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It is highly advisable to take a Ghusl on the first night of Rajab. In this respect, some scholars have reported the Holy Prophet (saws) as saying, “Whoever receives the month of Rajab and bathes himself in the first, middle, and last of it, will be released from all of his sins to return as pure as the day of his birth.”

Duas to be recited on sighting the new moon

اللَّهُمَّ اهْلِهِ عَلَيْنَا بِالْأَمْنِ وَالْإِيمَانِ

O Allah, cause it (i.e. the moon) to appear carrying for us security, faith,

وَالسَّلَامَةِ وَالْإِسْلَامِ

safety, and Islam.

رَبِّي وَرَبُّكَ اللَّهُ عَزَّ وَجَلَّ

Your and my Lord is Allah, the Glorified and Majestic.

It has been also reported that when his eyes fell on the new moon of Rajab, the Holy Prophet (saws) used to say the following:

اللَّهُمَّ بَارِكْ لَنَا فِي رَجَبٍ وَشَعْبَانَ

O Allah, (please do) pour out Your blessings upon us in Rajab and Sha`ban.

وَبَلِّغْنَا شَهْرَ رَمَضَانَ

make us catch Ramadan,

وَاعِنَّا عَلَى الصِّيَامِ

and help us observe fasting,

وَأَلْقِيَامِ

do acts of worship,

وَحِفْظِ اللِّسَانِ

suppress our tongues (from saying anything improper),

وَعَضِّ البَصَرِ

and cast down our eyes (against what is forbidden for us to look at).

وَلَا تَجْعَلْ حَظَّنَا مِنْهُ الْجُوعَ وَالْعَطَشَ

Do not make our share of Ramadan is only hunger and thirst.

Salaah's for the 1st Night of Rajab

- It is recommended to offer, after the obligatory Maghrib Prayer, a 20 unit prayer and to recite in each unit Surah *al-Fatihah* once and Surah *al-Tawheed* once.

Whoever offers this prayer, his family members, property, sons, and he will be kept saved from harm, rescued against the grave torture, and pass the *Sirat* as swiftly as lightning without being called to account.

- After the `Isha' Prayer, it is recommended to offer a two unit prayer in the first unit of which Surah *al-Fatihah* should be recited once, Surah *al-Inshirah* (No. 94) recited once, and Surah *al-Tawheed* recited three times. In the second unit, Surahs *al-Fatihah*, *al-Inshirah*, *al-Tawheed*, *al-Falaq*, and *al-Nas* should be recited once each. After *tasleem*, the following litany should be repeated thirty times:

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ

There is no god save Allah.

Then repeat thirty times:

اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ

O Allah, (please do) send blessings to Muhammad and the Household of Muhammad.

The reward of this prayer is that whoever offers it, will have all his sins forgiven and will return as sin-free as the day of his birth.

- It is recommended to offer a thirty unit prayer in each unit Surah *al-Fatihah* is recited once, Surah *al-Kafirun* (No. 109) recited once, and Surah *al-Tawheed* repeated three times.

Dua to be recited after Isha Prayer on the 1st Night of Rajab

Imam Abu-Ja`far II (as) is reported to have recommended saying this the following prayer at the first night of Rajab after the `Isha' Prayer:

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي اسألكَ بِأَنَّكَ مَلِكٌ

O Allah, I beseech You in the name of Your being the King,

وَأَنَّكَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ مُّقْتَدِرٌ

having absolute power over all things,

وَأَنَّكَ مَا تَشَاءُ مِنْ أَمْرٍ يَكُونُ

and whatever matter You want to happen shall happen.

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي اتَّوَجَّهْتُ إِلَيْكَ بِنَبِيِّكَ مُحَمَّدٍ

O Allah, I turn my face towards You asking You in the name of Your Prophet, Muhammad,

نَبِيِّ الرَّحْمَةِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ

the Prophet of mercy—may Allah's blessings be upon him and his Household.

يَا مُحَمَّدُ

O Muhammad!

يَا رَسُولَ اللَّهِ

O Messenger of Allah!

أِنِّي اتَّوَجَّهْتُ بِكَ إِلَى اللَّهِ رَبِّكَ وَرَبِّي

I seek Your intercession for me with Allah, your and my Lord,

لِيُنْجِحَ لِي بِكَ طَلِبَتِي

so that He may respond to my request.

اللَّهُمَّ بِنَبِيِّكَ مُحَمَّدٍ

O Allah, I beseech You in the name of Your Prophet Muhammad

وَالْأَئِمَّةِ مِنْ أَهْلِ بَيْتِهِ

and the Imams from his household,

صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَيْهِمْ

peace be upon him and them,

أُنْجِحْ طَلِبَتِي

to respond to my request.

You may then mention your requests.

Dua After Salat Layl on the 1st Night of Rajab

Ali ibn Hadid has narrated that Imam Musa ibn Ja`far (as) used to say the following prayer while prostrating after the accomplishment of the Night Prayer (*Salaat al-Layl*):

لَكَ الْمَحْمَدَةُ إِنْ اطَّعْتُكَ

[O Allah,] If I obey You, then thanks to You,

وَلَكَ الْحُجَّةُ إِنْ عَصَيْتُكَ

and if I disobey You, then You have the right (to punish me).

لَا صُنْعَ لِي وَلَا لِغَيْرِي فِي إِحْسَانٍ إِلَّا بِكَ

All favors that are done to me or to anyone else must come from You.

يَا كَائِنًا قَبْلَ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ

O He Who existed before all things!

وَيَا مُكَوَّنَ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ

O Author of all things!

إِنَّكَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ

Verily, You have power over all things.

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَعُوذُ بِكَ مِنَ الْغَدِيْلَةِ عِنْدَ الْمَوْتِ

O Allah, I seek Your protection against deviation at
(the hour of) death,

وَمِنْ شَرِّ الْمَرْجِعِ فِي الْقُبُورِ
evil recourse in the grave,

وَمِنْ النَّدَامَةِ يَوْمَ الْآزِفَةِ
and regret on the Day of the approaching doom.

فَاسْأَلُكَ أَنْ تُصَلِّيَ عَلَيَّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ

I therefore beseech You to send blessings to
Muhammad and the Household of Muhammad

وَأَنْ تَجْعَلَ عَيْشِي عَيْشَةً نَقِيَّةً
and to make my life wholesome,

وَمِيَّتِي مِيْتَةً سَوِيَّةً
my death sound,

وَمُنْقَلَبِي مُنْقَلَبًا كَرِيْمًا
and my resort honorable;

غَيْرَ مُخْزٍ وَلَا فَاضِحٍ
neither disgraceful nor scandalous.

اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِهِ

O Allah, (please do) send blessings to Muhammad
and his Household;

الْأئِمَّةِ يَنْابِيعِ الْحِكْمَةِ

the Imams, the sources of wisdom,

وَأَوْلِي النُّعْمَةِ

the causes of bliss,

وَمَعَادِنِ الْعِصْمَةِ

and the essences of immaculacy,

وَأَعْصِمْنِي بِهِمْ مِنْ كُلِّ سُوءٍ

and protect me, in their name, against all evils,

وَلَا تَأْخُذْنِي عَلَى غِرَّةٍ وَلَا عَلَى غَفْلَةٍ

do not seize me unexpectedly or inattentively,

وَلَا تَجْعَلْ عَوَاقِبَ أَعْمَالِي حَسْرَةً

do not allow my end result to be regretful,

وَأَرْضَ عَنِّي

and be pleased with me,

فَإِنَّ مَغْفِرَتَكَ لِلظَّالِمِينَ وَأَنَا مِنَ الظَّالِمِينَ

for Your forgiveness is dedicated to the wrongdoers,
and I am one of these wrongdoers.

اللَّهُمَّ اغْفِرْ لِي مَا لَا يَضُرُّكَ

O Allah, (please do) forgive me (my faults) which do
not harm You

وَاعْطِنِي مَا لَا يَنْقُصُكَ

and give me from that which does not cause decrease
to You.

فَإِنَّكَ الْوَسِيعُ رَحْمَتُهُ

Verily, You are the One Whose mercy is all-
embracing

الْبَدِيعُ حِكْمَتُهُ

and Whose wisdom is all-excellent.

وَاعْطِنِي السَّعَةَ وَالذَّعَةَ

(Please do) grant me opulence, comfort,

وَالْأَمْنَ وَالصَّحَّةَ

security, health,

وَالنُّجُوعَ وَالْقُنُوعَ

wholesomeness, contentment,

وَالشُّكْرَ وَالْمُعَافَاةَ وَالتَّقْوَى

thanksgiving, good health, piety,

وَالصَّبْرَ وَالصَّدْقَ عَلَيْكَ وَعَلَى أَوْلِيَائِكَ

patience, belief in You and Your Saints,

وَالْيُسْرَ وَالشُّكْرَ

affluence, and thanksgiving.

وَاعْمِمِ بِذَلِكَ يَا رَبَّ أَهْلِي وَوَلَدِي

(Please do) include, O my Lord, with this (request)
my family members (or my wife), my sons,

وَإِخْوَانِي فِيكَ

and my brethren-in-faith

وَمَنْ أَحَبَّتْ وَأَحَبَّنِي

as well as all those whom I love and those who love
me

وَوَلَدْتُ وَوَلَدَتِي

and my offspring and all my fathers and mothers

مِنَ الْمُسْلِمِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنِينَ

among the Muslims and the believers,

يَا رَبَّ الْعَالَمِينَ

O Lord of the worlds!

Dua to be recited before Salaat Witr

Ibn Ashyam says: It is advisable to say this prayer after offering the eight-unit *Salaat-Layl* (Night Prayer) and before offering the three-unit *Salaat-Witr*.

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ الَّذِي لَا تَنْفَدُ خَزَائِنُهُ

All praise be to Allah Whose treasures are
inexhaustible

وَلَا يَخَافُ آمِنُهُ

and those whom are secured by Him shall never fear
anything.

رَبِّ إِنِّي أَرْتَكِبْتُ الْمَعَاصِيَ

O my Lord, as I have committed acts of disobedience
to You,

فَذَلِكَ ثِقَةٌ مِنِّي بِكَرَمِكَ

this was only out of my full confidence in Your
generosity.

إِنَّكَ تَقْبَلُ التَّوْبَةَ عَنْ عِبَادِكَ

Verily, You accept the repentance of Your servants,

وَتَعْفُو عَنْ سَيِّئَاتِهِمْ

pardon their wrongdoings,

وَتَغْفِرُ الزَّلَّلَ

and forgive their flaws.

وَإِنَّكَ مُجِيبٌ لِدَاعِيكَ

You verily respond to one who prays You,

وَمِنْهُ قَرِيبٌ

and You are close to him.

وَأَنَا تَائِبٌ إِلَيْكَ مِنَ الْخَطَايَا

I am repenting before You from my sins

وَرَأَغِبُ إِلَيْكَ فِي تَوْفِيرِ حَظِّي مِنَ الْعَطَايَا

and from You do I desire for a good portion of Your donations.

يَا خَالِقَ الْبَرَايَا

O Creator of all beings!

يَا مُنْقِذِي مِنْ كُلِّ شَدِيدَةٍ

O my Redeemer from all hardships!

يَا مُجِيرِي مِنْ كُلِّ مَحْذُورٍ

O my Rescuer from all perils!

وَفَرِّ عَلَى السُّرُورِ

(Please do) confer upon me with pleasure

وَأَكْفِنِي شَرَّ عَوَاقِبِ الْأُمُورِ

and save me from the evil end results of matters.

فَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ عَلَىٰ نِعْمَائِكَ وَجَزِيلِ عَطَائِكَ مَشْكُورٌ

Verily, You are Allah the thanked for Your bounties
and affluent gifts

وَلِكُلِّ خَيْرٍ مَذْخُورٌ

and hoped for all good things.

First Day of the Month of Rajab

It is advisable **to observe fasting** on this day. According to narrations, Prophet Noah (ؑ) embarked on the Ark on such a day; he therefore ordered his companions to observe fasting. Hence, whoever observes fasting on this day; Hellfire will move away from him for a distance of one year walking.

Taking a Ghusl is also advisable on this day.

Long Dua for Day of 1st Rajab

It is recommended to recite this supplication, for this day, that is mentioned in the book of ‘*Iqbal al-A`maal*’:

اَللّٰهُمَّ اِنِّيْ اَسْأَلُكَ يَا اَللّٰهُ يَا اَللّٰهُ يَا اَللّٰهُ،

O Allah: I verily beseech You, O Allah; O Allah; O Allah;

اَنْتَ اَللّٰهُ الْقَدِيْمُ الْاَزَلِيُّ الْمَلِكِ الْعَظِيْمِ،

You are Allah; the Eternal, Whose Great Kingdom is everlasting.

اَنْتَ اَللّٰهُ الْحَيُّ الْقَيُّوْمُ الْمَوْلَى السَّمِيْعُ الْبَصِيْرُ،

You are Allah; the Ever-living, the Self-Subsisting, the Master, the All-hearing, and the All-seeing.

يَا مَنْ الْعِزُّ وَالْجَلَالُ،

O He to Whose Godhead, might and majesty

وَالْكِبْرِيَاءُ وَالْعَظَمَةُ،

And grandeur and greatness

وَالْقُوَّةُ وَالْعِلْمُ وَالْقُدْرَةُ،

And power and knowledge and potency

وَالنُّوْرُ وَالرُّوْحُ،

And light and spirit

وَالْمَشِيئَةُ وَالْحَنَانُ وَالرَّحْمَةُ وَالْمُلْكُ لِرُبُوبِيَّتِهِ،

And volition and tenderness and mercy and lordship—all these belong to His Godhead.

نورِكَ أَشْرَقَ لَهُ كُلُّ نُورٍ،

To Your light, all lights glowed;

وَحَمَدَ لَهُ كُلُّ نَارٍ،

And all fires abated;

وَانْحَصَرَ لَهُ كُلُّ الظُّلُمَاتِ.

And all darkness submitted.

أَسْأَلُكَ بِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي اشْتَقَّقْتَهُ مِنْ قَدَمِكَ وَأَزَلِكَ وَتَوْرِكَ،

I beseech You by Your Name that You derived from You eternity and infinity and light;

وَبِالِاسْمِ الْأَعْظَمِ الَّذِي اشْتَقَّقْتَهُ مِنْ كِبْرِيائِكَ وَجَبْرَوْتِكَ

وَعَظَمَتِكَ وَعِزِّكَ،

And by the Grandest Name that You derived from Your grandeur and omnipotence and greatness and might;

وَبِجُودِكَ الَّذِي اشْتَقَّقْتَهُ مِنْ رَحْمَتِكَ،

And by Your magnanimity that You derived from Your mercy;

وَبِرَحْمَتِكَ الَّتِي اشْتَقَّقْتَهَا مِنْ رَأْفَتِكَ،

And by Your mercy that You derived from Your clemency;

وَبِرَأْفَتِكَ الَّتِي اشْتَقَقْتَهَا مِنْ جُودِكَ،

And by Your clemency that You derived from Your magnanimity;

وَبِجُودِكَ الَّذِي اشْتَقَقْتَهُ مِنْ غَيْبِكَ،

And by Your magnanimity that You derived from Your knowledge of the unseen;

وَبِغَيْبِكَ وَإِحَاطَتِكَ وَقِيَامِكَ وَدَوَامِكَ وَقِدَمِكَ.

And by Your knowledge of the unseen, and Your comprehension of all things, and Your subsistence, and Your perpetuity, and Your eternity.

وَأَسْأَلُكَ بِجَمِيعِ أَسْمَائِكَ الْحُسْنَى

And I beseech You by all of Your Most Excellent Names.

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ الْوَاحِدُ الْأَحَدُ الْفَرْدُ الصَّمَدُ الْحَيُّ،

There is no god save You; the One, the One and Only, the Unique, the Besought of all, the Ever-living,

الْأَوَّلُ الْآخِرُ الظَّاهِرُ الْبَاطِنُ،

The Foremost of all things, the Last, the Evident, the Immanent.

وَلَكَ كُلُّ اسْمٍ عَظِيمٍ،

To You do belong all great names,

وَكُلُّ نُورٍ وَغَيْبٍ،

And all lights and unseen things,

وَعِلْمٍ وَمَعْلُومٍ،

And all knowledge and all known things,

وَمُلْكٍ وَشَأْنٍ،

And all kingdoms and all affairs.

وَبَلَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ تَقَدَّسْتَ وَتَعَالَيْتَ عَلُوًّا كَبِيرًا.

And due to that there is no god save You, You have been Holy and Elevated in high exaltation.

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَسْأَلُكَ بِكُلِّ اسْمٍ هُوَ لَكَ طَاهِرٌ مُطَهَّرٌ،

O Allah: I beseech You by all names that are Yours; names that are pure and immaculate

طَيِّبٌ مُبَارَكٌ مُقَدَّسٌ،

And wholesome and blessed and holy;

أَنْزَلْتَهُ فِي كُتُبِكَ وَأَجْرَيْتَهُ فِي الذِّكْرِ عِنْدَكَ،

Whether You revealed in Your Books, or You added to the Reminder that You keep,

وَتَسَمَّيْتَ بِهِ لِمَنْ شِئْتَ مِنْ خَلْقِكَ

Or You used it with any of Your creatures that You willed

أَوْ سَأَلْتَ بِهِ أَحَدًا مِنْ مَلَائِكَتِكَ وَأَنْبِيَائِكَ وَرُسُلِكَ بِخَيْرٍ تُعْطِيهِ

فَأَعْطَيْتَهُ،

Or by which any of Your angels or Prophets and
Messengers besought You for granting him a
welfare, and You did,

أَوْ شَرًّا تَصْرِفُهُ فَصَرَفْتَهُ،

Or for saving him from an evil, and You did,

يَنْبَغِي أَنْ أَسْأَلَكَ بِهِ.

And I thus should beseech You by that name.

فَأَسْأَلُكَ يَا رَبِّ أَنْ تَنْصُرْتَنِي عَلَى أَعْدَائِي وَتَغْلِبَ ذِكْرِي عَلَى
نِسْيَانِي،

Hence, I beseech You, O my Lord, to give me
victory over my enemies and make my perception
overcome my oblivion.

اللَّهُمَّ اجْعَلْ لِعَقْلِي عَلَى هَوَايَ سُلْطَانًا مُبِينًا،

O Allah: (please) give my intellect a manifest
proof against my lusts,

وَإِقْرِنْ اخْتِيَارِي بِالتَّوْفِيقِ،

And attach my choices to appositeness,

وَاجْعَلْ صَاحِبِي التَّقْوَى،

And decide piety to be my companion,

وَأَوْزِعْنِي شُكْرَكَ عَلَى مَوَاهِبِكَ.

And arouse me to thank You for Your gifts,

وَاهْدِنِي اللَّهُمَّ بِهَذَاكَ إِلَى سَبِيلِكَ الْمُقِيمِ وَصِرَاطِكَ

المُسْتَقِيمِ،

And, O Allah; guide me through Your true guidance to Your straight course and Your right path.

وَلَا تَمْلِكْ زِمَامِي الشَّهَوَاتُ فَتَحْمِلْنِي عَلَى طَرِيقِ

الْمَخْذُولِينَ،

And do not make desires control over me and thus take me to the way of the disappointed ones,

وَحُلِّ بَيْنِي وَبَيْنَ الْمُنْكَرَاتِ،

And intervene between me and the forbidden things,

وَاجْعَلْ لِي عِلْمًا نَافِعًا،

And decide for me advantageous knowledge,

وَأَغْرِسْ فِي قَلْبِي حُبَّ الْمَعْرُوفِ وَلَا تَأْخُذْنِي بَغْتَةً،

And implant in my heart the love for the good; and do not overtake me all of a sudden,

وَتُبَّ عَلَيَّ إِنَّكَ أَنْتَ التَّوَّابُ الرَّحِيمُ.

And accept my repentance; You are verily the Oft-returning to mercy, the Merciful.

وَعَرِّفْنِي بَرَكَةَ هَذَا الشَّهْرِ وَيُمْنَهُ،

And (please) acquaint me with the blessing and felicity of this month,

وَارْزُقْنِي خَيْرَهُ وَأَصْرِفْ عَنِّي شَرَّهُ،

And confer upon me with its good and keep away
from me its evil,

وَقِنِي الْمَخْذُورَ فِيهِ،

And protect me against what is peril in it,

وَأَعِنِّي عَلَى مَا أَحْبَبْتَهُ مِنَ الْقِيَامِ بِحَقِّهِ،

And help me do that which I like from the
carrying out of its duty,

وَمَعْرِفَةَ فَضْلِهِ،

And the recognition of its virtue,

وَأَجْعَلْنِي فِيهِ مِنَ الْفَائِزِينَ يَا أَرْحَمَ الرَّاحِمِينَ.

And make me of the winners; O the most Merciful
of all those who show mercy.

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَسْأَلُكَ بِاسْمِكَ الْمُتَعَالِ الْجَلِيلِ الْعَظِيمِ،

O Allah: I beseech You by Your Name: the
elevated, the lofty, and the great,

وَبِاسْمِكَ الْوَاحِدِ الصَّمَدِ،

And by Your Name: the One, the Besought of all,

وَبِاسْمِكَ الْعَزِيزِ الْأَعْلَى،

And by Your Name: the Almighty, the All-high;

وَبِأَسْمَائِكَ الْحُسْنَى كُلِّهَا،

And by all of Your Most Excellent Names.

يَا مَنْ خَشَعَتْ لَهُ الْأَصْوَاتُ

O He before Whom all sounds submit,

وَخَضَعَتْ لَهُ الرِّقَابُ

And all necks yield,

وَذَلَّتْ لَهُ الأَعْنَاقُ،

And all heads humble themselves,

وَوَجَلَتْ مِنْهُ القُلُوبُ،

And all hearts fear,

وَدَانَ لَهُ كُلُّ شَيْءٍ،

And all things surrender,

وَقَامَتْ بِهِ السَّمَاوَاتُ والأَرْضُ،

And by Whom the heavens and the earth
subsisted.

أَشْهَدُ أَنَّكَ لَا تُدْرِكُكَ الأَبْصَارُ

I bear witness that visions cannot comprehend
You,

وَأَنْتَ تُدْرِكُ الأَبْصَارَ

While You comprehend all visions,

وَأَنْتَ اللَّطِيفُ الخَبِيرُ.

And You are the Knower of subtleties, the All-
aware.

يَا رَبَّ جِبْرَائِيلَ وَمِيكَائِيلَ وَإِسْرَافِيلَ،

O the Lord of (Archangels) Gabriel and Michael
and Israfeel

وَجَمِيعِ الْمَلَائِكَةِ الْمُقَرَّبِينَ وَالْكَرُوبِيِّينَ وَالْكَرَامِ الْكَاتِبِينَ،

And all the favorite angles and the Cherubim and
the noble, recording angles

وَجَمِيعِ الْمَلَائِكَةِ الْمُسَبِّحِينَ بِحَمْدِكَ،

And all the angels that praise You, declaring Your
praiseworthiness,

وَرَبِّ آدَمَ وَشَيْثٍ وَإِدْرِيسَ،

And the Lord of Adam and Shayth and Idrees

وَنُوحٍ وَهُودٍ وَصَالِحٍ،

And Noah and Hud and Salih

وَإِبْرَاهِيمَ وَإِسْمَاعِيلَ

And Abraham and Ishmael

وَإِسْحَاقَ وَلُوطٍ،

And Isaac and Lot

وَيَعْقُوبَ وَيُوسُفَ وَالْأَسْبَاطَ

And Jacob and Joseph and the Tribes

وَأَيُّوبَ وَمُوسَى

And Job and Moses

وَهَارُونَ وَشُعَيْبَ،

And Aaron and Shu`ayb

وَدَاوُودَ وَسُلَيْمَانَ وَإِرْمِيَا،

And David and Solomon and Jeremiah

وَعَزَيْرٍ وَحِزْقِيلَ،

And Ezra and Ezekiel

وَشَعْيَا وَإِلْيَاسَ،

And Joshua and Elias

وَإِلْيَاسَ وَيُونُسَ وَذِي الْكِفْلِ،

And Elisha and Jonah and Dhu'l-Kifl

وَزَكَرِيَّا وَيَحْيَى،

And Zachariah and John

وَعِيسَى وَجُرْجِيسَ،

And Jesus and Georges

وَمُحَمَّدٍ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِمْ أَجْمَعِينَ،

And Muhammad, peace of Allah be upon him and upon them all,

وَعَلَى مَلَائِكَةِ اللَّهِ الْمُقَرَّبِينَ

And peace be upon the favorite angels of Allah

وَالْكَرَامِ الْكَاتِبِينَ

And upon the recording, noble angels,

وَجَمِيعِ الْأَمْلاَكِ الْمُسَبِّحِينَ

And upon all the angels who praise Him,

وَسَلَّمَ تَسْلِيمًا كَثِيرًا.

And thorough benediction be upon them.

أَنْتَ رَبُّنَا الْأَوَّلُ الْأَخِيرُ،

You are our Lord; the Foremost of all, the Last of all,

الظَّاهِرُ الْبَاطِنُ،

The Evident, the Immanent,

الَّذِي خَلَقْتَ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِينَ

It is You Who created the heavens and the layers of the earth

ثُمَّ اسْتَوَيْتَ عَلَى الْعَرْشِ الْمَجِيدِ،

And You then established Yourself on the (Divine) Glorious Throne

بِأَسْمَائِكَ الْحُسْنَى تَبْدِيءٌ وَتَعِيدٌ،

By Your Most Excellent Names, You originate (creation) & then reproduce it,

وَتُغْشِي اللَّيْلَ النَّهَارَ يَطْلُبُهُ حَثِيثًا،

And You cover the night with the day, which is in haste to follow it,

وَالشَّمْسُ وَالْقَمَرُ

And the sun and the moon

وَالنُّجُومُ وَالْفَلَكَ

And the stars and the orbit

وَالدُّهُورُ وَالْخَلْقُ

And the ages and the creation;

مُسَخَّرُونَ بِأَمْرِكَ،

All these are subservient by Your order.

تَبَارَكْتَ وَتَعَالَيْتَ يَا رَبَّ الْعَالَمِينَ.

Blessed and Exalted be You, O the Lord of the worlds.

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ

There is no god save You;

الْحَنَّانُ الْمَنَّانُ

The All-tender, the All-favorer,

بَدِيعُ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ،

The wonderful Maker of the heavens and the earth,

ذُو الْجَلَالِ وَالْإِكْرَامِ،

The Lord of majesty and honor.

لَوْ كَانَ الْبَحْرُ مِدَاداً لِكَلِمَاتِ رَبِّي

Though the sea became ink for the Words of my Lord,

لَنَفِدَ الْبَحْرُ قَبْلَ أَنْ تَنْفَدَ كَلِمَاتُ رَبِّي

Verily, the sea would be used up before the words of my Lord were exhausted,

وَلَوْ جِئْنَا بِمِثْلِهِ مَدَدًا.

even though We brought the like thereof to help.

تَعْلَمُ مَثَاقِيلَ الْجِبَالِ

You know the weights of mountains,

وَمَكَائِيلَ الْبِحَارِ

And the measures of oceans,

وَعَدَدَ الرَّمَالِ،

And the number of pebbles,

وَقَطْرَ الْأَمْطَارِ،

And the numbers of the drops of rain,

وَوَرَقَ الْأَشْجَارِ،

And the number of the leaves of trees,

وَتُجُومَ السَّمَاءِ

And the number of the stars in the skies,

وَمَا أَظْلَمَ عَلَيْهِ اللَّيْلُ وَأَشْرَقَ عَلَيْهِ النَّهَارُ،

As well as whatever is covered by darkness of night and whatever is under the daylight.

لَا يُوَارِي مِنْكَ سَمَاءٌ سَمَاءً وَلَا أَرْضٌ أَرْضاً،

No sky can screen You from another sky and no layer can screen You from another layer,

وَلَا بَحْرٌ مُتَطَابِقٌ،

Neither does any wavy ocean

وَلَا مَا بَيْنَ سَدِّ الرُّتُوقِ،

Or anything that lies between the blockage of
mendings

وَلَا مَا فِي الْقَرَارِ مِنَ الْهَبَاءِ الْمَبْثُوثِ.

Or anything of the spread motes that lie in the
depths.

أَسْأَلُكَ بِاسْمِكَ الْمَخْزُونِ الْمَكْنُونِ

I beseech You by Your Name; the stored, the
concealed,

النُّورِ الْمُنِيرِ،

The luminous light,

الْحَقِّ الْمُبِينِ،

The true right,

الَّذِي هُوَ نُورٌ مِنْ نُورٍ

Which is light made of light

وَتَوْرٌ عَلَى نُورٍ،

And light on light,

وَتَوْرٌ فَوْقَ كُلِّ نُورٍ،

And light over all lights,

وَتَوْرٌ مَعَ كُلِّ نُورٍ،

And light with all lights,

وَلَهُ كُلُّ نُورٍ،

And to Your Name does belong the entire light.

مِنْكَ يَا رَبُّ النُّورِ،

From You, O Lord, is the light,

وَإِلَيْكَ يَرْجِعُ النُّورُ.

And to You does the light return,

وَبِنُورِكَ الَّذِي تُضِيءُ بِهِ كُلُّ ظُلْمَةٍ،

And by Your light are all darknesses lit,

وَتَبْطُلُ بِهِ كَيْدُ كُلِّ شَيْطَانٍ مَرِيدٍ،

And by Your Name is the trick of all rebellious
devils made ineffective,

وَتَذُلُّ بِهِ كُلُّ جَبَّارٍ عَنِيدٍ،

And by Your Name are all the obstinate tyrants
humiliated,

وَلَا يَقُومُ لَهُ شَيْءٌ مِنْ خَلْقِكَ

And nothing can stand with it against Your will,

وَيَتَّصَدَعُ لِعَظَمَتِهِ الْبَرُّ وَالْبَحْرُ،

And because of its grandeur, the lands and the
oceans are split,

وَتَسْتَقِيلُ الْمَلَائِكَةُ حِينَ يَتَكَلَّمُ بِهِ،

And angels keep silent when there is speech about
it,

وَتَرْعَدُ مِنْ خَشْيَتِهِ حَمَلَةُ الْعَرْشِ الْعَظِيمِ

And due to fear of it, the angels bearing the Great
Throne tremble in awe,

إِلَى تُخُومِ الْأَرْضِينَ السَّبْعِ،

so do all those of lower states, down to those in
the lowest layers of the earth.

الَّذِي انْفَلَقَتْ بِهِ الْبِحَارُ،

Through it, oceans burst,

وَجَرَّتْ بِهِ الْأَنْهَارُ،

And rivers flow,

وَتَفَجَّرَتْ بِهِ الْعْيُونُ،

And springs split,

وَسَارَتْ بِهِ النُّجُومُ،

And stars move,

وَأُرْكِمَ بِهِ السَّحَابُ وَأَجْرِي،

And clouds are accumulated and moved

وَأَعْتَدَلَ بِهِ الضَّبَابُ،

And fog straighten up,

وَهَالَتْ بِهِ الرَّمَالُ،

And sands heap,

وَرَسَتْ بِهِ الْجِبَالُ

And mountains settle down,

وَأَسْتَقَرَّتْ بِهِ الْأَرْضُونَ،

And the layers of the earth become stable,

وَنَزَلَ بِهِ الْقَطْرُ

And drops of rain descend,

وَخَرَجَ بِهِ الْحَبُّ،

And seeds grow up,

وَتَفَرَّقَتْ بِهِ جَبَلَاتُ الْخَلْقِ،

And creation have become of various kinds,

وَحَفَقَتْ بِهِ الرِّيَّاحُ،

And winds blow

وَأَنْتَشَرَتْ وَتَنَفَّسَتْ بِهِ الْأَرْوَاحُ.

And souls spread and breathe.

يَا اللَّهُ أَنْتَ الْمُتَسَمَّى بِالْإِلَهِيَّةِ،

O Allah: It is You to Whom Godhead is ascribed;

بِاسْمِكَ الْكَبِيرِ الْأَكْبَرِ

(I beseech You) by Your Name: the big, the All-big,

الْعَظِيمِ الْأَعْظَمِ

The great, the All-great,

الَّذِي عَنَتَ لَهُ الْوُجُوهُ،

Before which all faces humble themselves.

يَا ذَا الطَّوْلِ وَالْآلَاءِ،

O the Lord of bounty and graces:

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ يَا قَرِيبُ،

There is no god save You, O the Nigh;

أَنْتَ الْغَالِبُ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ،

It is You Who prevails on all things;

أَسْأَلُكَ اللَّهُمَّ بِجَمِيعِ أَسْمَائِكَ كُلِّهَا

I beseech You, O Allah, by all of Your Names,

مَا عَلِمْتُ مِنْهَا وَمَا لَمْ أَعْلَمْ،

Those which I know and those which I do not;

وَبِكُلِّ اسْمٍ هُوَ لَكَ

And by every Name that belongs to You;

أَنْ تُصَلِّيَ عَلَيَّ مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ

(I beseech You) to send blessings upon
Muhammad and the Household of Muhammad,

وَأَنْ تَكْفِينِي أَمْرَ أَعْدَائِي

And to rescue me from the plots of my enemies

وَتُبَلِّغَنِي مُنَايَ

And to make me attain my hope;

يَا أَرْحَمَ الرَّاحِمِينَ.

O the most Merciful of all those who show mercy.

اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَيَّ مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ،

O Allah: (please) send blessings upon Muhammad
and the Household of Muhammad

وَارْحَمْ مُحَمَّدًا وَآلَ مُحَمَّدٍ

And have mercy upon Muhammad and the Household of Muhammad

وَبَارِكْ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ،

And bless Muhammad and the Household of Muhammad

كَمَا صَلَّيْتَ وَرَحِمْتَ وَبَارَكْتَ وَتَرَحَّمْتَ عَلَى إِبْرَاهِيمَ وَآلِ

إِبْرَاهِيمَ

As You sent blessings, mercy, benedictions, and clemency upon (Prophet) Abraham and the household of Abraham.

إِنَّكَ حَمِيدٌ مُجِيدٌ،

Verily, You are verily worthy of all praise, full of all glory.

اللَّهُمَّ أَعْظِ مُحَمَّدًا الْوَسِيلَةَ وَالشَّرَفَ

O Allah: (please) grant Muhammad the right of intercession and an honorable station

وَالرُّفْعَةَ وَالْفَضِيلَةَ عَلَى خَلْقِكَ

And an exalted position and preference over all Your creatutes,

وَاجْعَلْ فِي الْمُصْطَفَيْنَ تَحِيَّاتِهِ،

And decide him to be the target of the Chosen Ones' greetings,

وَفِي الْعَلِيِّينَ دَرَجَتَهُ،

And elevate his rank to the most exalted place,

وَفِي الْمُقَرَّبِينَ مَنَزَلَتَهُ،

And put his position within the position of the
Favorite Ones.

اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَى جَمِيعِ مَلَائِكَتِكَ

O Allah: (please) send blessings upon all of Your
angels

وَأَنْبِيَائِكَ وَرُسُلِكَ

And Prophets and Messengers

وَأَهْلِ طَاعَتِكَ.

And people of obedience to You.

اللَّهُمَّ اغْفِرْ لِلْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ

O Allah: (please) forgive the believing men and
women

وَالْمُسْلِمِينَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ

And the Muslim men and women,

الْأَحْيَاءِ مِنْهُمْ وَالْأَمْوَاتِ،

The alive and the dead,

وَأَلَّفْ بَيْنَ قُلُوبِنَا وَقُلُوبِهِمْ عَلَى الْخَيْرَاتِ،

And (please) put affection between our and their
hearts on good things.

اللَّهُمَّ اجْزِ مُحَمَّدًا صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ

O Allah: (please) award Muhammad—peace of Allah be upon him and his Household—

أَفْضَلَ مَا جَزَيْتَ نَبِيًّا عَنْ أُمَّتِهِ،

With the best award that You have ever given to a Prophet on behalf of his people,

كَمَا تَلَا آيَاتِكَ

An award that befits his having recited Your verses,

وَبَلَّغَ مَا أَرْسَلْتَهُ بِهِ،

And conveyed that with which You sent him,

وَتَصَحَّحَ لِأُمَّتِهِ

And wished well for his nation,

وَعَبَدَكَ حَتَّى أَتَاهُ الْيَقِينُ

And worshipped You until death came upon him.

صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَى آلِهِ الطَّيِّبِينَ.

Allah's blessings be upon him and upon his Immaculate Household.

(تَبَارَكَ اللَّهُ رَبُّ الْعَالَمِينَ)

“Blessed be Allah, the Lord of the Worlds!”

(تَبَارَكَ اللَّهُ أَحْسَنُ الْخَالِقِينَ)

“Blessed be Allah, the Best of creators!”

(تَبَارَكَ الَّذِي نَزَّلَ الْفُرْقَانَ عَلَى عَبْدِهِ لِيَكُونَ لِلْعَالَمِينَ نَذِيرًا.)

“Blessed is He Who hath revealed unto His slave the Criterion (of right and wrong), that he may be a warner to the peoples.

الَّذِي لَهُ مُلْكُ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ

He unto Whom belongs the Sovereignty of the heavens and the earth,

وَلَمْ يَتَّخِذْ وَلَدًا

He has chosen no son

وَلَمْ يَكُنْ لَهُ شَرِيكٌ فِي الْمُلْكِ

Nor has He any partner in the Sovereignty.

وَخَلَقَ كُلَّ شَيْءٍ فَقَدَرَهُ تَقْدِيرًا

He has created everything and has meted out for it a measure.”

(تَبَارَكَ الَّذِي إِنْ شَاءَ جَعَلَ لَكَ خَيْرًا مِنْ ذَلِكَ)

“Blessed is He Who, if He will, will assign You better than all that;

جَنَّاتٍ تَجْرِي مِنْ تَحْتِهَا الْأَنْهَارُ

Gardens underneath which rivers flow,

وَيَجْعَلُ لَكَ قُصُورًا)

and will assign You mansions.”

(وَتَبَارَكَ الَّذِي لَهُ مُلْكُ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ وَمَا بَيْنَهُمَا)

“And blessed be He unto Whom belongs the Sovereignty of the heavens and the earth and all that is between them,

وَعِنْدَهُ عِلْمُ السَّاعَةِ

and with Whom is knowledge of the Hour,

وَالِيهِ تُرْجَعُونَ.

and to Whom you will be returned.”

(تَبَارَكَ اسْمُ رَبِّكَ ذِي الْجَلَالِ وَالْإِكْرَامِ).

“Blessed be the name of your Lord, Mighty and glorious.”

(تَبَارَكَ الَّذِي بِيَدِهِ الْمُلْكُ وَهُوَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ)

“Blessed is He in Whose hand is the Sovereignty, and, He is Able to do all things;

الَّذِي خَلَقَ الْمَوْتَ وَالْحَيَاةَ لِيَبْلُوَكُمْ أَيُّكُمْ أَحْسَنُ عَمَلًا

Who has created life and death that He may try you which of you is best in conduct;

وَهُوَ الْعَزِيزُ الْغَفُورُ.

and He is the Mighty, the Forgiving.”

(تَبَارَكَ الَّذِي جَعَلَ فِي السَّمَاءِ بُرُوجًا

“Blessed be He Who has placed in the heaven mansions of the stars,

وَجَعَلَ فِيهَا سِرَاجًا وَقَمَرًا مُنِيرًا).

and has placed therein a great lamp and a moon giving light.”

You may then add the following:

أَعُوذُ بِكَلِمَاتِ اللَّهِ التَّامَّاتِ كُلِّهَا الَّتِي لَا يُجَاوِزُهُنَّ بَرٌّ وَلَا فَاجِرٌ،

I seek the protection of all of the Perfect Words of Allah that neither an upright one nor can a licentious one exceed them,

مِنْ شَرِّ إِبْلِيسَ وَجُنُودِهِ،

Against the evil of Iblees and his troops,

وَمِنْ شَرِّ كُلِّ شَيْطَانٍ وَسُلْطَانٍ،

And against the evil of all devils and rulers

وَسَاحِرٍ وَكَاهِنٍ،

And sorcerers and magicians

وَشَرِّ كُلِّ ذِي شَرٍّ.

And against the evil of all evil ones.

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَسْتَوْدِعُكَ نَفْسِي وَدِينِي

O Allah: I keep as trust with You my self and my religion

وَسَمْعِي وَبَصْرِي

And my hearing and my sight

وَجَسَدِي وَجَمِيعَ جَوَارِحِي

And my body and all my organs

وَأَهْلِي وَمَالِي وَأَوْلَادِي

And my family members and my property and my children

وَجَمِيعَ مَنْ يُعْنِينِي أَمْرُهُ،

And all those for whose affairs I am responsible

وَخَوَاتِيمَ عَمَلِي

And the seal of my deeds

وَسَائِرَ مَا مَلَكَتَنِي وَخَوَّلْتَنِي وَرَزَقْتَنِي

And all that which You have given me in possession and authorized me to dispose and provided me

وَأَنْعَمْتَ بِهِ عَلَيَّ

And conferred upon me

وَجَمِيعَ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ،

And all the believing men and women.

يَا خَيْرَ مُسْتَوْدَعٍ

O the best of trustees;

وَيَا خَيْرَ حَافِظٍ

O the best of keepers;

وَيَا أَرْحَمَ الرَّاحِمِينَ.

O the most Merciful of all those showing mercy.

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَسْأَلُكَ بِاسْمِكَ:

O Allah: I beseech You by Your Name:

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Allah, Allah, Allah, Allah, Allah,

الَّذِي لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا هُوَ رَبُّ الْعَرْشِ الْعَظِيمِ،

There is no god save You, the Lord of the Great
Throne;

أَنْ تُصَلِّيَ عَلَيَّ مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ

(I beseech You) to send blessings upon
Muhammad and the Household of Muhammad,

وَأَنْ تُفَرِّجَ عَنِّي

And to relieve me;

يَا رَبَّ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِينَ وَمَنْ فِيهِنَّ،

O the Lord of the heavens and the earth and
whoever is therein;

وَمُجْرِي الْبَحَارِ

O He Who causes oceans to flow

وَرَازِقَ مَنْ فِيهِنَّ،

And provides provisions to whatever is therein

وَفَاطِرَ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِينَ وَأَطْبَاقِهَا

O the Originator of the heavens and the earth and
their layers,

وَمُسَخِّرِ السَّحَابِ وَمُجْرِي الْفُلْكِ.

And He Who causes the clouds to be obedient (to
Him) and He Who causes ships to move,

وَجَاعِلَ الشَّمْسِ ضِيَاءً وَالْقَمَرَ نُورًا،

And He Who appoints the sun a splendor and the moon a light,

وَخَالِقَ آدَمَ عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ،

And He Who is the Creator of Adam, peace be upon him,

وَمُنْشِئَ الْأَنْبِيَاءِ عَلَيْهِمُ السَّلَامُ مِنْ ذُرِّيَّتِهِ،

And the Maker of the Propheets from his offspring—peace be upon them,

وَمُعَلِّمَ إِدْرِيسَ عَدَدَ النُّجُومِ وَالْحِسَابِ وَالسِّنِّينَ وَالشُّهُورَ

وَأَوْقَاتِ الْأَزْمَانِ،

And He Who taught Idrees to calculate the stars, and taught him the reckoning and the number of years and months and the time;

وَمُكَلِّمَ مُوسَى،

And He Who spoke to Moses

وَجَاعِلَ عَصَاهُ ثُعْبَانًا،

And caused his stick to be serpent,

وَمُنْزِلَ التَّوْرَةِ فِي الْأَلْوَابِحِ عَلَى مُوسَى عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ.

And revealed the Torah in the tablets to Moses, peace be upon him;

وَمُجْرِيَ الْفُلِّ لِنُوحٍ،

And He Who caused the ark of Noah to run,

وَفَادِيَّ إِسْمَاعِيلَ مِنَ الذَّبْحِ،

And He Who ransomed Ishmael from
slaughtering,

وَالْمُبْتَلِيَّ يَعْقُوبَ بِفَقْدِ يَوْسُفَ،

And He Who tried Jacob by the loss of Joseph

وَرَادَّ يَوْسُفَ عَلَيْهِ بَعْدَ أَنْ ابْيَضَّتْ عَيْنَاهُ مِنَ الْبُكَاءِ،

And He Who restored Joseph to him (i.e. his
father) after his eyes had become white, out of
heavy weeping.

فَتَفَرَّجَ قَلْبَهُ مِنَ الْحُزْنِ وَالشَّجَى،

Hence, his heart got rid of sadness and sorrow;

وَرَارِزِقَ زَكَرِيَّا يَحْيَى عَلَى الْكِبَرِ بَعْدَ الْإِيَّاسِ

And He Who granted Zachariah, in his old age,
John as son after he had despaired of so;

وَمُخْرِجَ النَّاقَةِ لِصَالِحٍ،

And He Who sent forth the she-camel to
(Prophet) Salih;

وَمُرْسِلَ الصَّيْحَةِ عَلَى مُكِيدِي هُودٍ،

And He Who sent forth the awful cry on those
who plotted against (Prophet) Hud,

وَكَاشِفَ الْبَلَاءِ عَنِّ أَيْبُوبَ،

And He Who relieved Job from his adversity,

وَمُنْجِي لُوطٍ مِنَ الْقَوْمِ الْفَاحِشِينَ.

And He Who saved (Prophet) Lot from the
committers of abomination;

وَوَاهِبَ الْحِكْمَةِ لَلْقَمَانَ،

And He Who bestowed upon Luqman with
wisdom;

وَمُلْقِي رُوحِ الْقُدُسِ بِكَلِمَاتِهِ عَلَى مَرْيَمَ عَلَيْهَا السَّلَامُ،

And He Who ordered the Holy Spirit to convey
His Words to Mary, peace be upon her,

وَخَلَقْتَ مِنْهَا عَبْدَكَ عِيسَى عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ،

And He created from her His servant, Jesus,
peace be upon him,

وَالْمُنْتَقِمَ مِنْ قَتَلَةِ يَحْيَى بْنِ زَكَرِيَّا عَلَيْهِمَا السَّلَامُ،

And He Who punished the slayers of Joan, son of
Zachariah, peace be upon both of them;

وَأَسْأَلُكَ بِرَفْعِكَ عِيسَى إِلَى سَمَاوَاتِكَ

I beseech You by Your taking Jesus up to Your
heavens,

وَبِإِبْقَائِكَ لَهُ إِلَى أَنْ تَنْتَقِمَ لَهُ مِنْ أَعْدَائِكَ.

And by Your keeping him alive until You decide to
retaliate upon Your enemies for him.

وَيَا مُرْسِلَ مُحَمَّدٍ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ خَاتِمِ أَنْبِيَائِكَ

O He Who sent Muhammad—peace of Allah be
upon him and his Household—the seal of Your
Prophets,

إِلَى أَشْرِّ عِبَادِكَ بِشَرَائِعِكَ الْحَسَنَةِ،

To the most evil of Your slaves, carrying to them
Your excellent commandments,

وَدِينِكَ الْقَيِّمِ،

And Your straight religion,

وَمِلَّةِ إِبْرَاهِيمَ خَلِيلِكَ عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ

Which is extension of the religion of Your
intimate friend, Abraham, peace be upon him,

وَإِظْهَارِ دِينِهِ الْقَيِّمِ،

And (You sent him for) making His straight
religion prevail over all religions,

وَإِعْلَانِكَ كَلِمَتَهُ

And making His Word be the highest.

يَا ذَا الْجَلَالِ وَالْإِكْرَامِ،

O the Lord of majesty and honor;

يَا مَنْ لَا تَأْخُذُهُ سِنَّةٌ وَلَا نَوْمٌ،

O He Whom is not overtaken by sleep or slumber;

يَا أَحَدٌ يَا صَمَدٌ

O the One and Only; O the Besought of all;

يَا عَزِيزٌ يَا قَادِرٌ يَا قَاهِرٌ،

O the Almighty; O the Able; O the Omnipotent;

يَا ذَا الْقُوَّةِ وَالسُّلْطَانِ

O the Owner of power and authority

وَالجَبَرُوتِ وَالكِبْرِيَاءِ.

And supremacy and grandeur;

يَا عَلِيُّ يَا قَدِيرُ

O the Most High; O the All-powerful;

يَا قَرِيبُ يَا مُجِيبُ،

O the Nigh; O the Responding;

يَا حَلِيمُ يَا مُعِيدُ،

O the Forebearing; O the Reproducer (of
creation);

يَا مُتَدَانِي يَا بَعِيدُ،

O the Approaching; O the Far-off;

يَا رَوْوْفُ يَا رَحِيمُ

O the All-kind; O the All-merciful;

يَا كَرِيمُ يَا غَفُورُ،

O the All-generous; O the All-forgiving;

يَا ذَا الصَّفْحِ

O the Owner of excuse;

يَا مُغِيثُ يَا مُطْعِمُ،

O the Aide; O the provider of food;

يَا شَافِي يَا كَافِي،

O the Healer; O the Rescuer;

يا كاسي يا مُعافي،

O the Provider with dress; O the Curer;

يا شافي الضرّ،

O the Alleviator of harms;

يا عَلِيمُ يا حَكِيمُ يا وَدودُ.

O the All-knowing; O the All-wise; O the All-loving;

يا غَفورُ يا رَحِيمُ

O the All-forgiver; O the All-merciful:

يا رَحْمَانَ الدُّنْيَا وَالْآخِرَةِ،

O the Beneficent of this world and the Hereafter;

يا ذا الْمَعَارِجِ يا ذا الْقُدْسِ،

O the Lord of the Ascending Stairways; O the Lord of sanctity;

يا خَالِقُ يا عَلِيمُ

O the Creator; O the All-knowing;

يا مُفَرِّجُ يا أَوَّابُ

O the Reliever; O the Turning with mercy;

يا ذا الطَّوْلِ يا خَبِيرُ،

O the Lord of bounty; O the All-aware;

يا مَنْ خَلَقَ وَلَمْ يُخْلَقْ

O He Who created, but He was not created;

يَا مَنْ لَمْ يَلِدْ وَلَمْ يُولَدْ،

O He Who never begets nor was he begotten;

يَا مَنْ بَانَ مِنَ الْأَشْيَاءِ

O He Who is different from all things;

وَبَانَ الْأَشْيَاءُ مِنْهُ بِقَهْرِهِ لَهَا وَخُضُوعِهَا لَهُ،

And all things are different from Him out of His prevelance over them and their submission before Him;

يَا مَنْ خَلَقَ الْبِحَارَ وَأَجْرَى الْأَنْهَارَ

O He Who created the oceans and caused the rivers to flow;

وَأَنْبَتَ الْأَشْجَارَ وَأَخْرَجَ مِنْهَا النَّارَ،

And He caused the trees to grow and He extracted fire from them

وَمِنْ يَابِسِ الْأَرْضِينَ النَّبَاتَ وَالْأَعْنَابَ وَسَائِرَ الثَّمَارِ.

And extracted plants and rapes and the other fruits from the dry lands.

يَا فَالِقَ الْبَحْرِ لِعَبْدِهِ مُوسَى عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ وَمُكَلِّمَهُ،

O He Who set apart the river for His servant, Moses, peace be upon him, and He Who spoke to him,

وَمُغْرِقَ فِرْعَوْنَ وَحِزْبَهُ

And He Who drowned Pharaoh and faction

وَمَهْلِكَ نَمْرُودَ وَأَشْيَاعَهُ،

And He Who destroyed Nimrud and his groups

وَمُلَيِّنَ الْحَدِيدِ لِخَلِيفَتِهِ دَاوُودَ عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ،

And He Who made the iron pliant for His vicegerent, David, peace be upon him,

وَمُسَخَّرَ الْجِبَالِ مَعَهُ يُسَبِّحُنَ بِالْغُدُوِّ وَالْأَصَالِ،

And He Who subdued the hills to hymn the praises (of their Lord) with him at nightfall and sunrise;

وَمُسَخَّرَ الطَّيْرِ وَالْمَهْوَامِّ وَالرِّيَّاحِ وَالْجِنِّ وَالْإِنْسِ لِعَبْدِكَ

سُلَيْمَانَ عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ

And He Who subdued the birds and the verments and the winds and the jinn and the humankind for His servant, Solomon, peace be upon him;

وَأَسْأَلُكَ بِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي اهْتَزَّتْ لَهُ عَرْشُكَ

I beseech You by Your Name to which Your Throen shook

وَفَرِحَتْ بِهِ مَلَائِكَتُكَ،

And by which Your angels were delighted;

فَلَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ

So, there is no god save You;

خَالِقُ النَّسَمَةِ وَبَارِئُ النَّوَى وَفَالِقُ الْحَبَّةِ،

The Creator of souls and the Maker of seeds and
the Splitter of grains;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الْعَزِيزِ الْجَلِيلِ الْكَبِيرِ الْمُتَعَالِ.

And by Your Name: the Almighty, the Lofty, the
Great, the high Exalted;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي يَنْفُخُ بِهِ عَبْدُكَ وَمَلَكَكَ إِسْرَافِيلُ عَلَيْهِ
السَّلَامُ فِي الصُّورِ،

And by Your Name by which Your servant and
angel, Michael, peace be upon him, shall blow the
Trumpet,

فَيَقُومُ أَهْلُ الْقُبُورِ سِرَاعاً إِلَى الْمَحْشَرِ يَنْسِلُونَ،

And thus the inhabitants of graves shall stand up,
hasting to the place of resurrection;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي رَفَعْتَ بِهِ السَّمَاوَاتِ مِنْ غَيْرِ عِمَادٍ

And by Your Name by which You uplifted the
heavens without supports

وَجَعَلْتَ بِهِ لِلْأَرْضِينَ أوتاداً،

And by which You made bulwarks for the earth;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي سَطَّحْتَ بِهِ الْأَرْضِينَ فَوْقَ الْمَاءِ الْمَحْبُوسِ،

And by Your Name by which You surfaced the
earth on the repressed water;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي حَبَسْتَ بِهِ ذَلِكَ الْمَاءَ

And by Your Name by which You repressed that
water;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي حَمَلْتَ بِهِ الْأَرْضِينَ مَنِ اخْتَرْتَهُ لِحَمْلِهَا،

And by Your Name by which You caused him whom You chose for undertaking the earth to undertake it

وَجَعَلْتَ لَهُ مِنَ الْقُوَّةِ مَا اسْتَعَانَ بِهِ عَلَى حَمْلِهَا.

And You supplied him with the power that helped him undertake it;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي تَجْرِي بِهِ الشَّمْسُ وَالْقَمَرُ،

And by Your Name by which the sun and the moon move;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي سَلَخْتَ بِهِ النَّهَارَ مِنَ اللَّيْلِ،

And by Your Name by which You strip the day of the night;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي إِذَا دُعِيَ بِهِ أَنْزَلْتَ أَرْزَاقَ الْعِبَادِ

And by Your Name; if You are prayed by it, You bring down the provisions of the servants

وَجَمِيعِ خَلْقِكَ

And all Your creatures

وَأَرْضِكَ وَبِحَارِكَ

And Your lands and Your oceans

وَسُكَّانِ الْبِحَارِ وَالْهَوَامِّ،

And the inhabitants of the oceans and the verments

وَالْجِنِّ وَالْإِنْسِ

And the jinn and the humankind

وَكُلِّ دَابَّةٍ أَنْتَ آخِذٌ بِنَاصِيَتِهَا

And every creeping creature that You grasp by the forelock!

إِنَّكَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ.

You verily have power over all things.

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي جَعَلْتَ بِهِ لِجَعْفَرَ عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ جَنَاحًا يَطِيرُ بِهِ

مَعَ الْمَلَائِكَةِ،

And by Your Name by which You made a wing for Ja`far, peace be upon him, by which he flies with the angels;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي دَعَاكَ بِهِ يُونُسُ عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ فِي بَطْنِ الْحَوْتِ

فَأَخْرَجْتَهُ مِنْهُ،

And by Your Name by which Jonah—peace be upon him—prayed You from the interior of the whale; and You thus took him out of there;

وَبِاسْمِكَ الَّذِي أَنْبَتَ بِهِ عَلَيْهِ شَجَرَةً مِنْ يَقْطِينٍ،

And by Your Name by which You caused a tree of gourd to grow above him;

فَاسْتَجَبْتَ لَهُ وَكَشَفْتَ عَنْهُ مَا كَانَ فِيهِ مِنْ ضَيْقِ بَطْنِ

الْحَوْتِ.

Hence, You responded to him and relieved from
the distress that he had experienced in the
interior of the whale;

أَسْأَلُكَ أَنْ تُصَلِّيَ عَلَيَّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ عَبْدِكَ وَرَسُولِكَ وَعَلَى آلِهِ
الطَّيِّبِينَ،

I beseech You to send blessings upon Muhammad,
Your servant and Your Messenger, and upon his
Household, the Immaculate,

وَأَنْ تُفَرِّجَ عَنِّي وَتَكْشِفَ ضُرِّي وَتَسْتَنْقِذَنِي مِنْ وَرَطَّتِي،

And to relieve me (from my distress) and to
remove away my harm and to save me from my
troubles

وَتُخَلِّصَنِي مِنْ مِحْنَتِي،

And to release me from my ordeal

وَتَقْضِيَ عَنِّي دِيُونِي،

And to help me settle my debts

وَتُؤَدِّيَ عَنِّي أَمَانَتِي،

And to help me fulfill my trust

وَتَكْبُتَ أَعْدَائِي،

And to suppress my enemies

وَلَا تُشْمِتَ بِي حُسَّادِي،

And not to make those who envy me rejoice at my
misfortune

وَلَا تَبْتَلِينِي بِمَا لَا طَاقَةَ لِي بِهِ،

And not to try me through that which I cannot stand

وَأَنْ تُبَلِّغَنِي أُمْنِيَّتِي،

And to make me attain my hope

وَتُسَهِّلَ لِي مِحْنَتِي،

And to make easy for me my ordeal

وَتُيَسِّرَ لِي أَرَادَتِي،

And to facilitate my determination

وَتُوصِلَنِي إِلَى بُغْيَتِي،

And to make me reach my desire

وَتَجْمَعَ لِي خَيْرَ الدَّارَيْنِ،

And to join for me the welfare of the two abodes
(i.e. this world and the Next World)

وَتَحْرُسَنِي وَكُلَّ مَنْ يُعْنِينِي أَمْرُهُ،

And to safeguard me as well as everybody for whom I care

بِعَيْنِكَ الَّتِي لَا تَنَامُ فِي اللَّيْلِ وَالنَّهَارِ،

With Your eye that never sleeps at night or in days;

يَا ذَا الْجَلَالِ وَالْإِكْرَامِ وَالْأَسْمَاءِ الْعِظَامِ.

O the Lord of majesty and honor and Grand Names.

اللَّهُمَّ يَا رَبُّ أَنَا عَبْدُكَ وَابْنُ عَبْدِكَ وَابْنُ أُمَّتِكَ

O Allah: O my Lord: I am verily Your servant and the son of Your servant and Your bondwoman

وَمِنْ أَوْلِيَاءِ أَهْلِ بَيْتِ نَبِيِّكَ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَيْهِمْ،

And I am one of the loyalists of Your Prophet's Household—peace of Allah be upon him and them—

الَّذِينَ بَارَكْتَ عَلَيْهِمْ

Upon whom You showered blessings

وَرَحِمْتَهُمْ وَصَلَّيْتَ عَلَيْهِمْ

And whom You had mercy and You blessed

كَمَا صَلَّيْتَ وَبَارَكْتَ عَلَىٰ إِبْرَاهِيمَ وَآلِ إِبْرَاهِيمَ

In the same way as You blessed and sanctified Abraham and the household of Abraham;

إِنَّكَ حَمِيدٌ مُّجِيدٌ،

Verily, You are worthy of all praise, full of all Glory.

وَلِمَجْدِكَ وَطَوْلِكَ،

And depending upon Your glory and Your bountifulness,

أَسْأَلُكَ يَا رَبَّاهُ يَا رَبَّاهُ

I beseech You; O my Lord; O my Lord;

يَا رَبَّاهُ يَا رَبَّاهُ

O my Lord; O my Lord;

يَا رَبَّاهُ يَا رَبَّاهُ

O my Lord; O my Lord;

يَا رَبَّاهُ يَا رَبَّاهُ

O my Lord; O my Lord;

يَا رَبَّاهُ يَا رَبَّاهُ

O my Lord; O my Lord;

بِحَقِّ مُحَمَّدٍ عَبْدِكَ وَرَسُولِكَ

In the name of Muhammad, Your servant and
Messenger,

صَلَّى اللهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ،

Peace of Allah be upon his and his Household,

وَبِحَقِّكَ عَلَى نَفْسِكَ

And in the name of Your duty toward Yourself

إِلَّا خَصَمْتَ أَعْدَائِي وَحُسَّادِي

That You may be the enemy of my enemies and
those who envy me

وَخَذَلْتَهُمْ وَأَنْتَقَمْتَ لِي مِنْهُمْ،

And that You may disappoint them and revenge
on them for me

وَأُظْهِرْتَنِي عَلَيْهِمْ وَكَفَيْتَنِي أَمْرَهُمْ،

And make me prevail on them and do with them
on my behalf

وَتَصَرَّتْنِي عَلَيْهِمْ وَحَرَسْتَنِي مِنْهُمْ،

And that You may grant me victory over them and
guard me against them

وَوَسَّعْتَ عَلَيَّ فِي رِزْقِي

And expand my sustenance

وَبَلَّغْتَنِي غَايَةَ أَمَلِي

And make me attain the ultimate of my hopes;

إِنَّكَ سَمِيعٌ مُّجِيبٌ.

Verily, You are All-hearing, Responding.

Salaah of Salman Farsi

(1st, 15th and Last Day of Rajab)

Salman Farsi narrates that Prophet Muhammad (saws) said "O Salmaan, there is no Mumin/Muminah (True Believer/Female Believer) who performs **30 Raka' in the month of Rajab** (10 units on 1st, 10 units on 15th & 10 units on the last day) and in each Raka'ah recites Surah Al Faatihah once, Surah Al-Ikhlaas 3 times, and Surah Al Kafiroon 3 times; that Allah does forgive them their sins and bestows rewards upon them as upon a person who has fasted a whole month.

He becomes among those who will be steadfast in their salaah in the year which is to come. For him, the deeds of the day are equal to that of the martyr. He will be raised with the Martyrs of the Holy Battle of Badr. For him is written for the fast of each day, one year's worship. His station is raised 1000 times higher."

He said Jibreel informed me "O Muhammad this is the sign between you and the Mushrikeen (Polytheists) and the Munaafiqeen (Hypocrites) because the Munafiq does not perform this Salaah."

Method of Salaah:

10 Raka' and in each Raka' recite; **Surah Al-Fatihah once, Surah Al Ikhlas 3 times and Surah Al Kafiroon 3 times** and after you recite you're Salaam (at the end of each 2 units) raise your hands and say:

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ

There is no god save Allah,

وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ

the One and Only Who has no partner.

لَهُ الْمُلْكُ وَلَهُ الْحَمْدُ

To him is the kingdom and to Him is all praise.

يُحْيِي وَيُمِيتُ

He gives life and causes to die

وَهُوَ حَيٌّ لَا يَمُوتُ

while He is Ever-living and never dies.

بِيَدِهِ الْخَيْرُ

In His hand is the good

وَهُوَ عَلَىٰ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ

and He has power over all things.

Then add the following:

(Same method is used to recite the Salaat for the 3 days ie 1st, 15th & the last day of the month of Rajab, but only the last invocation is different as under; Spread your hands over your face upon completion of invocation and submit your request.)

For 1st of Rajab:

اللَّهُمَّ لَا مَانِعَ لِمَا أَعْطَيْتَ

O Allah, verily, none can ever divest him whom You decide to give,

وَلَا مُعْطِيَ لِمَا مَنَعْتَ

none can ever give him whom You decide to deprive,

وَلَا يَنْفَعُ ذَا الْجَدِّ مِنْكَ الْجَدُّ

and nothing can ever stop that which You decide.

Ziyarah of Imam Hussain for the 1st of Rajab

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا بَنَ رَسُولِ اللَّهِ

Peace be upon you, O son of Allah's Messenger.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا بَنَ خَاتَمِ النَّبِيِّينَ

Peace be upon you, O son of the seal of the Prophets.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا بَنَ سَيِّدِ الْمُرْسَلِينَ

Peace be upon you, O son of the chief of the Messengers.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا بَنَ سَيِّدِ الْوَصِيِّينَ

Peace be upon you, O son of the chief of the Prophets' successors.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا أَبَا عَبْدِ اللَّهِ

Peace be upon you, O Aba-`Abdullah.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا حُسَيْنُ بْنُ عَلِيٍّ

Peace be upon you, O al-Husayn the son of `Ali.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا بَنَ فَاطِمَةَ سَيِّدَةِ نِسَاءِ الْعَالَمِينَ

Peace be upon you, O son of Fatimah the Doyenne of the women of the world.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا وَلِيَّ اللَّهِ وَأَبْنَ وَلِيِّهِ

Peace be upon you, O saint of Allah and son of His saint.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا صَفِيَّ اللَّهِ وَأَبْنَ صَفِيِّهِ

Peace be upon you, O select of Allah and son of His select.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا حُجَّةَ اللَّهِ وَأَبْنَ حُجَّتِهِ

Peace be upon you, O argument of Allah and son of His argument.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا حَبِيبَ اللَّهِ وَأَبْنَ حَبِيبِهِ

Peace be upon you, O beloved by Allah and son of the beloved by Him.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا سَفِيرَ اللَّهِ وَأَبْنَ سَفِيرِهِ

Peace be upon you, O representative of Allah and son of His representative.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا خَازِنَ الْكِتَابِ الْمَسْطُورِ

Peace be upon you, O keeper of the inscribed Scripture.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا وَارِثَ التَّوْرَةِ وَالْإِنْجِيلِ وَالزَّبُورِ

Peace be upon you, O inheritor of the Torah, the Gospel, and the Psalms.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا أَمِينَ الرَّحْمَنِ

Peace be upon you, O trustee of the All-beneficent God.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا شَرِيكَ الْقُرْآنِ

Peace be upon you, O partner of the Qur'an.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا عَمُودَ الدِّينِ

Peace be upon you, O support of the religion.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا بَابَ حِكْمَةِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ

Peace be upon you, O door to the wisdom of the Lord of the worlds.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا بَابَ حِطَّةِ الَّذِي مَنْ دَخَلَهُ كَانَ مِنَ

الْأَمِنِينَ

Peace be upon you, O door of Forgiveness; he who enters from this door will be of the secured ones.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا عَيْبَةَ عِلْمِ اللَّهِ

Peace be upon you, O case of Allah's knowledge.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا مَوْضِعَ سِرِّ اللَّهِ

Peace be upon you, O place of Allah's secret.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ يَا ثَارَ اللَّهِ وَأَبْنَ ثَارِهِ وَالْوِثَرَ الْمَوْثُورَ

Peace be upon you, O (the object of) Allah's vengeance and the violated sanctity.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ وَعَلَى الْأَرْوَاحِ الَّتِي حَلَّتْ بِفِنَائِكَ وَأُنَاخَتْ
بِرَحْلِكَ

Peace be upon you and upon the souls that resided in your yard and settled down near your caravan.

بِأَبِي أَنْتَ وَأُمِّي وَتَفْسِي يَا أَبَا عَبْدِ اللَّهِ

May Allah accept my father, my mother, and myself as ransoms for you, O Aba-`Abdullah.

لَقَدْ عَظُمَتِ الْمُصِيبَةُ وَجَلَّتِ الرَّزِيَّةُ بِكَ عَلَيْنَا وَعَلَى
جَمِيعِ أَهْلِ الْإِسْلَامِ

O Aba-`Abdullah, unbearable is the sorrow and never-racking is the agony you put up with, for us and for all (true) Muslims.

فَلَعَنَ اللَّهُ أُمَّةً أَسَّسَتْ أَسَاسَ الظُّلْمِ وَالْجَوْرِ عَلَيْكُمْ أَهْلَ
الْبَيْتِ

Curse of Allah be on the people who laid the basis of wronging and injustice against you the Household of the Prophet.

وَلَعَنَ اللَّهُ أُمَّةً دَفَعَتْكُمْ عَنْ مَقَامِكُمْ

Curse of Allah be upon the people who
removed you from your position

وَأَزَالَتِكُمْ عَنْ مَرَاتِبِكُمْ الَّتِي رَتَّبَكُمْ اللَّهُ فِيهَا

and took you away from your actual ranks
that Allah has chosen for you.

بِأَبِي أَنْتَ وَأُمِّي وَتَفْسِي يَا أَبَا عَبْدِ اللَّهِ

May Allah accept my father, my mother, and
me as ransoms for you, O Aba-`Abdullah.

أَشْهَدُ لَقَدْ أَفْشَعَرْتُ لِدِمَائِكُمْ أَظْلَةَ الْعَرْشِ مَعَ أَظْلَةَ

الْخَلَائِقِ

I bear witness that the shades of the Divine
Throne shared the shades of the creatures in
shuddering for the shedding of your blood.

وَبَكَّتْكُمْ السَّمَاءُ وَالْأَرْضُ وَسُكَّانُ الْجَنَانِ وَالْبَرِّ وَالْبَحْرِ

The heavens, the earth, and the inhabitants of
the gardens of Paradise, the lands, and the
oceans—all those wept for you.

صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْكَ عَدَدَ مَا فِي عِلْمِ اللَّهِ

May Allah shower upon you blessings as
many as the number of what is there in the
knowledge of Allah.

لَبَّيْكَ دَاعِيَ اللَّهِ

Here I am at your service, O caller to Allah.

إِنْ كَانَ لَمْ يُجِبْكَ بَدِّي عِنْدَ اسْتِغَاثَتِكَ وَلِسَانِي عِنْدَ
اسْتِنصَارِكَ

If my body could not respond to your call
when you called for aid and my tongue could
not respond to your call for help,

فَقَدْ أَجَابَكَ قَلْبِي وَسَمْعِي وَبَصْرِي

then my heart, my hearing, and my sight have
verily responded to you.

سُبْحَانَ رَبَّنَا إِنْ كَانَ وَعْدُ رَبَّنَا لَمَفْعُولًا

Glory be to our Lord! Most surely, the
promise of our Lord was to be fulfilled.

أَشْهَدُ أَنَّكَ طَاهِرٌ طَاهِرٌ مُطَهَّرٌ مِنْ طَهْرٍ طَاهِرٍ مُطَهَّرٍ

I bear witness that you are pure, immaculate,
and purified and you are the offspring of the
pure, immaculate, and purified ones.

طَهَّرْتَ وَطَهَّرْتَ بِكَ الْبِلَادُ

You are indeed pure and you are the reason
for the purity of the lands.

وَطَهَّرْتَ أَرْضُ أَنْتَ بِهَا وَطَهَّرَ حَرَمُكَ

Pure is the land where you are and pure is
your holy shrine.

أَشْهَدُ أَنَّكَ قَدْ أَمَرْتَ بِالْقِسْطِ وَالْعَدْلِ وَدَعَوْتَ إِلَيْهِمَا

I bear witness that you enjoined justice and fairness and you called to them.

وَأَنَّكَ صَادِقٌ صِدِّيقٌ صَدَقْتَ فِيمَا دَعَوْتَ إِلَيْهِ

And you are verily honest and veracious, and you were truthful in that for which you called.

وَأَنَّكَ تَارٌ لِلَّهِ فِي الْأَرْضِ

And you are verily (the object of) Allah's vengeance on the earth.

وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّكَ قَدْ بَلَّغْتَ عَنِ اللَّهِ

And I bear witness that you did convey on behalf of Allah,

وَعَنْ جَدِّكَ رَسُولِ اللَّهِ

on behalf of your grandfather the Messenger of Allah,

وَعَنْ أَبِيكَ أَمِيرِ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ

on behalf of your father the Commander of the Faithful,

وَعَنْ أَخِيكَ الْحَسَنِ

and on behalf of your brother al-Hasan.

وَتَصَحَّتْ وَجَاهَدْتَ فِي سَبِيلِ اللَّهِ

And you advised and strove in the way of
Allah

وَعَبَدْتَهُ مُخْلِصاً حَتَّىٰ آتَاكَ الْيَقِينُ

and you served Him sincerely until death
came upon you.

فَجَزَاكَ اللَّهُ خَيْرَ جَزَاءِ السَّابِقِينَ

So, may Allah award you with the best of the
rewarding of the foremost (to deeds of
goodness).

وَصَلَّىٰ اللَّهُ عَلَيْكَ وَسَلَّمَ تَسْلِيماً

And may Allah bless and exalt you
thoroughly.

اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَىٰ مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ وَصَلِّ عَلَىٰ الْحُسَيْنِ
الْمَظْلُومِ

O Allah, (please) send blessings upon
Muhammad and the Household of
Muhammad, and send blessings upon al-
Husayn the wronged,

الشَّهِيدِ الرَّشِيدِ

the martyr, the orthodox,

قَتِيلِ الْعَبْرَاتِ

the slain one whom is wept heavily,

وَأَسِيرِ الْكُرْبَاتِ

and the object of agonies

صَلَاةً نَامِيَةً زَاكِيَةً مُبَارَكَةً

with such blessings that are increasing,
growing, and sacred;

يَصْعَدُ أَوَّلُهَا وَلَا يَنْفَدُ آخِرُهَا

the first of which ascends and the last of
which is infinite,

أَفْضَلَ مَا صَلَّيْتَ عَلَى أَحَدٍ مِنْ أَوْلَادِ أَنْبِيَائِكَ الْمُرْسَلِينَ

and with the best blessings that You ever sent
on any of Your missioned Prophets' sons.

يَا إِلَهَ الْعَالَمِينَ

O God of the worlds!

Ziyarah of Ali ibn Hussain

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ أَيُّهَا الصَّدِيقُ الطَّيِّبُ

Peace be upon you, O veracious, pure,

الزَّكِيُّ الْحَبِيبُ الْمُقَرَّبُ

immaculate, dear, favorite,

وَأَبْنِ رَيْحَانَةِ رَسُولِ اللَّهِ

and son of the basil of Allah's Messenger.

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكَ مِنْ شَهِيدٍ مُحْتَسِبٍ

Peace be upon you as you are steadfast martyr.

وَرَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ وَبَرَكَاتُهُ

Allah's mercy and blessings be upon you.

مَا أَكْرَمَ مَقَامَكَ وَأَشْرَفَ مُنْقَلَبَكَ

How noble your position is and how honorable your seat is.

أَشْهَدُ لَقَدْ شَكَرَ اللَّهُ سَعْيَكَ

I bear witness that Allah thanked you for your efforts,

وَأَجْزَلَ ثَوَابِكَ

magnified your rewards,

وَأَلْحَقَكَ بِالذَّرْوَةِ الْعَالِيَةِ

and joined you to the exalted summit

حَيْثُ الشَّرَفُ كُلُّ الشَّرَفِ

where there is the entire honor

وَفِي الْغُرَفِ السَّامِيَةِ

in the elevated chambers.

كَمَا مَنَّ عَلَيْكَ مِنْ قَبْلُ وَجَعَلَكَ مِنْ أَهْلِ الْبَيْتِ

Similarly, He had bestowed upon you and made you one of the members of the Household of the Prophet

الَّذِينَ أَذْهَبَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُمْ الرِّجْسَ وَطَهَّرَهُمْ تَطْهِيراً

from whom Allah removed filth and whom He purified with thorough purification.

صَلَوَاتُ اللَّهِ عَلَيْكَ وَرَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ وَبَرَكَاتُهُ وَرِضْوَانُهُ

Allah's blessings, mercy, benedictions, and pleasure be upon you.

فَاشْفَعْ أَيْهَا السَّيِّدُ الطَّاهِرُ إِلَى رَبِّكَ

So, O pure master, (please) intercede for me with your Lord

فِي حَظِّ الْأَثْقَالِ عَنْ ظَهْرِي وَتَخْفِيفِهَا عَنِّي

so that He may unburden and relieve me from the loads (of sins) that I carry on my back.

وَأَرْحَمِ ذُلِّي وَخُضُوعِي لَكَ وَلِلْسَيِّدِ أَبِيكَ صَلَّى اللَّهُ

عَلَيْكُمَا

And (please) have mercy upon my humbleness and submission to you and to the master, your father. May Allah

You may then throw yourself on the tomb and say the following words:

زَادَ اللَّهُ فِي شَرَفِكُمْ فِي الْآخِرَةِ

May Allah increase your honor in the
Hereafter

كَمَا شَرَّفَكُمُ فِي الدُّنْيَا

in the same way as He honored you in this
world

وَأُسْعِدْكُمْ كَمَا أُسْعِدَ بِكُمْ

and may He bless you in the same way as He
blessed others on account of you.

وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّكُمْ أَعْلَامُ الدِّينِ

And I bear witness that you are the signposts
of the religion

وَتُجُومُ الْعَالَمِينَ

and the stars of the worlds.

وَالسَّلَامُ عَلَيْكُمْ وَرَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ وَبَرَكَاتُهُ

Peace and Allah's mercy and blessings be
upon you.

Ziyarah of the Martyrs of Karbala

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكُمْ يَا أَنْصَارَ اللَّهِ

Peace be upon you all, O supporters of Allah

وَأَنْصَارَ رَسُولِهِ

supporters of His Messenger,

وَأَنْصَارَ عَلِيِّ بْنِ أَبِي طَالِبٍ

supporters of `Ali the son of Aba-Ṭalib

وَأَنْصَارَ فَاطِمَةَ

supporters of Fatimah,

وَأَنْصَارَ الْحَسَنِ وَالْحُسَيْنِ

supporters of al-Hasan and al-Husayn,

وَأَنْصَارَ الْإِسْلَامِ

and supporters of Islam.

أَشْهَدُ أَنَّكُمْ لَقَدْ نَصَحْتُمْ لِلَّهِ

I bear witness that you indeed did sincerely
for the sake of Allah

وَجَاهَدْتُمْ فِي سَبِيلِهِ

and strove sincerely in His way.

فَجَزَاكُمْ اللَّهُ عَنِ الْإِسْلَامِ وَأَهْلِهِ أَفْضَلَ الْجَزَاءِ

So, may Allah reward you on behalf of Islam
and its people with the best of rewarding.

فُزْتُمْ وَاللَّهِ فَوْزاً عَظِيماً

By Allah I swear, you did win a great success.

يَا لَيْتَنِي كُنْتُ مَعَكُمْ فَأَفُوزَ فَوْزاً عَظِيماً

I wish I were with you so that I would win a great success.

أَشْهَدُ أَنْكُمْ أَحْيَاءٌ عِنْدَ رَبِّكُمْ تُرْزَقُونَ

I bear witness that you are alive with your Lord, receiving sustenance.

أَشْهَدُ أَنْكُمْ الشُّهَدَاءُ وَالسُّعْدَاءُ

I bear witness that you are the true martyrs and the true happy ones

وَأَنْكُمْ الْفَائِزُونَ فِي دَرَجَاتِ الْعُلَى

and you are the winners in the most elevated ranks.

وَالسَّلَامُ عَلَيْكُمْ وَرَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ وَبَرَكَاتُهُ

Peace and Allah's mercy and blessings be upon you.