

In the fifth volume of the book series Al-Muhimat Vat-Tatimat we reported

the deeds of the first night of each month. And also in the book related to the deeds of the months, we have reported the supplications to be read at the time of seeing the crescent in each months. Thus, at the time of seeing the crescent of the month of Sha'ban also you should act upon them and if someone does not have that book, he should read the following supplications if God wills.

“O’ my God! This is the crescent of the moon for the month of Sha’ban. You know its goodness better than we do. O’ my God! Please let it be a source of bliss, security, forgiveness and pleasure, and as a means to fend off dangers during it. Please let it be a means of protection from those who disobey and accuse. Please honor us for performing its ceremonies and let us be covered by Your Mercy and Benevolence during it. Please purify us during it such that we can enter the month of Ramadhan and attain the noblest of what any of the

Muslims and believers have attained by Your Mercy! O' the Most Compassionate, Most Merciful."

The supplications for seeing the crescent of the moon for any month was mentioned amongst the supplications for the month of Ramadhan in the sixth part for seeing the crescent of the moon. Thus, you may use it when seeing the crescent for the month of Sha'ban too.

أقول : وقد قدمنا في الجزء الخامس في عمل كل شهر ما يختص بأول ليلة منه، وذكرنا في كتاب عمل كل شهر ما يدعا به عند رؤية هلال جميع الشهور فيعتمد على تلك الأمور، فان لم يحضره فيقول ان شاء الله : اللهم إن هذا هلال شعبان وقد ورد وأنت أعلم بما فيه من الإحسان، فاجعله اللهم هلال بركات وسعادات كاملة الأمان والغفران والرضوان وماحية الاخطار في الأحيان والأزمان، وحامية من أذى أهل العصيان والبهتان، وشرفنا بامثال مراسمه (وأحياء مواسمه)، وألحقنا بشمول مراحمه ومكارمه، وطهرنا فيه تطهيرا تصلح به للدخول على شهر رمضان، مظفرين بأفضل ما ظفر به احد من أهل الإسلام والإيمان برحمتك يا ارحم الراحمين .

ونذكر في أدعية شهر رمضان من الجزء السادس دعاء عند رؤية هلال كل شهر، فيدعا عند رؤية هلال شعبان بذلك .