

## THE LAST DAY OF DHU'L-HIJJAH

The last day of Dhu'l-Hijjah is the last day in the Arabic calendar. Sayyid Ibn Ṭāwūs in his book of *Iqbāl al-A`māl*, says it is recommended to offer **a two unit prayer** on this day reciting Sūrah *al-Fātiḥah* once, and repeating each of Sūrah *al-Tawḥīd* and *Āyah al-Kursī* **ten** times. After the salat , it

is recommended to say the following :

O Allah, as for any act that I have done in this year which You have warned me against doing and You have been displeased with it, I have forgotten it but You have not and You have called me to repent after I have dared to challenge You,

O Allah, I am now praying to You to forgive that action; so, please forgive me.

As for any action done that draws me near to You, Please accept it from me and never cut off my hope in You, O All-generous!

اللَّهُمَّ مَا عَمِلْتُ فِي هَذِهِ السَّنَةِ، مِنْ عَمَلٍ نَهَيْتَنِي  
عَنْهُ وَلَمْ تَرْضَهُ، وَتَسِيئَتُهُ وَلَمْ تَنْسَهُ  
وَدَعَوْتَنِي إِلَى التَّوْبَةِ بَعْدَ اجْتِرَائِي عَلَيْكَ  
اللَّهُمَّ فَإِنِّي اسْتَغْفِرُكَ مِنْهُ فَأَغْفِرْ لِي  
وَمَا عَمِلْتُ مِنْ عَمَلٍ يُقَرِّبُنِي إِلَيْكَ  
فَاقْبَلْهُ مِنِّي وَلَا تَقْطَعْ رَجَائِي مِنْكَ يَا كَرِيمُ

If these statements are said, Satan will say, “Woe to me! All the efforts that I have exerted throughout this year for misleading this person have been foiled by the utterance of these statements.”