أَجْرٍ إِلاَّ مَنْ شَاءَ أَنْ يَتَّخِذَ إِلَىٰ رَبِّهِ سَبِيلاً.» فَكَانُواْ هُمُ ٱلسَّبِيلَ إِلَيْكَ وَٱلْمَسْلَكَ إِلَىٰ رضْوَانكَ When his (i.e. the Prophet) days passed,

he appointed as successor his vicegerent `Alī the son of Abū-Ṭālib,

Your blessings be upon both of them and their Household,

because he (the Prophet) was the warner

and `Alī was the guide for every people.

So, he (the Prophet) said in the presence of the people,

"As for each one who has taken me as his master,

`Alī is now his master.

O Allah, guard any one who is loyal to `Alī,

be the enemy of any one who antagonizes him,

support any one who supports him,

and disappoint any one who disappoints him."

He also said, "As for any one who has considered me as his Prophet, `Alī is now his commander."

He also said, "`Alī and I are of the same tree,

while all the other peoples are from various trees."

He endued him (i.e. `Alī) with the position that (Prophet) Aaron had with regard to (Prophet) Moses,

saying, "Your position to me is as same as Aaron's position to Moses (in every thing)

فَلَمَّا ٱنْقَضَتْ أَتَّامُهُ فَقَالَ وَٱلْمَلَأُ أَمَامَهُ: "مَ٠، كُنْتُ مَوْلاَهُ هُمَّ وَال مَنْ وَالاهُ وَعَادِ مَنْ عَادَاهُ وَأَخْذَلْ مَنْ خَذَلَهُ."

وَقَالَ: "أَنَا وَعَلِي ُّمِنْ شَجَرَةٍ وَاحِدَةٍ وَسَائِرُ ٱلنَّاسِ مِنْ شَجَرٍ شَتَّىٰ." وَأَحَلَّهُ مَحَلَّ هَارُونَ مِنْ مُوسَىٰ فَقَالَ لَهُ: "أَنْتَ مِنِّي بِمَنْزِلَةٍ هَارُونَ مِنْ مُوسَىٰ except that there shall be no prophet after me."

He gave him in marriage his daughter the doyenne of the women of the worlds.

He allowed him (alone) to do whatever he himself is allowed to do in his Mosque.

He closed all the doors (to the Mosque) except his (i.e. `Alī) door.

He then entrusted with him his knowledge and his wisdom,

saying, "I am the city of knowledge,

and `Alī is its door.

So, whoever wants this city and wisdom,

must come to it from its door."

He then said (to `Alī), "You are my brother, successor, and inheritor.

Your flesh is part of my flesh,

your blood is part of my blood,

your peace is my peace,

your war is my war,

and faith is mixed with your flesh and blood

as same as it is mixed with my flesh and blood.

On the morrow, you shall be my vicegerent on the (Divine) Pond.

You also settle my debts

and fulfill my commitments.

نساء ألعالم ثُمَّ أُوْدَعَهُ عِلْمَهُ وَحِكْمَتَهُ فَقَالَ: "أَنَا مَدِينَةٌ ٱلْعِ فَمَنْ أَرَادَ ٱلْمَدِينَةَ وَٱلْحِكْ فَلْيَأْتِهَا مِنْ بَابِهَا. وَأَنْتُ تَقَضِي دَيْنِي

Your Shī`ah (i.e. adherents) shall be on pulpits of light,

white-faced, around me in Paradise.

They are my neighbors (therein).

Were it not for you `Alī,

true believers would not be recognized after me."

Hence, he (i.e. `Alī), after the Prophet, was true guidance against straying off,

light against blindness,

the firmest rope of Allah,

and His straight path.

None would precede him in blood relation (with the Prophet)

or any priority in a religious affair,

and none would ever match him in any item of virtue.

He patterned after the Messenger,

may Allah's blessings be upon both of them and their Household.

He fought for the sake of true interpretation (of the Qur'ān).

The blame of any blamer would never stop him from doing anything for the sake of Allah.

He thus exterminated the villains of the Arabs,

killed their heroes,

and eradicated their ferocious fighters.

عَنْلَ ٱللَّهِ ٱلْمَتِي وَصِراطَهُ ٱلْمُسْتَقِي وَيُقَاتِلُ عَلَىٰ ٱلتَّأُويِل وَقَتَلَ أَبْطَالَهُمْ ەَنَاوَش<sub>َ</sub>، ذُوْبَانَهُمْ He therefore filled in their hearts with malice

from the battles of Badr, Khaybar, and Hunayn as well as others.

Therefore, they clang inseparably to opposing him

and attached upon dissenting him

until he had to kill the preachers, the unjust, and the apostates.

When he passed away

and he was killed by the most miserable of all of the late generations who will be attached to the most miserable of the past generations,

the decree of Allah's Messenger,

may Allah bless him and his Household,

about the leadership of the successive guiding ones was not carried out;

rather, the people insisted on detesting him

and agreed unanimously on rupturing their relations with him

and moving away his descendants (from leadership),

except for a few ones who fulfilled the duty of observing their rights.

Many (of `Alī's descendants) were therefore slain,

many others were taken as captives,

فَأُوْدَعَ قُلُونَهُمْ أَحْقَاداً ضَتَّتْ عَلَے ٰ عَدَاوَتِهِ ٱلنَّاكِثِينَ وَٱلْقَاسِهِ صَلِّي ٰ ٱللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ لأمَّةُ مُصِرَّةٌ عَلَم ا وإقصاء ولده ل مِمَّنْ وَفَيٰ لِرِعَايَةِ ٱلحَقَ

and many others were banished.

Decrees were thus applied to them

in a form expected to grant them excellent reward for that.

Verily, the earth is Allah's;

He gives it in inheritance to whomever of His servants that He wishes;

and the end result shall be for the pious.

All glory be to our Lord.

Most certainly, the promise of our Lord shall come to pass.

Allah shall never fail to fulfill His promise.

He is the Almighty, the All-wise.

For the immaculate ones from the household of Muḥammad and `Alī,  $\,$ 

may Allah bless both of them and their household,

let weepers weep.

For them too, let lamenters lament.

For the like of them, let tears be shed,

screamers scream,

yellers yell,

and wailers wail.

وَٱلْعَاقِيَةُ لِلْمُتَّقِي َىٰ يُخلِفَ ٱللَّهُ وَعُ هَ نَعِجَّ ٱلْعَاحُّهِ نَ

Where is al-Ḥasan? Where is al-Ḥusayn?

Where are the sons of al-Ḥusayn;

a virtuous one after another,

and a veracious one after another?

Where is the course (to Allah) after a course?

Where is the best after the best?

Where are the rising suns?

Where are the shining moons?

Where are the brilliant stars?

Where are the authorities of the religion

and the foundations of knowledge?

Where is the left by Allah

that is always represented by individuals from the guiding (Prophetic) offspring?

Where is the one prepared for cutting off the roots of the wrongdoers?

Where is the one awaited for mending every unevenness and crookedness?

Where is the one hoped for removing oppression and aggression?

Where is the one spared for refreshing the duties and traditions?

Where is the one chosen for restoring the faith and the code of law?

أَدْنَ ٱلْحَسَنُ ٱبْنَ ٱلْ أَنْنَ ٱلْحُدَةُ تَعْدَ ٱلْحُدَةُ أَدْنَ ٱلأَنْجُمُ ٱلزَّاهِرَةَ أَنْنَ نَقتَةُ ٱللَّه ٱلْتِي لاَ تَخُلُو مِنَ ٱلْعِتْرَةِ ٱلْهَادِيةِ أينَ ٱلْمُعَدُّ لِقَطْعِ دَابِرِ ٱلظَّلَمَةِ لْمُنْتَظَرُ لِإِقَامَةِ ٱلأَمْتِ وَٱلعِوَجِ ٱلمُرْتجي لإزالةِ ٱلجَوْرِ وَٱلعُدُوانِ أَنْنَ ٱلْمُدَّخَرُ لِتَجْدِيدِ ٱلْفَرَائِطُ

والسس أَيْنَ ٱلْمُتَخَيَّرُ لإِعَادَةِ ٱلْمِلَّةِ وَٱلشَّرِيعَةِ Where is the one expected to restore to life the Book and its provisions?

Where is the reviver of the elements of the religion and its people?

Where is the one shattering the arms of the aggressors?

Where is the one demolishing the edifices of polytheism and hypocrisy?

Where is the one annihilating the people of wickedness,

disobedience, and tyranny?

Where is the one uprooting the branches of error and insurgence?

Where is the one effacing the traces of evasiveness and personal desires?

Where is the one severing the ropes of fabrication and forgery?

Where is the one terminating the insolent defiant and persistent rebels?

Where is the one tearing up the people of obstinacy, misleading, and atheism?

Where is the one ennobling the saints and humiliating the enemies?

Where is the one bringing together (all scattered) words to piety?

Where is the door of Allah from which Allah is come?

Where is the Face of Allah towards whom the saints turn their faces.

Where is the means of access that is connectedly extended between the earth and the heavens.

ٱلْمُؤَمَّلُ لإحْيَاءِ ٱلْكِتَامِ أَبْنَ قَاصِمُ شُوْكَةِ ٱ لعِصيَان وَٱلطَّغْمَان دُ ٱلْعُتَاةِ وَٱلْمَرَ أصِل أهْل آلعِنادِ وَ والإلحاد هُ آللهِ الذِي

أَيْنَ ٱلسَّبَبُ ٱلْمُتَّصِلُ بَيْنَ ٱلأَرْضِ وَٱلسَّمَاءِ Where is the patron of the Conquest Day

and the stretcher of the pennon of true guidance?

Where is the one reunifying the dispersed parts of uprightness and contentment?

Where is the one demanding with the vengeance of the Prophets and their sons?

Where is the one demanding with the blood of the one slain in Karbalā'?

Where is the one granted aid against whomever transgresses and forges lies against him?

Where is the distressed who is answered when he prays?

Where is the forepart of the creatures who enjoys dutifulness and piety?

Where is the son of the well-chosen Prophet,

the son of `Al $\bar{\text{\i}}$  the well-pleased,

the son of Khadījah the glittery lady,

and the son of Fāṭimah the grand lady?

May my father and mother be ransoms for you.

May my soul be protection and shield for you.

O son of the chiefs drawn near!

O son of the most honorable, outstanding ones!

O son of the guiding and well-guided ones!

اشر رائة الهد وَٱبْنُ عَلِيٍّ ٱلْمُرْ تَضَيُّ أنت وأمِّے

رابن حَدِيجَةَ اَلْغَرَّاءِ وَأَبْنُ فَاطِمَةَ اَلْكُبْرَىٰ وَأَبْنُ فَاطِمَةَ اَلْكُبْرَىٰ بِأَبِي أَنْتَ وَأُمِّي وَنَفْسِي لَكَ اَلْوِقَاءُ وَالْحِمَى يَا بْنَ السَّادَةِ الْمُقَرَّبِينَ يَا بْنَ النُّجَبَاءِ الْأَكْرَمِينَ يَا بْنَ النُّجَبَاءِ الْأَكْرَمِينَ O son of the ever-best refined ones!

O son of the all-liberal and all-select ones!

O son of the immaculate and purified ones!

O son of the ample-giving, finely elected ones!

O son of the bounteous, most honorable ones!

O son of light-giving full moons!

O son of beaming lanterns!

O son of piercing flames!

O son of luminous stars!

O son of patent ways!

O son of obvious signs!

O son of perfect knowledge!

O son of renowned traditions!

O son of well-established features!

O son of well-known miracles!

O son of widely witnessed demonstrations!

O son of the straight path!

O son of the great news!

O son of him who is elevated and full of wisdom in the original of the Book with Allah.

يَا بْنَ ٱلْبُدُورِ ٱلْمُنيرَةِ يَا بْنَ ٱلسُّرُجِ ٱلْمُضِيئَ يًا بْنَ ٱلأَنْجُم ٱلزَّاهِرَةِ يَا بْنَ ٱلسُّبُلِ ٱلْوَاضِحَةِ يَا بْنَ ٱلأَعْلاَمِ ٱللاَّئِح يَا بْنَ ٱلْعُلُومِ ٱلْكَامِلَةِ يَا بْنَ ٱلسَّنَنِ ٱلْمَشْهُورَةِ

يَا بْنَ ٱلْمَعَالِمِ ٱلْمَأْثُورَةِ

يًا بْنَ ٱلْمُعْجِزَاتِ ٱلْمَوْ

يَا بْنَ مَنْ هُوَ فِي أُمِّ ٱلْكِتَابِ لَدَى ۗ ٱللَّهِ

عَلِیٌّ حَکِیمٌ

O son of signs and manifestations!

O son of apparent points of evidence!

O son of clear-cut and dazzling substantiations!

O son of conclusive arguments!

O son of superabundant bounties!

O son of Ṭāhā and the decisive (verses)!

O son of Yāsīn and al-Dhāriyāt (the winnowing winds)!

O son of al-Ṭūr (the Mount of Revelation) and al-ʿĀdiyāt (the running steeds)!

O son of him who drew near and then bowed;

he therefore was the measure of two bows or closer still;

nearness and closeness to the Most High and Most Exalted (Lord)!

How I wonder! Where has farness taken you?

Or which land or soil is carrying you?

Is it on (Mount) Radwā or elsewhere on (Mount) Dhī-Ṭuwā?

It is hard for me that I can see all creatures but I can neither see you

nor can I hear any whisper or confidential talk from you!

It is hard for me that ordeals encompass you, not me

بْنَ ٱلآَنَاتِ وَٱلْمَتِّنَاهِ يَا بْنَ ٱلدَّلاَئِلِ ٱلظَّاهِرَاتِ ألواضحات ألباهرات يَا بْنَ ٱلْحُجَجِ ٱلْبَالِغَاتِ يَا بْنَ ٱلنَعَمِ ٱلسَّابِغَاتِ ألطّور وألْعَادِيَاتِ رَضْوَىٰ أَوْ غَيْرِهَا أَمْ ذِي عَزِيزٌ عَلَىَّ أَنْ تُحِيطَ بِكَ دُونِ and neither cry nor complaint from me can rally round you!

May my soul be ransom for you; for although you are hidden from us, you have never forsaken us.

May my soul be ransom for you; for although you are away, you have never been away from us.

May my soul be ransom for you; for you are the wish of an eager

believing man or woman who mention you and miss you.

May my soul be ransom for you; for you are an unmatched pioneer of dignity.

May my soul be ransom for you; for you are an unrivaled origin of glory.

May my soul be ransom for you; for you are unparalleled center of bounties.

May my soul be ransom for you; for you are unequaled in all-inclusive honor.

Until when will I be bewildered about you, O my master, and until when?

In what kind of statement and in what kind of talk can I describe you?

It is hard for me that I can receive answers and words, but you cannot.

It is hard for me that I weep for you but the others disappoint you.

It is hard for me that what has happened afflict you other than all the others.

Is there any helper with whom I may lament and bewail as much as I wish?

انت مِنْ نصِيفِ شَرَفِ لاَ

نْ مُعِين فَأَطِيلَ مَعَهُ ٱلْعَويلُ

وَٱلْبُكَاءَ

Is there any aggrieved one whom I can help in grief when he becomes tired?

Is there any eye moling out and thus my eye may help it to mol out more?

Is there any way to meet you, O son of Aḥmad (the Prophet)?

Will our day be promised to catch your day and we will thus achieve our hope?

When will we be able to join your refreshing springs and we will then be satiated?

When will we quench our thirst from your fresh water,

because thirst has been too long?

When will we accompany you in coming and going so that our eyes will be delighted?

When will you see us and we see you spreading the pennon of victory?

Can it be that we surround you while you are leading the groups,

after you will have filled in the earth with justice,

tasted your enemies humiliation and punishment,

annihilated the insolent defiant and the deniers of the truth,

cut off the roots of the arrogant,

eradicated the sources of the wrongdoers,

and we keep on saying, "All praise be to Allah the Lord of the worlds?"

هَلْ مِنْ جَزُوعٍ فَأُسَاعِدَ جَزَعَهُ إِذَا خَلاَ هَلْ قَذِيَتْ عَيْنُ فَسَاعَدَتْهَا عَيْنِي عَلَىٰ ٱلْقَذَىٰ

مَتَىٰ نُغَادِيكَ وَتُراوِحُكَ فَنُقِرَّ عَيْناً مَتَىٰ تَرانَا وَنَراكَ وَقَدْ نَشَرْتَ لِوَاءَ ٱلنَّصْرِ تُرَىٰ

اَتَرَانَا نَحُفِّ بِكَ وَآنْتَ تَوُّمُّ ٱلْمَلَا وَقَدْ مَلَاْتَ ٱلأَرْضَ عَدْلاً وَأَذَقْتَ أَعْدَاءَكَ هَوَاناً وَعِقَاباً وَأَبَرْتَ ٱلْعُتَاةَ وَجَحَدَةَ ٱلْحَقِّ وَقَطَعْتَ دَابِرَ ٱلْمُتَكَبِّرِينَ وَقَطَعْتَ دَابِرَ ٱلْمُتَكَبِّرِينَ وَأَجْتَثَثْتَ أُصُولَ ٱلظَّالِمِينَ

وَنَحْنُ نَقُولُ ٱلْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ ٱلْعَالَمِينَ

O Allah, You are verily the reliever from agonies and ordeals.

To You do I complain about the transgressions against me, for You alone are worthy of receiving complaints,

and You are alone the Lord of the Hereafter and this world.

So, (please) aid Your agonized worthless servant, O Aide of those who seek aid,

grant him (i.e. Your servant) chance to see his master, O Lord of mighty prowess,

remove from him misfortune and anguish, in the name of his master,

and satisfy his thirst, O He Who is established on the Throne

and He to Whom is the return and the final goal.

O Allah, we are Your servants who are fervently willing to meet Your vicegerent,

who reminds of You and Your Prophet;

and whom You have created as haven and refuge for us,

You have appointed as foundation and source of protection for us,

and whom You have made to be the leader of the believers among us.

So, (please) convey to him greetings and salutations from us,

endue us with more honor, O my Lord, through that,

decide his settlement among us to be settlement and dwelling for us,

ٱللَّهُمَّ أَنْتَ كَشَّافُ ٱلكَّرَبِ وَٱلْ وَأَنْتَ رَبُّ ٱلآَجِرَةِ وَٱلدُّثُّ وَأُرِهِ سَيِّدَهُ يَا شُدِيدَ يلهُ يَا مَنْ عَلَىٰ

ٱلْمُذَكَرِ بِكَ وَبِنَبِيِّكَ خَلَقْتَهُ لَنَا عِصْمَةً وَمَلاَذاً وَأَقَمْتَهُ لَنَا عِصْمَةً وَمَلاَذاً وَأَقَمْتَهُ لَنَا قِواماً وَمَعَاذاً وَجَعَلْتَهُ لِلْمُؤْمِنِينَ مِنَّا إِمَاماً فَبَلِّغُهُ مِنَّا تَحِيَّةً وَسَلاَماً وَرَدْنَا بِذَلِكَ يَا رَبِّ إِكْراماً وَمُقَاماً وَمُقَاماً وَمُقَاماً وَمُقَاماً وَمُقَاماً وَمُقَاماً

and perfect Your bounty by making him occupy the leading position before us

so that You shall allow us to enter the gardens of Your Paradise

and to accompany the martyrs from among Your elite ones.

O Allah, (please) send blessings upon Muḥammad and the Household of Muḥammad;<sup>(1)</sup>

and send blessings upon Muḥammad his grandfather and Your messenger;

the senior master,

وأَثْمِمْ نِعْمَتَكَ بِتَقْدِيمِكَ إِيَّاهُ أَمَامَنَا حَتَّىٰ تُورِدَنَا جِنَانَكَ وَمُرَافَقَةَ ٱلشُّهَدَاءِ مِنْ خُلَصَائِكَ اَللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَىٰ مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ وَصَلِّ عَلَىٰ مُحَمَّدٍ جَدِّهِ وَرَسُولِكَ السَّيِّدِ الأَّكْبَرِ

O Allah, (please) send blessings upon Your argument and the authority by Your command.

And bless his grandfather Muḥammad Your messenger;

the senior master.

And bless his father

the valiant master,

the bearer of the Pennon in the Resurrection,

the server of his loyalists with water from the River Kawthar, the commander on all the other human beings;

whoever believes in him will be the winner

but whoever disbelieves in him will put himself at risk and will abandon the religion.

May Allah bless him and his brother (the Prophet) as well as their descendants, the blessed and white-faced, with such blessing that continues as long as the sun rises and the moon illumines. Blessings be also upon his grand veracious grandmother

Fāṭimah the Luminous and upon his dutiful fathers whom You have chosen (over all others)... allāhumma şalli `alā ḥujjatika

wa waliyyi amrika

wa salli `alā jaddihī muḥammadin rasūlika

alssayyidi al-akbari

wa şalli `alā abīhi alssayyidi alqaswari

wa hāmili alliwā' i fī almahshari

wa sāqī awliyā'ihī min nahri alkawthari

wal-amīri `alā sā'iri albashari

alladhī man āmana bihī faqad zafara

wa man lam yu'min bihī faqad khaṭara wa kafara

şallā allāhu `alayhi wa `alā akhīhi

wa `alā anjālihimā almayāmīni alghurari

mā ṭala`at shamsun wa mā aḍā'a gamarun

wa `alā jaddatihī alşşiddīqati alkubrā

fāṭimata alzzahrā'i

wa `alā man iṣṭafayta min ābā'ihī albararati اَللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَى حُجَّتِكَ

وَوَلِيٍّ أَمْرِكَ

وَصَلِّ عَلَى ٰ جَدِّهِ مُحَمَّدٍ رَسُولِكَ

ٱلسَّيِّدِ ٱلأَكْبَرِ وَصَلِّ عَلَى ٰأَبِيهِ

ٱلسَّيِّدِ ٱلْقَسْوَر

وَحَامِلِ ٱللِّوَاءِ فِي ٱلْمَحْشَرِ

وَسَاقِي أُوْلِيَاءهِ مِنْ نَهْرِ ٱلْكَوْثَرِ

وَٱلأَمِيرِ عَلَىٰ سَائِرِ ٱلْبَشَر

ٱلَّذِي مَنْ آمَنَ بِهِ فَقَدْ ظَفَرَ

وَمَنْ لَمْ يُؤْمِنْ بِهِ فَقَدْ خَطَرَ وَكَفَرَ

صَلَّى ٰ ٱللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَى ٰ أَخِيهِ

وَعَلَىٰ أَنْجَالِهِمَا ٱلْمَيَامِينِ ٱلْغُرَرِ

مَا طَلَعَتْ شَمْسٌ وَمَا أَضَاءَ قَمَرٌ

وَعَلَىٰ جَدَّتِهِ ٱلصِّدِّيقَةِ ٱلْكُبْرَىٰ فَاطِمَةَ ٱلزَّهْرَاء

وَعَلَىٰ مَن ٱصْطَفَيْتَ مِنْ آبَائِهِ ٱلْبَرَرَةِ...

<sup>(1)</sup> This section of the supplication has been mentioned in the following form in the books of `Allāmah al-Majlisī:

upon his father the junior master,

upon his grandmother the grand veracious lady

Fāṭimah the daughter of Muḥammad,

peace be upon him and his Household,

upon his dutiful fathers whom You have chosen (over all others),

and upon him with such most favorable, most perfect,

most thorough, most permanent,

most abundant, and most plentiful

blessings that You have ever sent upon any of Your elite ones

and well-chosen ones among Your creatures.

And (please) bless him with such blessings whose number is infinite,

whose quantity is never-ending,

and whose time is interminable.

O Allah! Through him, establish all rights,

refute the entire wrong,

grant triumph to Your loyalists,

humiliate Your enemies,

establish, O Allah, between him and us

a connection that leads us to accompany his ancestors,

أبيهِ آلسَّنِّدِ ٱلا ه ألصدِّيقَة ٱلْكُبْ فَاطِمَةً بِنْتِ مُحَمَّدِ لِّي ٰ ٱللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ مَن أصْطَفَيْتَ مِنْ آبَائِهِ ٱلْبَرَرَةِ وَعَلَيْهِ أَفْضَلَ وَأَكْمَلَ تَمَّ وَأَدْوَمَ كْثَرَ وَأُوْفَرَ نْتَ عَلَىٰ أُحَدِ مِنْ أَصْفِرَ رَتِكَ مِنْ خُلْقِ عَلَنْه صَلاَةً لاَ غَانَةً لِعَدَدِهَا وَلاَ نهَايَةً لِمَدَدِهَا وَلاَ نَفَادَ لأُمَدهَا َدْحِض بهِ ٱلْبَاطِلَ دِل بهِ اوْلِنَاءكَ لَيْلُ بِهِ أَعْدَاءَكَ بِلِ ٱللَّهُمَّ بَيْنَنَا وَ وُصلة تؤدِّي إلىٰ مُرافقةِ سَلفِهِ include us with those who will take their vengeance

and keep constant under their shadow,

help us fulfill our duties towards him,

exert all efforts in obedience to him

and avoiding disobeying him,

bestow upon us with the favor of attaining his pleasure,

and grant us his kindness, mercy,

prayer (for us), and his goodness

in an amount due to which we will gain a good deal of Your mercy

and achievement with You.

And, through him, render our prayers admitted,

our sins forgiven,

and our supplications responded.

And, through him too, make our sustenance expanded for us,

our distresses relieved,

and our needs granted.

And (please) receive us with Your Noble Face,

approve of our seeking nearness to You,

and have a merciful look at us

نِهَادِ فِي طَاعَتِهِ حْتِنَاب مَعْصِ وَٱمْنُنْ عَلَيْنَا برضَاهُ عْ لَنَا رَأَفَتَهُ وَرَحْمُ وَدُعَاءَهُ وَخَيْرَهُ نَنَاا ُ بهِ سَعَةَ مِنْ وَذَنَوبَنَا بِهِ مَغْفُورَةً وَدُعَاءَنَا بِهِ مُسْتَ وَٱنْظُرْ إِلَيْنَا نَظْرَةً رَحِيمَةً

by which we will win perfect honor with You;

and, after that, do not ever take it away from us, in the name of Your magnanimity,

and give us a drink from the Pond of his grandfather,

may Allah bless him and his Household,

from his own cup and with his own hand,

such a replete, satiating,

pleasant, and wholesome drink

after which we shall never suffer from thirst.

O most merciful of all those who show mercy!

نَسْتَكْمِلُ بِهَا ٱلْكَرَامَةَ عِنْدَكَ
ثُمَّ لاَ تَصْرِفْهَا عَنَّا بِجُودِكَ
وَٱسْقِنَا مِنْ حَوْضِ جَدِّهِ
صَلَّىٰ ٱللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ
بِكَأْسِهِ وَبِيَدِهِ
رَيّاً رَوِيّاً
هَنِيئاً سَائِغاً
لاَ ظَمَاً بَعْدَهُ
يَا أَرْحَمَ ٱلرَّاحِمينَ