

## Month of Ramadhan

# THE 23RD NIGHT -LAYLATUL QADR

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Laylatul-Qadr is the night, which is the best night among the nights of the whole year. The "A'maal" (religious performances) of this night are better than the A'maal of 1000 months. In this night the divine Annual Decree is passed. The Angels and Roohul Ameen (A highly dignified Angel) descend on this earth, in that night. These call on the [Imam of the time](#), and what is ordained (by Allah) for everybody is presented before the Imam.

The twenty-third night of Ramadhan, the last of the Qadr Nights, is more meritorious than the 19th & 21st & many narrations confirm that it is the Qadr Night at which all affairs are decided.

In addition to the [General a'amal](#) at all the three Qadr Nights, there are other 'specific additional a'amal' for the 23rd night :-

1. Recite Surahs of *al-'Ankabut* (No. 29) {[Ppt](#) [Mp3](#)} and *al-Rum* (No. 30). {[Ppt](#) [Mp3](#)} [Imam al-Sadiq \(a.s\)](#) is reported to have said, "Anyone who recites these two Surahs at this night will be included with the people of Paradise." Recite Surah of *al-Dukhan* (No. 44). [Ppt](#) [Mp3](#)

[Brief explanation of surahs to be recited Ankabut \(No. 29\) al-Rum \(No. 30\) al-Dukhan \(No. 44\)](#) Use [www.Tanzil.info](http://www.Tanzil.info) for text

2. It is recommended to repeat [Surah of al-Qadr](#) (No.97) thousand times. [Mp3](#)

3. The night is inextricably linked to the [Imam of our time](#) Recite [this Special Salaat of Imam](#)

4)It is recommended to say the following supplication  
*Najaf Arabic font*

:[Mp3](#)

O Allah: (please do) prolong my lifetime,

اللَّهُمَّ اَمِدِّدْ لِي فِي عُمْرِي،

And expand my sustenance,

وَأَوْسِعْ لِي فِي رِزْقِي،

And make my body healthy,

وَأَصِحِّ لِي جِسْمِي،

And make me attain my hopes,

وَبَلِّغْنِي أَمَلِي،

And if I am written with the unhappy ones, (please) erase my name from this list,

وَإِنْ كُنْتُ مِنَ الْأَشْقِيَاءِ

فَامْحُنِي مِنَ الْأَشْقِيَاءِ

And write it with the happy ones,

وَاكَتُبْنِي مِنَ السَّعْدَاءِ،

For You have said in Your Book that You revealed to Your missioned Prophet, Your peace be upon him and his Household:

فَإِنَّكَ قُلْتَ فِي كِتَابِكَ الْمُنْزَلِ

عَلَى نَبِيِّكَ الْمُرْسَلِ صَلَوَاتِكَ

عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ:

“Allah makes to pass away and establishes what He pleases, and with Him is the basis of the Book.”

(يَمْحُو اللَّهُ مَا يَشَاءُ وَيُثَبِّتُ

وَعِنْدَهُ أَمُّ الْكِتَابِ)

ALLAAHUMMAMA-DUD LEE FEE U'MREE WA AWSIA'-LEE FEE RIZQEE WA AS'IH'H'A LEE JISMEE  
WA BALLIGHNEE AMALEE WA IN KUNTU MINAL ASHQIYAAA-I FAM-H'UNEE MINAL ASHQIYAAA  
WAK-TUBNEE MINAS SU-A'DAAA FA-INNAKA QULTA FEE KITAABIKAL MUNZALI A'LAA  
NABIYYKAL MURSAL S'ALAWAATUKA A'LAYHI WA AALIHEE YAMH'ULLAAHU MAA YASHAAA-U  
WA YUTHBITU WA I'NDAHOO UMMUL KITAAB

## 5. Recite the following supplication 2

: [Mp3](#)

O Allah: (please), among the matters that You decide and make,

اللَّهُمَّ اجْعَلْ فِيمَا تَقْضِي وَفِيمَا  
تُقَدِّرُ

From among the inevitable affairs,

مِنَ الْأَمْرِ الْمَحْتَمِ

And from among the wise matters that You make distinct,

وَفِيمَا تَفَرِّقُ مِنَ الْأَمْرِ الْحَكِيمِ

At the Grand Night

From among the act that is neither  
rejected nor altered,

That You decide me to be with the  
pilgrims to Your Holy House,

At this year,

Those whose pilgrimage is admitted,

Whose efforts are praised,

Whose sins are forgiven,

And whose offenses and pardoned.

And (please), among the matters that  
You decide and make,

Decide to prolong my lifetime,

And to expand my sustenance.

فِي لَيْلَةِ الْقَدْرِ  
مِنَ الْقَضَاءِ الَّذِي لَا يُرَدُّ وَلَا  
يُبَدَّلُ  
أَنْ تَكْتُبَنِي مِنْ حُجَّاجِ بَيْتِكَ  
الْحَرَامِ  
فِي عَامِي هَذَا  
الْمَبْرُورِ حَجَّهُمْ،  
الْمَشْكُورِ سَعْيِهِمْ،  
الْمَغْفُورِ ذُنُوبِهِمْ،  
الْمُكَفَّرِ عَنْهُمْ سَيِّئَاتِهِمْ،  
وَاجْعَلْ فِيمَا تَقْضِي وَتُقَدِّرُ  
أَنْ تُطِيلَ عُمْرِي،  
وَتُوسِّعَ لِي فِي رِزْقِي.

ALLAAHUMMAJ-A'L FEEMAA TAQZ"EE WA FEEMAA TUQADDIRU MINAL AMRIL MAH'TOOM WA  
FEEMA TAFRUQU MINAL AMRIL H'AKEEM FEE LAYLATIL QADR MINAL QAZ"AAA-IL LAD'EE LAA  
YURADDU WA LAA YUBADDALU AN TAKTUBANEE MIN H'UJJAAJI BAYTIKAL H'ARAAM FEE  
A'AMEE HAAD'AL MABROOR H'UJJUHUMUL MASHKOOR SAA'-YUHUMUL MAGHFOOR  
D'UNOOBUHUMAL MUKAFFARI A'NHUM SAYYI-AATUHUM WAJ-A'L FEEMA TAQZ"EE WA  
TAQADDIRU AN TUT'EEL U'MREE WA TUWASSI-A'LEE FEE RIZQEE

6. Recite the following supplication 3 that is mentioned in the book of 'Iqbal  
al-A`mal :[Mp3](#)

O He Who is intrinsic though He is  
evident,

يَا بَاطِنًا فِي ظُهُورِهِ،

And He Who is evident though He is intrinsic;

O He Who is intrinsic that is not missed

And He Who is evident but He cannot be seen;

O He Who is described, but neither any other described thing nor can any boundary attain His Being;

O He Who is absent but not lost,

And He Who is present but not witnessed.

When He is sought, He shall be obtained,

And neither the heavens, nor the earth nor can anything that is between them be empty of Him.

He cannot be realized by asking 'How is He?'

And His place cannot be identified by asking, 'Where is He?' or 'What is His place?'

You are verily the light of all lights and the Lord of all lords.

You have comprehended all things.

Glory be to Him Whose like is nonexistent,

And He is the All-hearing, the All-seeing.

Glory be to Him Who is in this state and nothing else can be ever in his state.

وَيَا ظَاهِرًا فِي بَطُونِهِ،

وَيَا بَاطِنًا لَيْسَ يَخْفَى،

وَيَا ظَاهِرًا لَيْسَ يُرَى،

يَا مَوْصُوفًا لَا يَبْلُغُ بِكَيْنُونَتِهِ

مَوْصُوفٌ وَلَا حَدٌّ مَحْدُودٌ،

وَيَا غَائِبًا غَيْرَ مَفْقُودٍ،

وَيَا شَاهِدًا غَيْرَ مَشْهُودٍ،

يُطَلَّبُ فَيُصَابُ،

وَلَمْ يَخْلُ مِنْهُ السَّمَاوَاتُ

وَالْأَرْضُ وَمَا بَيْنَهُمَا طَرْفَةً

عَيْنٍ،

لَا يُدْرِكُ بِكَيْفٍ،

وَلَا يُؤَيِّنُ بِأَيْنٍ وَلَا بِحَيْثٍ،

أَنْتَ نُورُ النُّورِ وَرَبُّ الْأَرْبَابِ،

أَحَطْتَ بِجَمِيعِ الْأُمُورِ،

سُبْحَانَ مَنْ لَيْسَ كَمِثْلِهِ شَيْءٌ

وَهُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْبَصِيرُ!

سُبْحَانَ مَنْ هُوَ هَكَذَا وَلَا

هَكَذَا غَيْرُهُ!

YAA BAAT'INAN FEE Z'UHOORIHI WA YAA Z'AAHIRAN FEBUT'OONIHI WA YAA BAAT'INAN LAYSA  
 YAKHFAA WA YAA Z'AAHIRAN LAYSA YURAA YAA MAWS'OOFAN LAA YABLUGHU BI-  
 KAYNOONATIHI MAWS'OOFUN WA LAA H'ADDUN MAH'DOOD WA YAA GHAAA-IBAN GHAYRA  
 MAFQOOD WA YAA SHAAHIDAN GHAYRA MASH-HOOD YUT'LABU FA-YUS'AABU WA LAM  
 YAKHLU MINHUS SAMAAWAATU WAL ARZ" WA MAA BAYNAHUMAA T'ARFATA A'YN LAA  
 YUDRAKU BI-KAYFIN WA LAA YOO-AYYANU BI-AYN WA LAA BI-H'AYTHU ANTA NOORUN NOOR  
 WA RABBUL ARBAAB AH'AT'TA BI-JAMEE-I'L UMOOR SUBH'AANA MAN LAYSA KAMITHLIHI  
 SHAY-UN WA HUWAS SAMEE-U'L BAS'EER SUBH'AANA MAN HUWA HAAKAD'AA WA LAA  
 HAAKAD'AA GHAYRUHU

7. Do a new ghusl (bathing), other than the first one, at the last hours of night.

8. Recite the following supplication 4

:[Mp3](#)

O Lord of Lailatul  
 Qadr! (Night of  
 Destiny!) Who has  
 made it better than  
 1000 months! O the  
 Lord of the day and  
 the night and the  
 mountains and  
 oceans, the Lord of  
 light and darkness!  
 O the Lord of the  
 earth and the skies!  
 O the Creator! O the  
 Designer! O Kind! O  
 One Who favours! O  
 Allah Who maintains  
 everything! O Allah!  
 O the Kindest! O  
 Allah! O the Creator

of new things! O Allah! O Allah! O Allah! The best names are for Thee alone. Thou hast control over all virtues. I ask Thee to send blessings on Muhammad (S.A.W.) and his Aal (A.S.). Write my name, in this Night of Qadr, among the names of the fortunate. Let my soul keep the company of the martyrs. Let my good deeds be reckoned with "Illiyen" (those exalted). Forgive my sins. Bestow on me such belief that Thou may be nearest to my heart. Give me such understanding that all the doubts may be removed. Let me

يَا رَبَّ لَيْلَةَ الْقَدْرِ وَ جَاعِلَهَا خَيْرًا مِنْ أَلْفِ شَهْرٍ وَ  
 رَبَّ اللَّيْلِ وَ النَّهَارِ وَ الْجِبَالِ وَ الْبِحَارِ وَ الظُّلَمِ وَ  
 الْأَنْوَارِ وَ الْأَرْضِ وَ السَّمَاءِ يَا بَارِيُّ يَا مُصَوِّرُ يَا  
 حَنَّانُ يَا مَنَّانُ يَا اللَّهُ يَا رَحْمَنُ يَا اللَّهُ يَا قَيُّوْمُ يَا اللَّهُ  
 يَا بَدِيعُ يَا اللَّهُ يَا اللَّهُ يَا اللَّهُ لَكَ الْأَسْمَاءُ الْحُسْنَى  
 وَ الْأَمْثَالُ الْعُلْيَا وَ الْكِبْرِيَاءُ وَ الْآلَاءُ أَسْئَلُكَ أَنْ  
 تُصَلِّيَ عَلَيَّ مُحَمَّدٍ وَ آلِ مُحَمَّدٍ وَ أَنْ تَجْعَلَ  
 اسْمِي فِي هَذِهِ اللَّيْلَةِ فِي السُّعْدَاءِ وَ رُوحِي مَعَ  
 الشُّهَدَاءِ وَ إِحْسَانِي فِي عِلِّيِّينَ وَ إِسَائَتِي مَغْفُورَةً  
 وَ أَنْ تَهَبَ لِي يَقِينًا تُبَاشِرُ بِهِ قَلْبِي وَ إِيمَانًا يُذْهِبُ  
 الشُّكَّ عَنِّي وَ تُرْضِيَنِي بِمَا قَسَمْتَ لِي وَ اتِنَا فِي  
 الدُّنْيَا حَسَنَةً وَ فِي الْآخِرَةِ حَسَنَةً وَ قِنَا عَذَابَ  
 النَّارِ الْحَرِيقِ وَ ارزُقْنِي فِيهَا ذِكْرَكَ وَ شُكْرَكَ وَ  
 الرَّغْبَةَ إِلَيْكَ وَ الْإِنَابَةَ وَ التَّوْبَةَ وَ التَّوْفِيقَ لِمَا  
 وَفَّقْتَ لَهُ مُحَمَّدًا وَ آلَ مُحَمَّدٍ عَلَيْهِمُ السَّلَامُ۔

be contended over  
 that which has been  
 ordained for me: Let  
 me have goodness  
 and virtues in this  
 world and the next.  
 Save me from the  
 glowing fire of Hell.  
 Encourage me  
 towards Tine  
 remembrance with  
 pleasure and to be  
 penitent. Give me all  
 those virtues that  
 Thou hast given to  
 Muhammad  
 (S.A.W.) and Aal-e-  
 Muhammad (A.S.).

YAA RABBA LAYLATIL QADR WA JAA-I'LAHAA KHAYRAN MIN ALFI SHAHR WA RABBAL  
 LAYLIWAN NAHAAR WAL JIBAALI WAL BIH'AAR WAZ'ZULAMI WAL ANWAAR WAL  
 ARZ'I WA SAMAAA

YAA BAARI-U YAA MUS'AWWIR YAA H'ANNAANU YAA MANNAAN YAA ALLAAHU YAA  
 RAH'MAAN YAA ALLAAHU YAA QAYYOOM YAA ALLAAHU YAA BADEE-U' YAA ALLAHAH YA  
 ALLAH YAA ALLAHAH

LAKAL ASMAAA-UL H'USNAA WAL AMTHAALUL U'LYAA WAL KIBRIYAAA WAL AALAAA-  
 U AS-ALUKA AN TUS'ALLIYA A'LAA MUH'AMMADIN WA AALI MUH'AMMAD WA AN TAJ-  
 A'LAS-MEE FEE HAAD'IHIL LAYLATIS FIS SU-A'DAAA-I WA ROOH'EE MA-A'SH  
 SHUHADAAA-I WA IH'SAANEE FEE I'LLIYYEENA WA ISAAA-ATEE MAGHFOORAH WA  
 AN TAHABA LEE YAQEENAN TUBAASHIRU BIHEE QALBEE WA EEMAANAN YUD'HIBUSH  
 SHAKKA A'NNEE WA TURZ'IYANEE BIMAA QASAMTA LEE WA AATINAA FID DUNYAA  
 H'ASANATAN WA FIL AAKHIRATI H'ASANATAN WA QINAA A'DAABAN NAARIL H'AREEQ  
 WAR-ZUQNEE FEEHAA D'IKRAKA WA SHUKRAKA WAR RAGHBATA ILAYKA WAL

INAABATA WAT TAWBAH WAT TAWFEEQA LIMAA WAFFAQTA LAHOO MUH'AMMADAN  
WA AALI MUH'AMMADIN A'LAYHI WA A'LAYHIMUS SALAAM

9. Recite [Common laylatul Qadr Amal](#) | [Last 10 Nights duas](#)