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اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ
مُحَمَّدٍ

O' Allah send Your blessings on
Muhammad
and the family of Muhammad.

*allahumma salli `ala muhammadin wa ali
muhamadin*

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

In the Name of Allah,
the All-beneficent, the All-merciful.

bismi allahi alrrahmini alrrahimi

الْحَمْدُ لِلّٰهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ.

"Praise belongs to God, Lord of the
worlds"

aal-h'am-du lil-lahee rab-bil-a'alameen

اللَّهُمَّ لَكَ الْحَمْدُ بَدِيعَ
السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ،

O God, to You belongs praise!
Originator of the heavens and the
earth

*al-laahum-ma lakal-h'am-du badeea's-
samaawaati wal-ar-z"*

ذَٰلِجَلَالٍ وَالْإِكْرَامِ ،

Possessor of majesty and munificence

d'aal-jalaali wal-ik-raam

رَبَّ الْأَرْبَابِ وَإِلَهٌ كُلِّ مَالُوهُ ،

Lord of lords! Object of worship of
every worshiper

rab-bal-ar-baab wa ilaha kul-li maalooh

وَخَالِقَ كُلِّ مَخْلُوقٍ ،

Creator of every creature

wa khaaliqa kul-li makh-looq

وَارِثٌ كُلِّ شَيْءٍ، لَّيْسَ كَمِثْلِهِ
 شَيْءٌ،

Inheritor of all things! "There is
 nothing like Him",

*wa waaritha kul-li shay- lay-sa kamith-lihee
 shay*

وَلَا يَعْزُبُ عَنْهُ عِلْمٌ شَيْءٌ ،

knowledge of nothing escapes Him,

wa laa yaa'-zubu a'n-hoo i'l-mu shay'

وَهُوَ بِكُلِّ شَيْءٍ مُحِيطٌ،

He "encompasses everything",

wa huwa bikul-li shay-im-muh'eet'

وَهُوَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ رَّقِيبٌ ،

and He is watchful over everything.

wa huwa a'laa kul-li shay-ir-raqeeb

أَنْتَ اللَّهُ إِلَّا أَنْتَ الْأَحَدُ
 الْمُتَوَجِّدُ الْفَرْدُ الْمُتَفَرِّدُ ،

Thou art God, there is no god but
 Thou, the Unique, the Alone, the
 Single, the Isolated.

*antal-laahoo laaaa ilaha il-laaa ant al-ah'adul-
 mutawah'-h'id al-far-dul-mutafar-rid*

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ الْكَرِيمُ
الْمُتَكَرِّمُ ،

Thou art God, there is no god but
Thou, the Generous, the Generously
Bestowing,

*wa antal-laahoo laaa ilaha il-laaa ant al-
kareemul-mutakar-rim*

الْعَظِيمُ الْمُتَعَظِّمُ، الْكَبِيرُ
الْمُتَكَبِّرُ.

the All-mighty, the Mightily Exalted, the
Magnificent, the Magnificently
Magnified.

*al-a'z'eemul-mutaa'z'-z'im al-kabeerul-
mutakab-bir*

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ الْعَلِيُّ
 الْمُتَعَالٌ، الشَّدِيدُ الْمَحَالٌ.

Thou art God, there is no god but
 Thou, the All-high, the Sublimely
 High, "the Strong in prowess"

*wa antal-laahoo laaa ilaha il-laaa ant al-
 a'lee-yul-mutaa'al ash-shadeedul-mih'aal*

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ

Thou art God, there is no god but
Thou,

wa antal-laahoo laaaa ilaha il-laaa anta

الرَّحْمَنُ الرَّحِيمُ الْعَلِيمُ
الْحَكِيمُ.

the All-merciful, the All-compassionate, the All-knowing, the All-wise.

ar-rah'-mnur-rah'eem al-a'leemul-h'akeem

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ
 السَّمِيعُ الْبَصِيرُ الْقَدِيمُ الْخَبِيرُ،
 Thou art God, there is no god but
 Thou, the All-hearing, the All-seeing,
 the Eternal, the All-aware.

*wa antal-laahoo laaaa ilaha il-laaa anta as-
 sameeu'l-bas'eer al-qadeemul-khabeer*

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ

Thou art God, there is no god but
Thou,

wa antal-laahoo laaaa ilaha il-laaa anta

الْكَرِيمُ الْأَكْرَمُ الدَّائِمُ الْأَدْوَمُ ،

the Generous, the Most Generous, the
Everlasting, the Most Everlasting.

al-kareemul-ak-ram ad-daaa-imul-ad-wam

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ الْأَوَّلُ

Thou art God, there is no god but
Thou, the First

*wa antal-laahoo laaa ilaha il-laaa anta al-aw-
walu*

قَبْلَ كُلِّ أَحَدٍ وَالآخِرُ بَعْدَ كُلِّ
عَدَدٍ ،

**before every one, the Last after every
number.**

*qab-la kul-li ah'ad wal-aaakhiru baa'-da kul-
li a'dad*

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ الدَّانِي
فِي عُلُوّهِ ،

Thou art God, there is no god but
Thou, the Close in His highness,

*wa antal-laahoo laaaa ilaha il-laaa ant ad-
daanee fee u'loo-wih*

وَالْعَالِيٌ فِي دُنُوْهِ ،

the High in His closeness.

wal-a'alee fee dunoo-wih

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ

Thou art God, there is no god but
Thou,

wa antal-laahoo laaaa ilaha il-laaa anta

ذُو الْبَهَاءِ وَالْمَجْدِ وَالْكِبْرِيَاءِ
وَالْحَمْدِ.

Possessor of radiance and glory,
magnificence and praise.

*d'ool-bahaaa-i wal-maj-d wal-kib-reeaaa-i
wal-h'am-d*

وَأَنْتَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا أَنْتَ الَّذِي
أَنْشَأْتَ الْأَشْيَاءَ مِنْ غَيْرِ سِنْخٍ،

Thou art God, there is no god but
Thou. Thou hast brought forth the
things without root,

*wa antal-laahoo laaa ilaha il-laaa ant al-
lad'eee anshaa-tal-ash-yaaa-a min gheeri
sin-kh*

وَصَوَّرْتَ مَا صَوَّرْتَ مِنْ غَيْرِ
مِثَالٍ ،

formed what Thou hast formed without
exemplar,

*wa s'aw-war-ta maa s'aw-war-ta min ghay-ri
mithaal*

وَابْتَدَعْتَ الْمُبْتَدَعَاتِ بِلَا
اِحْتِذَاءٍ.

and originated the originated things
without limitation.

*wab-tadaa'-tal-mub-tadaa'ati bilaa ah'-
tid'aaa-*

أَنْتَ الَّذِي قَدَرْتَ كُلَّ شَيْءٍ
تَقْدِيرًا

It is Thou who hast ordained each
thing with an ordination,

antal-lad'ee qad-dar-ta kul-la shay-in taq-deeraa

وَيَسَّرْتَ كُلَّ شَيْءٍ تَيْسِيرًا ،

eased each thing with an easing,

wa yas-sar-ta kul-la shay-in tay-seeraa

وَدَبَرْتَ مَا دُونَكَ تَذْبِيرًا.

and governed everything below
Thyself with a governing.

wa dab-bar-ta maa doonaka tad-beeraa

وَأَنْتَ الَّذِي لَمْ يُعِنْكَ عَلَى
خَلْقِكَ شَرِيكٌ

It is Thou whom no associate helps
with Thy creation

*antal-lad'ee lam yui'nka a'laa khal-qika
shareek*

وَلَمْ يُؤَاذِرْكَ فِي أَمْرِكَ وَزِيرٌ ،

and no vizier aids in Thy command.

wa lam yuwaazir-ka feee am-rika wazeer

وَلَمْ يَكُنْ لَكَ مُشَاهِدٌ وَلَا نَظِيرٌ.

Thou hast no witness and no equal.

*wa lam yakul-laka mushaahidoo-wa laa
naz'eer*

أَنْتَ الَّذِي أَرَدْتَ فَكَانَ حَتَّمًا مَا
أَرَدْتَ ،

It is Thou who willed, and what Thou
willed was unfailing,

*antal-lad'ee arat-ta fakaana h'at-mam-maaa
arat-t*

وَقَضَيْتَ فَكَانَ عَدْلًا مَا
قَضَيْتَ ،

who decreed, and what Thou decreed
was just,

wa qaz"ay-ta fakaana a'd-lam-maa qaz"ay-t

وَحَكَمْتَ فَكَانَ نِصْفًا مَا
حَكَمْتَ ،

who decided, and what Thou decided
was fair.

*wa h'akam-ta fakaana nis'-fam-maa h'akam-
t*

أَنْتَ الَّذِي لَا يَحْوِيْكَ مَكَانٌ

It is Thou whom place does not
contain,

antal-lad'ee laa yah'-weeka makaan

وَلَمْ يَقُمْ لِسُلْطَانٍ كَسُلْطَانٍ ،

**before whose authority no authority
stands up,**

wa lam yaqum lisul-t'aanika sul-t'aan

وَلَمْ يُعِكْ بُرْهَانٌ وَلَا بَيَانٌ.

and whom no proof or explication can thwart.

wa lam yua'-yika bur-haanoo-wa laa bayaan

أَنْتَ الَّذِي أَخْصَيْتَ كُلَّ شَيْءٍ
عَدَدًا ،

It is Thou who hast counted everything
in numbers,

*antal-lad'ee ah'-s'ay-ta kul-la shay-in
a'dadaa*

وَجَعَلْتَ لِكُلِّ شَيْءٍ أَمْدَأً ،

appointed for everything a term,

wa jaa'l-ta likul-li shay-in amadaa

وَقَدْرَتْ كُلَّ شَيْءٍ تَقْدِيرًا.

and ordained everything with an ordination.

wa qad-dar-ta kul-la shay-in taq-deeraa

أَنْتَ الَّذِي قَصُرَتِ الْأَوْهَامُ عَنْ
ذَاتِيَّتِكَ ،

It is Thou before whose selfness
imaginatons fall short,

*antal-lad'ee qas'urati-l-aw-haamu a'n
d'aatee-yatik*

وَعَجَزَتِ الْأُفْهَامُ عَنْ كَيْفَيَّتِكَ ،

before whose howness
understandings have no incapacity,

wa a'jazatil-af-haamu a'n kay-fee-yatik

وَلَمْ تُدْرِكِ الْأَبْصَارُ مَوْضِعَ
أَيْنِتِكَ.

and the place of whose whereness
eyes perceive not.

wa lam tud-rikil-ab-s'aaru maw-z'ia' ay-nee-yatik

أَنْتَ الَّذِي لَا تُحَدُّ فَتَكُونَ
مَحْدُودًا ،

It is Thou who hast no bounds, lest
Thou be bounded,

*antal-lad'ee laa tuh'-h'ad-du fatakoona
mah'-doodaa*

وَلَمْ تُمَثِّلْ فَتَكُونَ مَوْجُودًا ،

who art not exemplified, lest Thou be
found,

wlam tumath-thal fatakoona maw-joodaa

وَلَمْ تَلِدْ فَتَكُونَ مَوْلُودًا.

who dost not beget, lest Thou be
begotten.

wa lam talid fatakoona maw-loodaa

أَنْتَ الَّذِي لَا يَضُدُّ مَعَكَ
فَمَوْعِدُكَ ،

It is Thou with whom there is no
opposite, lest it contend with Thee,

antal-lad'ee laa z'id-da maa'ka fayua'anidak

وَلَا عِدْلَ فِيْكَ أَثْرَكَ ، وَلَا نِدَّ لَكَ
 فِيْعَارِضَكَ .

who hast no equal, lest it vie with
 Thee, who hast no rival, lest it resist
 Thee.

*wa laa i'd-la laka fayukaathirak wa laa nid-
 da laka fayua'ariz"ak*

أَنْتَ الَّذِي ابْتَدَأْ وَاخْتَرَعَ

It is Thou who art He who began,
devised,

antal-lad'ee ab-tadaa wakh-taraa'-

وَاسْتَحْدَثَ وَابْتَدَعَ

brought forth, originated,

was-tah'-datha wab-tadaa'-

وَأَحْسَنَ صُنْعَ مَا صَنَعَ ،

and made well all that He made.

wa ah'-sana s'un-a' maa s'anaa'-

سُبْحَانَكَ ! مَا أَجَلٌ شَأْنَكَ ،

Glory be to Thee! How majestic is Thy station!

sub-h'aanaka maaa ajal-la shaa-naka!

وَأَسْتَأْنِي فِي الْأَمَاكِنِ مَكَانَكَ ،

How high Thy place among the places!

wa ss-naa fil-amaakini makaanaka!

وَأَصْدَعْ بِالْحَقِّ فُرْقَانَكَ.

How cleanly Thy Separator cleaves
with the truth!

wa as'-daa' bil-h'aq-qi fur-qaanaka!

سُبْحَانَكَ مِنْ لَطِيفٍ مَا
أَلْطَفَكَ،

Glory be to Thee! The Gentle - how
gentle Thou art!

sub-h'aanaka mil lat'eefim-maaa al-t'afaka!

وَرَوْفٌ مَا أَرَأَفَكَ ، وَحَكِيمٌ مَا
أَعْرَفَكَ !

The Clement - how clement Thou art!
The Wise - how knowing Thou art!

*wa ra-oofim-maaa ar-afaka! wa h'akeemim-
maaa aa'-rafaka!*

سُبْحَانَكَ مِنْ مَلِئَكٍ مَا أَمْتَعَكَ ،

Glory be to Thee! The King - how
invincible Thou art!

*sub-h'aanaka min maleekim-maaa am-
naa'ka!*

وَجَوَادٍ مَا أَوْسَعَكَ ، وَرَفِيعٍ مَا
أَرْفَعَكَ ،

The Munificent - how full of plenty
Thou art! The Elevated - how
elevated Thou art!

*wa jawaadim-maaa aw-saa'ka! warafeei'm-
maaa ar-faa'ka!*

ذُو الْبَهاءِ وَالْمَجْدِ وَالْكِبْرِيَاءِ
وَالْحَمْدِ .

Possessor of radiance and glory,
magnificence and praise!

*d'ool-bahaaa-i wal-maj-d wal-kib-reeaaa-i
wal-h'am-d*

سُبْحَانَكَ بَسَطْتَ بِالْخَيْرَاتِ
يَدَكَ

Glory be to Thee! Thou hast stretched
forth Thy hand with good things,

sub-h'aanak basat'-ta bil-khay-raati yadak

وَعُرِفْتِ الْهِدَايَةُ مِنْ عِنْدِكَ ،

and from Thee guidance has come to
be known,

wa u'rifatil-hidaayatu min i'ndik

فَمَنِ التَّمَسَّكَ لِدِينٍ أَوْ دُنْيَا
وَجَدَكَ.

so he who begs from Thee religion or
this world will find Thee.

*famanil-tamasaka lideenin aw dunyaa
wajadak*

سُبْحَانَكَ خَضَعَ لَكَ مَنْ جَرِي
فِي عِلْمِكَ ،

Glory be to Thee! Whatever passes in
Thy knowledge is subjected to Thee,

sub-h'aanak khaz'aa' laka man jaraa fee i'l-mik

وَخَشَعَ لِعَظَمَتِكَ مَا دُونَ
عَرْشِكَ ،

all below Thy Throne are humbled
before Thy mightiness,

wa khashaa' lia'z'amatika maa doona a'r-shik

وَانْقَادَ لِلتَّسْلِيمِ لَكَ كُلُّ خَلْقِكَ.

and every one of Thy creatures follows
Thee in submission.

wanqaada lilt-tas-leemi laka kul-lu khal-qik

سُبْحَانَكَ لَا تُحْسَنْ ، وَلَا تُجْسَنْ ،
وَلَا تُهْسَنْ ،

Glory be to Thee! Thou art not sensed,
nor touched, nor felt,

*sub-h'aanak laa tuh'as-su wa laa tujas wa
laa tumas-su*

وَلَا تُكَادُ، وَلَا تُمَاطُ، وَلَا
تُنَازِعُ، وَلَا تُجَارِي،

nor beguiled, nor held back, nor
challenged, nor kept up with,

*wa laa tukaad wa laa tumaat'u wa laa
tunaazau' wa laa tujaaraa*

وَلَا تُتْمَارِي ، وَلَا تُخَادَعُ ، وَلَا
تُتَمَّكِّرُ.

nor resisted, nor deceived, nor circumvented.

*wa laa tumaaraa wa laa tukhaadau' wa laa
tumaakar*

سُبْحَانَكَ سَبِيلُكَ جَدَدْ ،
سُبْحَانَكَ سَبِيلُكَ جَدَدْ ،

Glory be to Thee! Thy path is smooth
ground,

sub-h'aanak sabeeluka jadad

وَأَمْرُكَ رَشَدٌ ، وَأَنْتَ حَيٌّ صَمَدٌ.

Thy command right guidance, and
Thou art a living, eternal refuge.

*wa am-ruka rashad wa anta h'ay-yun
s'amad*

سُبْحَانَكَ قَوْلُكَ حُكْمٌ ،
وَقَضَاؤُكَ حَتْمٌ ، وَإِرَادَتُكَ عَزْمٌ .

Glory be to Thee! Thy word is decisive,
Thy decree unfailing, Thy will
resolute.

*sub-h'aanaka qaw-luka h'uk-m wa
qaz"aaaw-uka h'at-m wa iraadatuk a'z-m*

سُبْحَانَكَ لَا رَادَّ لِمَشِيَّتِكَ ، وَلَا
مُبَدِّلٌ لِكَلِمَاتِكَ .

Glory be to Thee! None can reject Thy
wish, none can change Thy words.

*sub-h'aanaka laa raaad-da limashee-yatik
wa laa mubad-dila likalimaatik*

سُبْحَانَكَ بَاهِرَ الْآيَاتِ ، فَاطِرَ
السَّمَاوَاتِ بَارِئٌ ، النَّسَمَاتِ .

Glory be to Thee, Outdazzling in signs,
Creator of the heavens, Author of the
spirits!

*sub-h'aanaka baahiral-aaayaat faat'iras-
samaawaat baari-an-nasamaat*

لَكَ الْحَمْدُ حَمْدًا يَدُومُ
بِدَوَامِكَ ،

To Thee belongs praise, a praise that
will be permanent with Thy
permanence!

*lakal-h'am-du h'am-day-yadoomu
bidawaamik*

وَلَكَ الْحَمْدُ حَمْدًا خَالِدًا

بِنِعْمَتِكَ ،

To Thee belongs praise, a praise
everlasting through Thy favour!

*wa lakal-h'am-du h'am-dana khaalidam-
binia'-matik*

وَلَكَ الْحَمْدُ حَمْدًا يُوَازِي
صُنْعَكَ ،

To Thee belongs praise, a praise that
will parallel Thy benefaction!

wa lakal-h'am-du h'am-day-yuwaazee s'un-a'k

وَلَكَ الْحَمْدُ حَمْدًا يَزِيدُ عَلَىٰ
رِضَاكَ ،

To Thee belongs praise, a praise that
will increase Thy good pleasure!

*wa lakl-h'am-du h'am-day-yazeedu a'laa
riz'aak*

وَلَكَ الْحَمْدُ حَمْدًا مَعَ حَمْدِ كُلِّ
حَامِدٍ ،

To Thee belongs praise, a praise along
with the praise of every praiser

*wa lakal-h'am-du h'am-dam-maa' h'am-di
kul-li h'aamid*

وَشُكْرًا يَقْصُرُ عَنْهُ شُكْرُ كُلِّ
شَاكِرٍ ،

and a thanksgiving before which falls
short the thanksgiving of every
thanksgiver;

*wa shuk-ray-yaq-s'uru a'n-hoo shuk-ru kul-
li shaakir*

حَمْدًا لَا يَنْبَغِي إِلَّا لَكَ ،

a praise which is suitable for none but
Thee

h'am-dal-laa yambagheee il-laa lak

وَلَا يُتَقْرَبُ بِهِ إِلَّا إِلَيْكَ ،

and through which nearness is sought
to none but Thee;

wa laa yutaqar-rabu biheeee il-laaa ilay-k

حَمْدًا يُسْتَدَامُ بِهِ الْأَوَّلُ ،

a praise which will make permanent
the first [bounty]

h'am-day-yus-tadaamu bihil-aw-wal

وَيُسْتَدْعَى بِهِ دَوَامُ الْآخِرِ،

and call forth the permanence of the
last;

wa yus-tad-a'a bihee dawaamul-aaakhir

حَمْدًا يَتَضَاعِفُ عَلَى كُرُورٍ
الْأَزْمِنَةِ ،

a praise which will multiply through
recurrence of times

*h'am-day-yataz'aaa'fu a'laa kurooril-az-
minah*

وَيَتَزايدُ أَضْعَافًا مُتَرَادِفَةً ،

and increase through successive doublings;

wa yatazaayadu az"-a'afam-mutaraadifah

حَمْدًا يَعْجِزُ عَنْ إِحْصَائِهِ
الْحَفَظَةُ ،

a praise which the guardians will not
be able to number

h'am-day-yaa'-jizu a'n ih'-s'aaa-ihil-h'afaz'ah

وَيَزِيدُ عَلَى مَا أَحْصَنْتُهُ فِي
كِتَابِكَ الْكَتَبَةُ ،

and which exceeds what the writers
number in Thy Book;

*wa yazeedu a'laa maaa ah'-s'at-hoo fee
kitaabikal-katabah*

حَمْدًا يُوازِنُ عَرْشَكَ الْمَجِيدَ ،

a praise which will counterbalance Thy
glorious Throne

h'am-day-yuwaazinu a'r-shakal-majeed

وَيُعَادِلُ كُرْسِيَّكَ الرَّفِيعَ ،

and equal Thy elevated Footstool;

wa yua'adilu kur-see-yakar-rafeea'-

حَمْدًا يَكْمُلُ لَدِيْكَ ثَوَابُهُ ،

a praise whose reward with Thee will
be complete

h'am-day-yak-mulu laday-ka thawaabuh

وَيَسْتَغْرِقُ كُلَّ جَزَاءٍ جَزَاؤُهُ ،

and whose recompense will comprise
every recompense;

wa yas-tagh-riqu kul-la jazaaa-in jazaaaaw-uh

حَمْدًا ظَاهِرُهُ وَفُقْعَ لِبَاطِنِهِ ،

a praise whose outward conforms to
its inward,

h'am-dana z'aahiruhoo waf-qul-libaat'inh

وَبَاطِنُهُ وَفْقٌ لِصِدْقِ النِّيَّةِ ،

and whose inward conforms to correct intention;

*wa baat'inuhoo waf-qul-lis'id-qin-nee-yati
feeh*

حَمْدًا لَّهُ يَحْمَدُكَ خَلْقٌ مِّثْلَهُ ،

a praise with whose like no creature
has praised Thee

*h'am-dal-lam yah'-mad-ka khal-qum-mith-
lah*

وَلَا يَعْرِفُ أَحَدٌ سِوَالَّكَ فَضْلَهُ،

and whose excellence none knows but
Thou;

wa laa yaa'-rifu ah'adun siwaaka faz"-lah

حَمْدًا يُعَانُ مَنِ اجْتَهَدَ فِي
تَعْدِيدِهِ ،

a praise in which he who strives to
multiply Thy praise will be helped

*h'am-day-yua'anu mani aj-tahada fee taa'-
deedih*

وَيُؤْيدُ مَنْ أَغْرَقَ نَزْعَمًا فِي
تَوْفِيقِهِ ،

and he who draws the bow to the
utmost in fulfilling it will be
confirmed;

*wa yoo-ay-yadu man agh-raqa naz-a'na fee
taw-feeatih*

حَمْدًا يَجْمِعُ مَا خَلَقْتَ مِنَ
الْحَمْدِ ،

a praise which will gather all the praise
which Thou hast created

*h'am-day-yaj-mau' maa khalaq-ta minal-
h'am-d*

وَيَنْتَظِمُ مَا أَنْتَ خَالِقُهُ مِنْ
بَعْدُ ،

and tie together all which Thou wilt
afterwards create;

*wa yantaz'im u maaa anta khaaliquhoo mim-
baa'-d*

حَمْدًا لَّا حَمْدَ أَقْرَبُ إِلَى قَوْلِكَ
مِنْهُ ،

a praise than which no praise is nearer
to Thy word

*h'am-dal-laa h'am-da aq-rabu ilaa qaw-lik
min-h*

وَلَا أَحْمَدَ مِنْ يَحْمِدُكَ بِهِ ،

and than which none is greater from
any who praise Thee;

*wa laaa ah'-mada mim-may-yah'-maduka
bih*

حَمْدًا يُوجَبُ بِكَرَمِكَ الْمَزِيدَ
بِوُفُورِهِ

a praise whose fullness will obligate
increase through Thy generosity

*h'am-day-yoojibu bikaramikal-mazeeda
biwufoorih*

وَتَصِلُهُ بِمَزِيدٍ بَعْدَ مَزِيدٍ طَوْلًا
مِنْكَ ،

and to which Thou wilt join increase
after increase as graciousness from
Thee;

*w tas'iluhoo bimazeedim-baa'-da mazeedin
t'aw-lam-mink*

حَمْدًا يَجِبُ لِكَرَمٍ وَجْهِكَ ،
وَيُقَابلُ عِزًّا جَلَالِكَ .

a praise that will befit the generosity of
Thy face and meet the might of Thy
majesty!

*h'am-day-yajibu likarami waj-hik wa
yuqaabilu i'z-za jalaalik*

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ مُحَمَّدٍ

My Lord, bless Muhammad and the
Household of Muhammad,

*rab-bi s'al-li a'laa muh'am-madiw-waaali
muh'am-mad*

الْمُنْتَجَبُ ، الْمُصْطَفَى ،

the distinguished, the chosen,

al-muntajabil-mus'-t'afaa

الْمُكَرَّمُ ، الْمُقَرِّبُ ، أَفْضَلَ
صَلَوَاتِكَ ،

the honoured, the brought nigh, with
the most excellent of Thy blessings,

*al-mukar-ramil-muqar-rab af-z'ala
s'alawaatik*

وَبَارِكْ عَلَيْهِ أَتَمَّ بَرَكَاتِكَ ،

benedict him with the most complete
of Thy benedictions,

wa baarik a'lay-heeee atam-ma barakaatik

وَتَرَحَّمْ عَلَيْهِ أَمْتَعْ رَحْمَاتِكَ.

and have mercy upon him with the
most enjoyable of Thy mercies!

*wa tarah'-h'am a'lay-heee am-taa'
rah'amaatik*

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِهِ ،
صَلَّاهُ زَاكِيَّةً ،

My Lord, bless Muhammad and his
Household with a fruitful blessing,

*rab-bi s'al-li a'laa muh'am-madiw-wa
aaalihee s'alaatan zaakeeatal-*

لَا تَكُونُ صَلَاةٌ أَزْكَى مِنْهَا ،

more fruitful than which there is no
blessing!

laa takoonu s'alaatun az-kaa min-haa

وَصَلِّ عَلَيْهِ صَلَاتَةً نَّاجِيَةً ،

Bless him with a growing blessing,

wa s'al-li a'lay-hee s'alaatan naameeatal-

لَا تَكُونُ صَلَاةٌ أَنْهَىٰ مِنْهَا ،

more growing than which there is no
blessing!

laa takoonu s'alaatun anmaa min-haa

وَصَلِّ عَلَيْهِ صَلَاتَةً رَاضِيَةً ،

And bless him with a pleasing
blessing,

*wa s'al-li a'lay-hee s'alaah
raaz"eeatal-*

لَا تَكُونْ صَلَاةٌ فَوْقَهَا.

beyond which there is no blessing!

laa takoonu s'alaatun faw-qahaa

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِهِ ،

My Lord, bless Muhammad and his
Household

*rab-bi s'al-li a'laa muh'am-madiw-wa
aaalihee*

صَلَاةً تُرْضِيهِ وَتَزِيدُ عَلَى رِضَاهُ ،

with a blessing which will please him
and increase his good pleasure!

*s'alaatan tur-z'eehoo watazeedu a'laa
riz'aah*

وَصَلِّ عَلَيْهِ صَلَاتَةً تُرْضِيكَ
وَتَزِيدُ عَلَى رِضَاكَ لَهُ،

Bless him with a blessing which will
please Thee and increase Thy good
pleasure toward him!

*wa s'al-li a'lay-hee s'alaatan tur-z"eeka
watazeedu a'laa riz"aaka lah*

وَصَلِّ عَلَيْهِ صَلَاتَةً لَا تَرْضَى لَهُ
إِلَّا بِهَا ،

And bless him with a blessing through
other than which Thou wilt not be
pleased for him,

*wa s'al-li a'lay-hee s'alaatan laa tar-z'aa
lahooo il-laa bihaa*

وَلَا تَرَى غَيْرَهُ لَهَا أَهْلًا.

and for which Thou seest no one else
worthy!

wa laa taraa ghay-rahoo lahaaa ah-laa

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِهِ ،

My Lord, bless Muhammad and his
Household

*rab-bi s'al-li a'laa muh'am-madiw-wa
aaalihee*

صَلَاةً تُجَاوزُ رِضْوَانَكَ ، وَيَتَّصِلُ
 اتِّصَالُهَا بِقَائِكَ ،

with a blessing which will pass beyond
 Thy good pleasure, be continuous in
 its continuity through Thy
 subsistence,

*s'alaatan tujaawizu riz"-waanak wa yat-
 tas'ilu at-tis'aaluhaa bibaqaaa-ik*

وَلَا يَنْفَدُ كَمَا لَا تَنْفَدُ كَلِمَاتُكَ.

and never be spent, just as Thy words
will never be spent!

*wa laa yanfadu kamaa laa tanfadu
kalimaatuk*

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِهِ

My Lord, bless Muhammad and his
Household

*rab-bi s'al-li a'laa muh'am-madiw-wa
aaalihee*

صَلَاةً تَسْتَطِعُ صَلَوَاتٍ مَلَائِكَتِكَ

with a blessing which will tie together
the blessings of Thy angels,

*s'alaatan tantaz'imū s'alawaati malaaa-
ikatika*

وَأَنْبِيَاكَ وَرُسُلَكَ وَأَهْلِ
طَاعَتِكَ.

Thy prophets, Thy messengers, and
those who obey Thee,

*wa ambeeaaa-ika wa rusulika wa ah-li
t'aaa'tik*

وَتَشْتَمِلُ عَلَى صَلَواتِ عِبَادِكَ

comprise the blessings of Thy
servants,

wa tash-tamilu a'laa s'alawaati i'baadika

مِنْ جِنَّكَ وَإِنْسِكَ وَأَهْلِ
إِجَابَتِكَ ،

jinn or mankind, and those worthy of
Thy response,

min jin-nika wa insika wa ah-li ijaabatik

وَتَجْتَمِعُ عَلَى صَلَاةِ كُلِّ مَنْ
ذَرَاتَ وَبَرَاتَ مِنْ أَصْنَافِ خَلْقِكَ.

and bring together the blessings of
every one of the kinds of Thy
creatures which Thou hast sown and
authored!

*wa taj-tamiu' a'laa s'alaati kul-li man d'araa-
ta wabaraa-ta min as'-naafi khal-qik*

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ

My Lord, bless Muhammad and his
Household

rab-bi s'al-li a'lay-hee wa aaalihee

صَلَاةً تُحِيطُ بِكُلِّ صَلَاةٍ سَالِفَةٍ
وَمُسْتَانَفَةً ،

with a blessing which will encompass
every blessing, bygone and new!

*s'alaatan tuh'eet'u bikul-li s'alaatin
saalifatiw-wamus-taa-nafah*

وَصَلِّ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَى آلِهِ

Bless him and his Household

wa s'al-li a'lay-hee waa'laaa aaalihee

صَلَاةً مَرْضِيَّةً لَكَ وَلِمَنْ
دُونَكَ ،

with a blessing which is pleasing to
Thee and everyone below Thee

*s'alaatan mar-z'ee-yatal-laka waliman
doonak*

وَتُنْشِئُ مَعَ ذَلِكَ صَلَواتٍ

and will bring forth with all that a
blessing

wa tunshi-u maa' d'alika s'alawaatin

تُضَاعِفْ مَعَهَا تِلْكَ الصَّلَوَاتِ
عِنْدَهَا ،

with which Thou wilt multiply those
blessings

*tuz'aai'fu maa'haa til-kas'-s'alawaati
i'ndahaa*

وَتَزِيدُهَا عَلَى كُرُورِ الْأَيَّامِ زِيَادَةً

and increase them through the
recurrence of days with an
increasing

*wa tazeeduhaa a'laa kurooril-ay-yaami
zeeaadatan*

فِي تَضَاعِيفٍ لَا يَعْدُهَا غَيْرُكَ.

in multiples which none can count but
Thou!

fee taz'aee'afa laa yau'd-duhaa ghay-ruk

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَى أَطَائِبِ أَهْلِ بَيْتِهِ

My Lord, bless the best of his
Household,

rab-bi s'al-li a'laaa at'aaa-ibi ah-li bay-tihil

الَّذِينَ اخْتَرْتَهُمْ لِأَمْرِكَ ،

**those whom Thou hast chosen for Thy
command,**

-lad'eena akh-tar-tahum liam-rik

وَجَعَلْتَهُمْ حَزَنَةً عِلْمِكَ ،
وَحَفَظَةً دِينِكَ ،

appointed the treasurers of Thy
knowledge, the guardians of Thy
religion,

*wa jaa'l-tahum khazanata i'l-mik wa
h'afaz'ata deenik*

وَخُلَفَاءَكَ فِي أَرْضِكَ ،
وَحُجَّجَكَ عَلَى عِبَادِكَ ،

Thy vicegerents in Thy earth, and Thy
arguments against Thy servants,

*wa khulafaaa-aka feee ar-z'iik wa h'ujajaka
a'laa i'baadik*

وَطَهَرْتَهُمْ مِنَ الرّجْسِ وَالْدَنَسِ
تَطْهِيرًا بِإِرَادَتِكَ ،

purified from uncleanness and
defilement through a purification by
Thy desire,

*wa t'ah-har-tahum minar-rij-si wad-danasi
tat'-heeram-biiraadatik*

وَجَعَلْتَهُمُ الْوَسِيلَةَ إِلَيْكَ
وَالْمَسْلَكَ إِلَى جَنَّتِكَ ،

and made the mediation to Thee and
the road to Thy Garden!

*wa jaa'l-tahumul-waseelata ilay-ka wal-mas-
laka ilaa jan-natik*

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِهِ

My Lord, bless Muhammad and his
Household

*rab-bi s'al-li a'laa muh'am-madiw-wa
aaalihee*

صَلَاةً تُجْزِلُ لَهُمْ بِهَا مِنْ نِحْلِكَ
وَكَرَامَتِكَ ،

with a blessing which makes plentiful
Thy gifts and generosity,

*s'alaatan tuj-zilu lahum bihaa min-nih'alika
wakaraamatik*

وَتُكْمِلُ لَهُمُ الْأَشْيَاءَ مِنْ
عَطَايَاكَ وَنَوَافِلَكَ ،

perfects for them Thy bestowals and
awards,

*wa tuk-milu lahumul-ash-yaaa-a min
a't'aayaaka wa nawaafilik*

وَتُوفِّرُ عَلَيْهِمُ الْحَظَّ مِنْ عَوَادِكَ
وَفَوَادِكَ.

and fills out their share of Thy kindly
acts and benefits!

*wa tuwaf-firu a'lay-himul-h'az'-z'a min
a'waaa-idika wa fawaaa-idik*

رَبِّ صَلَّى عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَيْهِمْ صَلَاةً لَا
أَمَدَ فِي أَوْلَاهَا،

My Lord, bless him and his Household
with a blessing whose first has no
term,

*rab-bi s'al-li a'lay-hee waa'lay-him s'alaatan
laaaa amada feee aw-walihaa*

وَلَا غَاِيَةَ لِمَدِهَا ، وَلَا نِهَايَةَ
لِأَخْرِهَا.

whose term has no limit, and whose
last has no utmost end!

*wa laa ghaayata liamadihaa wa laa
nihaayata liaaakhirihaa*

رَبِّ صَلِّ عَلَيْهِمْ زِنَةَ عَرْشِكَ وَمَا
دُونَهُ،

My Lord, bless them to the weight of
Thy Throne and all below it,

*rab-bi s'al-li a'lay-him-zinata a'r-shika wa
maa doonah*

وَمِلَءَ سَمَاوَاتِكَ وَمَا فَوْقَهُنَّ ،

the amount that fills the heavens and
all above them,

wa mil-a samaawaatika wa maa faw-qahun

وَعَدَدَ أَرْضِكَ ، وَمَا تَحْتَهُنَّ ،
وَمَا يَنْهُنَّ ،

the number of Thy earths and all below
and between them,

*wa a'dada araz'eeka wa maa tah'-tahun-na
wa maa bay-nahun*

صَلَاةً تُقْرِبُهُمْ مِنْكَ زُلْفَى وَتَكُونُ
لَكَ وَلَهُمْ رِضَى ،
a blessing that will bring them near to
Thee in proximity, please Thee and
them,

*s'alaatan tuqar-ribuhum minka zul-faa wa
takoonu laka wa lahum riz'ana*

وَمُتَّصِّلَةٌ بِنَظَائِرِهِنَّ أَبْدًا.

and be joined to its likes forever!

wa mut-tas'ilatam-binaz'aaa-irhin-na abadaa

أَللَّهُمَّ إِنَّكَ أَيَّدْتَ دِينَكَ فِي كُلِّ
أَوَانٍ

O God, surely Thou hast confirmed
Thy religion in all times

*al-laahum-ma in-naka ay-yat-ta deenaka fee
kul-li awaanim-*

بِإِمَامٍ أَقْمَتَهُ عَلَيْهَا لِعِبَادِكَ وَمَنَارًا
 فِي بِلَادِكَ،

with an Imam whom Thōu hast set up
 as a guidepost to Thy servants and a
 lighthouse in Thy lands,

*biimaaamin aqam-tahoo a'lamat-ii'baadika
 wa manaaran fee bilaadik*

بَعْدَ أَنْ وَصَلَتْ حَنْلَهُ بِحَنْلِكَ ،

after his cord has been joined to Thy
cord!

baa'-da aw-was'al-ta h'ab-lahoo bih'ab-lik

وَجَعَلْتَهُ الْذِرِيعَةَ إِلَى رِضْوَانِكَ ،

Thou hast appointed him the means to
Thy good pleasure,

wa jaa'l-tahud'-d'areea'ta ilaa riz"-waanik

وَافْتَرَضْتَ طَاعَتَهُ ، وَحَذَرْتَ
مَعْصِيَتَهُ ،

made obeying him obligatory,
cautioned against disobeying him,

*waf-taraz"-ta t'aaa'tah wa h'ad'-d'ar-ta maa'-
s'eeatah*

وَأَمْرْتَ بِاِمْتِثالِ أَوَامِرِهِ وَالاِنْتِهَاءِ
عِنْدَ نَهْشِيَّهِ ،

and commanded following his
commands, abandoning what he has
prohibited,

*wa amar-ta bim-tithaali awaamirih
walintihaaa-i i'nda nah-yih*

وَأَلَا يَتَقْدِمْهُ مُتَقْدِمٌ ، وَلَا يَتَأَخَّرْ
عَنْهُ مُتَأَخِّرٌ ،

and that no forward-goer go ahead of
him or back-keeper keep back from
him!

*wa al-laa yataqad-damahoo mutaqad-dim
wa laa yataakh-khara a'n-hoo mutaakh-
khir*

فَهُوَ عِصْمَةُ الْلَّائِذِينَ

So he is the preservation of the
shelter-seekers,

fa huwa i's'-matul-laaa-id'een

وَكَهْفُ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ ، وَعُرْوَةُ
 الْمُتَمَسِّكِينَ ، وَبَهَاءُ الْعَالَمِينَ .

the cave of the faithful, the handhold
 of the adherents, and the radiance of
 the worlds!

*wa kah-ful-moo-mineen wa u'r-watul-
 mutamas-sikeen wa bahaaa-ul-a'alameen*

اللَّهُمَّ فَأَوْزِعْ لِوَلِيِّكَ شُكْرَ مَا
أَنْعَمْتَ بِهِ عَلَيْهِ ،

O God, so inspire Thy guardian to give
thanks for that in which Thou hast
favoured him,

*al-laahum-ma faaw-zia' liwalee-yka shuk-ra
maaa an-a'm-ta bihee a'lay-h*

وَأَوْزِعْنَا مِثْلَهُ فِيهِ ، وَآتِهِ مِنْ
 لَدُنْكَ سُلْطَانًا نَصِيرًا ،

inspire us with the like concerning
 him, grant him 'an authority from
 Thee to help him',

*wa aw-zia'-naa mith-lahoo feeh wa aaatihee
 mil-ladunka sul-t'aanan-nas'eeraa*

وَافْتَحْ لَهُ فَتْحًا يَسِيرًا، وَأَعِنْهُ
بِرُكْنِكَ الْأَعَزِّ،

open for him an easy opening, aid him
with Thy mightiest pillar,

*wa af-tah' lahoo fat-h'ay-yaseeraa wa ai'n-
hoo biruk-nikal-aa'z*

وَاسْدُدْ أَزْرَهُ ، وَقَوِ عَضْدَهُ ،
وَرَاعِهِ بِعَيْنِكَ ،

brace up his back, strengthen his arm,
guard him with Thy eye,

*wash-dud az-rah wa qaw-wi a'z"udah wa
raai'hee bi 'y-nik*

وَاحْمِه بِحُفْظِكَ ، وَانْصُرْهُ
بِمَلَائِكَتِكَ ،

defend him with Thy safeguarding,
help him with Thy angels,

*wah'-mihee bih'if-z'ik wans'ur-hoo
bimalaaa-ikatik*

وَامْدُدْهُ بِجُنْدِكَ الْأَغْلَبِ وَأَقِمْ
بِهِ كِتَابَكَ وَحُدُودَكَ ،

and assist him with Thy most
victorious troops! Through him
establish Thy Book, Thy bounds,

*wam-dud-hoo bijundikal-agh-lab wa aqim
bihee kitaabaka wa h'udooodak*

وَشَرَائِعَكَ وَسُنَّتَ رَسُولِكَ

Thy laws, and the norms of Thy
Messenger's Sunna

wa sharaaaa-ia'ka wa sunana rasoolika

صَلُّوَا تُكَ اللَّهُمَّ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ ،

(Thy blessings, O God, be upon him
and his Household),

*s'alawaatukal-laahum-ma a'lay-hee wa
aaalih*

وَأَحْيِ بِهِ مَا أَمَاثَهُ الظَّالِمُونَ مِنْ
مَعَالِمِ دِينِكَ ،

bring to life the guideposts of Thy
religion, deadened by the
wrongdoers,

*wa ah'-yi bihee maaa amaatahuz'-
z'aalimoona mim-maa'alimi deenik*

وَاجْلُ بِهِ صَدَاءَ الْجَوْرِ عَنْ
طَرِيقِكَ ،

burnish the rust of injustice from Thy
way,

waj-lu bihee s'adaaa-al-jaw-ri a'n t'areeqatik

وَأَبِنْ بِهِ الضَّرَاءَ مِنْ سَبِيلِكَ ،

sift the adversity from Thy road,

wa abim-bihiz"-z"ar-raaa-a min sabeelik

وَأَزِلْ بِهِ النَّاكِبِينَ عَنْ
صِرَاطِكَ ،

eliminate those who deviate from Thy
path,

wa azil bihin-naakibeena a'n s'iraat'ik

وَامْحِقْ بِهِ بُغَاةَ قَصْدِكَ عَوْجًا،

and erase those who seek
crookedness in Thy straightness!

wam-h'aq bihee bughaata qas'-dika i'wajaa

وَأَلِنْ جَانِبَهُ لِأَوْلَيَاكَ ، وَابْسُطْ
 يَدَهُ عَلَى أَعْدَائِكَ ،

Make his side mild toward Thy friends,
 stretch forth his hand over Thy
 enemies,

*wa alin jaanibahoo liaw-leaaaa-ik wab-sut'
 yadahoo a'laaa aa'-daaa-ik*

وَهَبْ لَنَا رَأْفَتَهُ وَرَحْمَتَهُ وَتَعْطُفَهُ
وَتَحْنِنَهُ ،

give us his clemency, his mercy, his
tenderness, his sympathy,

*wa hab lanaa raa-fatahoo wa rah'-matahoo
wa taa't'-t'ufahoo wa tah'an-nunah*

وَاجْعَلْنَا لَهُ سَامِعِينَ مُطِيعِينَ ،
وَفِي رِضَاهُ سَاعِينَ ،
and make us his hearers and obeyers,
strivers toward his good pleasure,

*waj-a'l-naa laahoo saamie'ena mut'eee'en wa
fee riz'aahoo saae'en*

وَإِلَى نُصْرَتِهِ وَالْمُدَافَعَةِ عَنْهُ
مُكْنِفِينَ ،

assistants in helping him and
defending him,

*wa ilaa nus'-ratihee wal-mudaafaa'ti a'n-hoo
muk-nifeen*

وَإِلَيْكَ وَإِلَى رَسُولِكَ صَلَوَاتُكَ

and brought near through that to Thee
and Thy Messenger

wa ilay-k wa ilaa rasoolika s'alawaatukal-

اللَّهُمَّ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ بِذِلِكَ مُتَقَرِّبٍ.

(Thy blessings, O God, be upon him
and his Household).

*laahum-ma a'lay-hee wa aaalihee bid'alika
mutaqar-ribeen*

اللَّهُمَّ وَصَلِّ عَلَى أَوْلِيَاءِهِمْ
الْمُعْتَرِفِينَ بِمَقَامِهِمْ ،

O God, and bless the friends [of the Imams], the confessors of their station,

al-laahum-ma was'al-li a'laaa aw-leeaaa-ihimu al-mua'-tarifeena bimaqaamihim

الْمُتَبِعِينَ مَنْ هَجَّهُمْ ، الْمُقْتَفِينَ
آثَارَهُمْ ،

the keepers to their course, the
pursuers of their tracks,

*al-mut-tabie'ena man-hajahum al-muq-
tafeena aaathaarahum*

الْمُسْتَهْسِكِينَ بِعُرْوَتِهِمْ ،
الْمُتَمَسِّكِينَ بِوَلَائِتِهِمْ ،

the clingers to their handhold, the
adherents to their guardianship,

*al-mus-tam-sikeena biu'r-watihim al-
mutamas-sikeena biwilaayatihim*

الْمُؤْتَمِينَ بِاِمَامَتِهِمْ ، الْمُسَلِّمِينَ
لِأَمْرِهِمْ

the followers of their imamate, the
submitters to their command,

*al-moo-tam-meena biimaamatihim al-musal-
limeena liam-rihim*

الْمُجْتَهِدِينَ فِي طَاعَتِهِمْ ،
الْمُنْتَظَرِينَ أَيَّامَهُمْ ،

the strivers to obey them, the awaiters
of their days,

*al-muj-tahideena fee t'aaa'tihim al-
muntaz'ireena ay-yaamahum*

الْمَادِينَ إِلَيْهِمْ أَغْيِنْهُمْ ،

the directors of their eyes toward
them,

al-maaad-deena ilay-him aa'-yunahum

الصَّلَواتِ الْمُبَارَكَاتِ الرَّازِيَاتِ
النَّامِيَاتِ الْغَادِيَاتِ ، الرَّائِحَاتِ.
with blessings blessed, pure, growing,
fresh, and fragrant!

*as'-s'alawaatil-mubaarakaatiz-zaakeeaatin-
naameeaatil-ghaadeeaatir-raaa-ih'aat*

وَسَلِّمْ عَلَيْهِمْ وَعَلَى أَرْوَاحِهِمْ ،

Give them and their spirits peace,

wa sal-lim a'lay-him waa'laaa ar-waah'iham

وَاجْمَعْ عَلَى التَّقْوَى أَمْرَهُمْ ،

bring together their affair in reverential
fear,

waj-maa' a'laat-taq-waaa am-rahum-

وَأَصْلِحْ لَهُمْ شُوْوَنَهُمْ ،

set right their situations,

wa as'-lih' lahum shoo-oonahum-

وَتُبْ عَلَيْهِمْ

turn toward them,

wa tub a'lay-him

إِنَّكَ أَنْتَ الْتَّوَابُ الرَّحِيمُ وَخَيْرُ
الْغَافِرِينَ ،

Surely Thou art Ever-turning, All-compassionate and the Best of forgivers,

*in-naka antat-taw-waabur-rah'eemu wa
khay-rul-ghaafireen*

وَاجْعَلْنَا مَعَهُمْ فِي دَارِ السَّلَامِ
بِرَحْمَتِكَ يَا أَرْحَمَ الرَّاحِمِينَ.

and place us with them in the Abode of
Peace, through Thy mercy, O Most
Merciful of the merciful!

*waj-a'l-naa maa'hum fee daaris-salaami
birah'-matik yaaa ar-h'amar-raah'imeen*

اللَّهُمَّ هَذَا يَوْمٌ عَرَفَةَ ،

O God, this is the Day of 'Arafah,

al-laahum-ma had'aa yaw-mu a'rafah

يَوْمٌ شَرَفْتَهُ وَكَرِّمْتَهُ وَعَظَّمْتَهُ ،
نَشَرْتَ فِيهِ رَحْمَتَكَ ،

a day which Thou hast made noble,
given honour, and magnified. Within
it Thou hast spread Thy mercy,

*yaw-mun shar-raf-tahoo wakar-ram-tahoo
waa'z'-z'am-tah nashar-ta feehee rah'-
matak*

وَمَنَّتْ فِيهِ بِعَفْوِكَ وَأَجْزَلَتْ
فِيهِ عَطَيَّتَكَ ،

showed kindness through Thy pardon,
and made plentiful Thy giving,

*wa mananta feehee bi 'f-wik wa aj-zal-ta
feehee a't'ee-yatak*

وَقَضَيْتَ بِهِ عَلَىٰ عِبَادِكَ.

and by it Thou hast been bounteous
toward Thy servants.

wa tafaz"-z"al-ta bihee a'laa i'baadik

اللَّهُمَّ وَأَنَا عَبْدُكَ الَّذِي أَنْعَمْتَ
عَلَيْهِ قَبْلَ خَلْقِكَ لَهُ

I am Thy servant whom Thou favoured
before creating him

*al-laahum-ma waanaa a'b-dukal-lad'eee an-
a'm-ta a'lay-hqab-la khal-qika lahoo*

وَبَعْدَ خَلْقِكَ إِيَّاهُ ،

and after creating him.

wa baa'-da khal-qika ee-yaah

فَجَعَلْتَهُ مِمْنُ هَدَيْتَهُ لِدِينِكَ ،

Thou madest him one of those whom
Thou guided to Thy religion,

fajaa'l-tahoo mim-man haday-tahoo lideenik

وَوَفَّقْتَهُ لِحَقِّكَ ، وَعَصَمْتَهُ
بِحَبْلِكَ ،

gavest success in fulfilling Thy right,
preserved through Thy cord,

*wa waf-faq-tahoo lih'aq-qik wa a's'am-tahoo
bih'ab-lik*

وَأَدْخِلْتَهُ فِي حَزْبِكَ ، وَأَرْشَدْتَهُ
لِمُوَالَّةِ أَوْلَيَائِكَ ،

included within Thy party, and directed
aright to befriend Thy friends

*wa ad-khal-tahoo fee h'iz-bik wa ar-shat-
tahoo limuwaalaati aw-leeeaaa-ika*

وَمُعَادَاهِ أَعْدَائِكَ ، ثُمَّ أَمْرَتَهُ فَلَمْ
يَأْتِهِمْ ،

and show enmity to Thine enemies.

Then Thou commanded him, but he
did not follow Thy commands,

*wa mua'adaati aa'-daaa-ik thum-ma amar-
tahoo falam yaa-tamir-*

وَزَجَرْتَهُ فَلَمْ يَنْزِجْرُ ،

Thou restricted Him, but he did not
heed Thy restrictions,

wa zajar-tahoo falam yanzajir-

وَنَهَيْتَهُ عَنْ مَعْصِيَتِكَ فَخَالَفَ
أَمْرَكَ إِلَى نَهْيِكَ ،

Thou prohibited him from
disobedience toward Thee, but he
broke Thy command by doing what

Thou hadst prohibited,
*wa nahay-tahoo a'm-maa'-s'eeatik
fakhaalafa am-raka ilaa nah-yik*

لَا مُعَانِدَةً لَكَ وَلَا اسْتِكْبَارًا
عَلَيْكَ ،

not in contention with Thee, nor to
display pride toward Thee;

*laa mua'anadatal-laka wa laa as-tik-baarana
a'lay-k*

بَلْ دَعَاهُ هَوَاهُ إِلَيْ مَا زَيَّلْتَهُ ،
وَإِلَيْ مَا حَذَرْتَهُ ،

on the contrary, his caprice called him
to that which Thou hadst set apart
and cautioned against,

*bal daa'ahoo hawaahooo ilaa maa zay-yal-
tahoo wa ilaa maa h'ad'-d'ar-tah*

وَأَعْنَاهُ عَلَى ذَالِكَ عَدُوكَ
وَعَدُودُهُ ،

and he was helped in that by Thy
enemy and his enemy.

*wa aa'anahoo a'laa d'alika a'doo-wuka
waa'doo- wuh*

فَأَقْدَمَ عَلَيْهِ عَارِفًا بِوَعِيدِكَ ،
رَاجِيًّا لِعَفْوِكَ ،

So he went ahead with it knowing Thy
threat, hoping for Thy pardon,

*faaq-dama a'lay-h a'arifam-biwae'edik
raajeeal-lia'f-wik*

وَاثِقًا بِتَجَاهُوكَ ، وَكَانَ أَحَقَّ
عِبَادِكَ .

and relying upon Thy forbearance,
though he was the most obligated of
Thy servants

*waathiqam-bitajaawuzik wa kaana ah'aq-qa
i'baadika*

مَعَ مَا مَنَّتَ عَلَيْهِ . أَلَا يَفْعَلَ ،

- given Thy kindness toward him - not
to do so.

maa' maa mananta a'lay-heee al-laa yaf-a'l

وَهَا أَنَا ذَا بَيْنَ يَدَيْكَ صَاغِرًا ،

Here I am, then, before Thee, despised,

*wa haaa ana d'aa bay-na yaday-ka
s'aaghira na*

ذَلِيلًا، خَاضِعًا، خَائِشًا،
خَائِفًا،

lowly, humble, abject, fearful,

d'aleelana khaaz'ia'na khaashia'na khaaa-ifana

مُعْتَرِفًا بِعَظِيمِ مِنَ الذُّنُوبِ
تَحْمَلْتُهُ ،

confessing the dreadful sins with
which I am burdened

*mua'-tarifam-bi 'z'eemim-minad'-d'unoobi
tah'am-mal-tuh*

وَجَلِيلٌ مِنَ الْخَطَايَا اجْتَرَمْتُهُ ،

and the great offenses that I have committed,

wa jaleelim-minal-khat'aayaa aj-taram-tuh

مُسْتَجِيرًا بِصَفْحِكَ ، لَا إِذَا
بِرَحْمَتِكَ ،

seeking sanctuary in Thy forgiveness,
asking shelter in Thy mercy,

*mus-tajeeram-bis'af-h'ik laaa-id'am-birah'-
matik*

مُوقِنًا أَنَّهُ لَا يُجِيرُنِي مِنْكَ
مُجِيرٌ،

and certain that no sanctuary-giver will
give me sanctuary from Thee

*mooqinan an-nahoo laa yujeerunee minka
mujeer*

وَلَا يَمْنَعُنِي مِنْكَ مَانِعٌ .

and no withholder will hold me back
from Thee.

wa laa yam-nau'nee minka maaniu'n

فَعُذْ عَلَيَّ بِمَا تَعُودُ بِهِ عَلَى مَنِ
ا قُتَرَفَ مِنْ تَغْمِدِكَ ،

So act kindly toward me, just as Thou
actest kindly by Thy shielding him
who commits sins,

*fau'd a'lay-ya bimaa tau'wdu bihee a'laa
mani aq-tarafa min tagham-mudik*

وَجْدٌ عَلَيَّ بِمَا تَجُودُ بِهِ عَلَى مَنْ
أَلْقَى بِيَدِهِ إِلَيْكَ مِنْ عَفْوِكَ ،

be munificent toward me, just as Thou
art munificent by pardoning him who
throws himself before Thee,

*wa jud a'lay-ya bimaa tajoodu bihee a'laa
man al-qaa beeadiheeee ilay-ka min a'f-wik*

وَامْنُنْ عَلَيْ بِمَا لَا يَتَعَظَّمُكَ

and show kindness to me, just as it is
nothing great for Thee

wam-nun a'lay-ya bimaa laa yataa'az'amuka

أَنْ تَهْنَّ بِهِ عَلَى مَنْ أَمْلَكَ مِنْ
غُفْرَانِكَ ،

to show kindness by forgiving him
who expectantly hopes in Thee!

*an tamun-na bihee a'laa man am-malaka
min ghuf-raanik*

وَاجْعَلْ لِي فِي هَذَا الْيَوْمِ نَصِيباً
أَنَّا لُبِّهِ حَظًّا مِنْ رِضْوَانِكَ ،

Appoint for me in this day an allotment
through which I may attain a share of
Thy good pleasure,

*waj-a'l-lee fee had'aal-yaw-mi nas'eeban
anaalu bihee h'az'-z'am-mir-riz"-waanik*

وَلَا تَرْدَنِي صَفِراً مِمَّا يَنْقَلِبُ بِهِ
 الْمُتَعَبِّدُونَ لَكَ مِنْ عِبَادِكَ،

and send me not back destitute of that
 with which Thy worshipers return
 from among Thy servants!

*wa laa tarud-danee s'if-ram-mim-maa
 yanqalibu bihil-mutaa'b-bidoona Ika min
 i'baadik*

وَإِنِّي وَإِنْ لَمْ أَقْدِمْ مَا قَدَّمُوهُ مِنَ
الصَّالِحَاتِ ،

Though I have not forwarded the
righteous deeds which they have
forwarded,

*wa in-nee wa il-lam uqad-dim maa qad-
damooahoo minas'-s'aalih'aati*

فَقَدْ قَدَّمْتُ تَوْحِيدَكَ ،

I have forwarded the profession of Thy
Unity

faqad qad-dam-tu taw-h'eedaka

وَنَفِيَ الْأَضْدَادِ وَالْأَنْدَادِ وَالْأَشْبَاهِ
عَنْكَ ،

and the negation from Thee of
opposites, rivals, and likenesses,

*wa naf-yal-az"-daadi wal-andaadi wal-ash-
baahee a'nk*

وَأَتَيْتُكَ مِنَ الْأَبْوَابِ الَّتِي أَمْرَتَ
أَنْ تُؤْتَى مِنْهَا ،

I have come to Thee by the gateways
by which Thou hast commanded that
people come,

*wa atay-tuka minal-ab-waabi al-lateee amar-
ta an too-taa min-haa*

وَتَقَرَّبْتُ إِلَيْكَ بِمَا لَا يَقْرُبُ ،

and I have sought nearness to Thee
through that, without seeking
nearness through which,

wa taqar-rab-tu ilay-ka bimaa laa yaq-rubu

أَحَدٌ مِنْكَ إِلَّا بِالْتَّقْرُبِ بِهِ

none gains nearness to Thee.

*ah'adum-minka il-laa bit-taqar-rubi bih
biheeee*

ثُمَّ أَتَبَعْتُ ذَلِكَ بِالإِنْاءَةِ إِلَيْكَ ،

Then I followed all this with repeated
turning toward Thee,

thum-ma at-baa'-tu d'alika bil-inaabati ilay-k

وَالْتَّذَلُّلُ وَالْسْتِكَانَةُ لَكَ ،
وَحُسْنِ الظَّنِّ بِكَ

lowliness and abasement before Thee,
good opinion of Thee,

wat-tad'al-luli walis-tikaanati lak wa h'us-niz'-z'an-ni bik

وَالْتِقَةِ بِمَا عِنْدَكَ ،

and trust in what is with Thee;

wath-thiqati bimaa i'ndak

وَشَفَعْتُهُ بِرَجَائِكَ

and to that I coupled hope in Thee,

wa shafaa'-tuhoo birajaaa-ik

الَّذِي قَلَّ مَا يَخِبُّ عَلَيْهِ
رَاجِئُكَ،

since the one who hopes in Thee is
seldom disappointed!

*al-lad'ee qal-la maa yakheebu a'lay-hee
raajeek*

وَسَأَلْتُكَ مَسَأَلَةً الْحَقِيرِ الدَّلِيلِ

I asked Thee with the asking of one
vile, lowly,

wa saal-tuka mas-alatal-h'aqeerid'-d'aleel

الْبَائِسُ الْفَقِيرُ الْخَائِفُ
الْمُسْتَجِيرُ،

pitiful, poor, fearful, seeking
sanctuary;

al-baaa-isil-faqeeril-khaaa-ifil-mus-tajeer

وَمَعَ ذَلِكَ خِيفَةً وَتَضْرُعاً وَتَعَوذَا
وَتَلَوُذَا،

all that in fear and pleading, seeking
refuge and asking shelter,

*wa maa' d'alika kheefataw-wataz'ar-rua'a
wa taa'w-wud'aa watalaw-wud'aa*

لَا مُسْتَطِيلًا بِتَكْبِيرٍ الْمُتَكَبِّرِينَ ،

not presumptuous through the pride of
the proud,

*laa mus-tat'eelam-bitakab-buril-mutakab-
bireen*

وَلَا مُتَعَالِيًّا بِدَالَّةِ الْمُطِيعِينَ ،

nor exalting myself with the boldness
of the obedient,

wa laa mut'aaleem-bidaaal-latil-mut'eee'en

وَلَا مُسْتَطِيلًا بِشَفَاعَةٍ
الشَّافِعِينَ ،

nor presumptuous of the intercession
of the interceders.

*wa laa mus-tat'eelam-bishafaaa'tish-
shaafie'en*

وَأَنَا بَعْدُ أَقْلَى الْأَقْلَيْنَ، وَأَذْلَى^١
الْأَذْلَيْنَ،

For I am still the least of the least and
the lowliest of the lowly,

wa ana baa'-du aqal-lul-aqal-leen wa ad'al-lul-ad'al-leen

وَمِثْلُ الدَّرَّةِ أَوْ دُونَهَا.

like a dust mote or less!

wa mith-lud'-d'ar-rati aw doonahaa

فَيَا مَنْ لَمْ يَعَاجِلْ الْمُسِيءِينَ ،
وَلَا يَنْدَهُ الْمُتَرَفِّينَ ،

O He who does not hurry the evildoers
nor restrain those living in ease!

*fayaa mal-lam yua'ajilil-musee-een wa laa
yandahul-mut-rafeen*

وَيَا مَنْ يَهْنُ بِإِقَالَةِ الْعَاثِرِينَ ،

O He who shows kindness through
releasing the stumblers

wa yaa may-yamun-nu biiqaalatil-a'athireen

وَيَتَفَضَّلُ بِإِنْظَارِ الْخَاطِئَيْنَ ،

and gratuitous bounty through
respiteing the offenders!

wa yatafaz"-z"alu biinz'aaril-khaat'i-een

أَنَا الْمُسِيءُ الْمُعْتَرِفُ الْخَاطِئُ
الْعَاثِرُ،

I am the evildoer, the confessor, the
offender, the stumbler!

*anaal-musee-ul-mua'-tariful-khaat'i-ul-
a'athir*

أَنَا الَّذِيْ أَقْدَمَ عَلَيْكَ مُجْتَرِئًا ،

I am he who was audacious toward
Thee as one insolent!

anaal-lad'eee aq-dama a'lay-ka muj-tari-aa

أَنَا الَّذِي عَصَاكَ مُتَعَمِّدًا ،

I am he who disobeyed Thee with
forethought!

anaal-lad'ee a's'aaka mutaa'm-midaa

أَنَا الَّذِي اسْتَخْفَى مِنْ عِبَادِكَ
وَبَارَزَكَ،

I am he who hid myself from Thy
servants and blatantly showed
myself to Thee!

*anaal-lad'ee as-takh-faa min i'baadika
wabaarazak*

أَنَا الَّذِي هَابَ عِبَادَكَ وَأَمِنَكَ

I am he who was awed by Thy servants
and felt secure from Thee!

anaal-lad'ee haaba i'baadaka wa aminak

أَنَا الَّذِي لَمْ يَرْهَبْ سَطْوَتَكَ
وَلَمْ يَخَفْ بَأْسَكَ

I am he who dreaded not Thy penalty
and feared not Thy severity!

*anaal-lad'ee lam yar-hab sat'-watak wa lam
yakhaf baa-sak*

أَنَا الْجَانِي عَلَى نَفْسِهِ ، أَنَا
الْمُرْتَهَنُ بِبَلِيَّتِهِ ،

I am the offender against himself! I am
the hostage to his own affliction!

*anaal-jaanee a'laa naf-sih anaal-mur-tahanu
bibalee-yatih*

الْقَلِيلُ الْحَيَاءُ، أَنَا الطَّوِيلُ
الْعَنَاءُ،

I am short in shame! I am long in
suffering!

*anaal-qaleelul-h'ayaaa-i anaat'-t'aweeelul-
a'naaa-i*

بِحَقِّ مَنِ انْتَجَبْتَ مِنْ خَلْقِكَ ،

By the right of him whom Thou hast
distinguished among Thy creation

bih'aq-qi mani antajab-ta min khal-qik

وَبِمَنِ اصْطَفَيْتَهُ لِنَفْسِكَ ،

and by him whom Thou hast chosen
for Thyself!

wa bimani as'-t'afay-tahoo linaf-sik

بِحَقِّ مَنِ اخْتَرْتَ مِنْ بَرِيَّتِكَ ،

By the right of him whom Thou hast
selected from among Thy creatures

bih'aq-qi mani akh-tar-ta mim-baree-yatik

وَمَنِ اجْتَبَيْتَ لِشَأْنِكَ ،

and by him whom Thou hast picked for
Thy task!

wa mani aj-tabay-ta lishaa-nik

بِحَقِّ مَنْ وَصَلْتَ طَاعَتَهُ
بِطَاعَتِكَ ،

By the right of him the obeying of
whom Thou hast joined to obeying
Thee,

*bih'aq-qi maw-was'al-ta t'aaa'tahoo
bit'aaa'tik*

وَمَنْ جَعَلْتَ مَغْصِبَتَهُ
كَمَغْصِبَتِكَ

and by him the disobeying of whom
Thou hast made like disobeying
Thee!

*wa man jaa'l-ta maa'-s'eeatahoo kamaa'-
s'eeatik*

بِحَقِّ مَنْ قَرَنْتَ مُوَالَاتَهُ
 بِمُوَالَاتِكَ ،

And by the right of him whose
 friendship Thou hast bound to Thy
 friendship

*bih'aq-qi man qaranta muwaalaatahoo
 bimuwaalaatik*

وَمَنْ نُطْتَ مُعَاذَةً بِمُعَاذَاتِكَ.

and by him whose enmity Thou hast
linked to Thine enmity!

*wa man-nut'-ta mua'adaatahoo
bimua'adaatik*

تَعْمَدْنِي فِي يَوْمِي هَذَا بِمَا
تَتَعْمِدُ بِهِ

Shield me in this day of mine, by that
through which Thou shieldest him

*tagham-mad-nee fee yaw-mee had'aa bimaa
tatagham-madu bihee*

مَنْ جَارَ إِلَيْكَ مُتَّصِّلًا،

who prays fervently to Thee while
disavowing

man- jaara ilay-ka mutanas'-s'ilaa

وَعَادَ بِاسْتِغْفَارٍ لَكَ تَائِبًاً

and him who seeks refuge in Thy
forgiveness while repenting!

wa a'ad'a bis-tigh-faarika taaa-ibaa

وَتَوَلَّنِي بِمَا تَتَوَلَّ بِهِ أَهْلَ
طَاغِيَتِكَ ،

Attend to me with that through which
Thou attendest to the people of
obedience toward Thee,

*wa tawal-lanee bimaa tatawal-laa biheeee ah-
la t'aaa'tika*

وَالزُّلْفَى لَدِيْكَ ، وَالْمَكَانَةِ مِنْكَ ،

proximity to Thee, and rank with Thee!

waz-zul-faa laday-ka wal-makaanati mink

وَتَوَحَّدْنِي بِمَا تَوَحَّدُ بِهِ مَنْ
وَفَى بِعَهْدِكَ ،

Single me out, as Thou singlest him
out who fulfils Thy covenant,

*wa tawah'-h'ad-nee bimaa tatawah'-h'adu
bihee man-wafaa bi 'h-dik*

وَأَتْعَبَ نَفْسَهُ فِي ذَاتِكَ ،
وَأَجْهَدَهَا فِي مَرْضَاتِكَ ،

fatigues himself for Thy sake alone,
and exerts himself in Thy good
pleasure!

*wa at-a'ba naf-sahoo fee d'aatik wa aj-
hadahaa fee mar-z'aatik*

وَلَا تُؤَاخِذْنِي بِتَفْرِيظِي فِي
جَنَاحِكَ،

Take me not to task for my neglect in
respect to Thee,

*wa laa too-aakhid'-nee bitaf-reet'ee fee
jambik*

وَتَعَدِّي طَوْرِيْ فِي حُدُودِكَ ،
وَمُجَاوِزَةِ أَحْكَامِكَ .

my transgressing the limit in Thy
bounds, and stepping outside Thy
ordinances!

*wa taa'd-dee t'aw-ree fee h'udoodik wa
mujaawazati ah'-kaamik*

وَلَا تَسْتَدِرْ جَنِي بِإِمْلَائِكَ لِي

Draw me not on little by little by
granting me a respite,

wa laa tas-tad-rij-ne biim-laaa-ika lee

اسْتِدْرَاجَ مَنْ مَنَعَنِي خَيْرَ مَا
عِنْدَهُ ،

like the drawing on little by little of him
who withholds from me the good he
has

*is-tid-raaja mam-manaa'nee khay-ra maa
i'ndahoo*

وَلَمْ يَشْرِكْ فِي حُلُولِ نِعْمَتِهِ

بِي ،

by not sharing with Thee in letting
favour down upon me!

*wa lam yash-rak-ka fee h'ulooli nia'-matihee
bee*

وَنَبِّهْنِي مِنْ رَقْدَةِ الْغَافِلِينَ ،

Arouse me from the sleep of the
heedless,

wa nab-bih-nee min-raq-datil-ghaafileen

وَسِنَةُ الْمُسْرِفِينَ ، وَنَعْسَةُ
الْمَخْذُولِينَ .

the slumber of the prodigal, and the
dozing of the forsaken!

*wa sinatil-mus-rifeen wa naa'-satil-makh-
d'ooleen*

وَخُذْ بِقَلْبِي إِلَى مَا اسْتَعْمَلْتَ بِهِ
الْقَانِتِينَ ،

Take my heart to that in which Thou
hast employed the devout,

*wa khud' biqal-beee ilaa maa as-taa'-mal-ta
bihil-qaaniteen*

وَاسْتَعْبَدْتَ بِهِ الْمُتَعْبِدِينَ ،
وَاسْتَنْقَذْتَ بِهِ الْمُتَهَاوِنِينَ ،
enthralled the worshipers, and
rescued the remiss!

*was-taa'-bat-ta bihil-mutaa'b-bideen was-
tanqad'-ta bihil-mutahaawineen*

وَأَعِذْنِي مِمَّا يُبَاعِدُنِي عَنْكَ ،

**Give me refuge from that which will
keep me far from Thee,**

wa ai'd'-nee mim-maa yubaai'dunee a'nk

وَيَحُولْ بَيْنِي وَبَيْنَ حَظِّي
مِنْكَ ،

come between me and my share from
Thee,

*wa yah'oolu bay-nee wa bay-na h'az'-z'ee
mink*

وَيَصُدُّنِي عَمَّا أَحَاوِلُ لَدِيْكَ.

and bar me from that which I strive for
in Thee!

wa yas'ud-dunee a'm-maaa uh'aawilu laday-k

وَسَهِّلْ لِي مَسْلَكَ الْخَيْرَاتِ
إِلَيْكَ ،

Make easy for me the road of good
deeds toward Thee,

wa sah-hil-lee mas-lakal-khay-raati ilay-k

وَالْمُسَابَقَةُ إِلَيْهَا مِنْ حَيْثُ
أَمْرْتَ ،

racing to them from where Thou hast
commanded,

wal-msaabat ilay-haa min h'ay-thu amar-
t

وَالْمُشَاهَةَ فِيهَا عَلَىٰ مَا أَرَدْتَ.

and coveting them as Thou desirest!

wal-mushaaah'-h'ata feehaa a'laa maaa arat-
t

وَلَا تَمْحَقْنِي فِيهِنْ تَمْحَقُ مِنَ
الْمُسْتَخْفِيْنَ بِمَا أَوْعَدْتَ ،

Efface me not along with those whom
Thou effacest for thinking lightly of
what Thou hast promised!

*wa laa tam-h'aq-nee fee man tam-h'aqu
minal-mus-takhif-feena bimaaa aw-a't-t*

وَلَا تُهْلِكْنِي مَعَ مَنْ تُهْلِكُ مِنَ
الْمُتَعَرِّضِينَ لِمَقْتِكَ ،

Destroy me not with those whom Thou
destroyest for exposing themselves
to Thy hate!

*wa laa tuh-lik-nee maa' man tuh-liku minal-
mutaa'r-riz'eena limaq-tik*

وَلَا تُتْبِرْنِي فِيهِنْ تُتْبِرُ مِنَ
الْمُنْحَرِفِينَ عَنْ سُبُّلِكَ.

Annihilate me not among those whom
Thou annihilatest for deviating from
Thy roads!

*wa laa tutab-bir-nee fee man tutab-biru
minal-mun-h'arifeena a'n subulik*

وَنَجِّنِيْ مِنْ غَمَرَاتِ الْفِتْنَةِ ،

Deliver me from the floods of trial,

wa naj-jinee min ghamaraatil-fit-nah

وَخَلِصْنِي مِنْ لَهَوَاتِ الْبَلْوَى ،

save me from the gullets of affliction,

wa khal-lis'-nee mil-la hawaatil-bal-waa

وَأَجِرْنِي مِنْ أَخْذِ الْمُلَاءِ ،

and grant me sanctuary from being
seized by respite!

wa ajir-nee min akh-d'il-im-laaa-

وَحُلْ بَيْنِي وَبَيْنَ عَدُوٍّ يُضْلِنِي ،

Come between me and the enemy who
misguides me,

*wa h'u'l bay-nee wabay-na a'doo-wee-
yuz'il-lunee*

وَهُوَ يُوْبِقُنِي ، وَمَنْقَصَةٌ
تَرْهَقُنِي .

the caprice which ruins me, and the
failing which overcomes me!

*wa hawana yoobiqunee wa manqas'atin tar-
haqunee*

وَلَا تُعْرِضْ عَنِي إِغْرَاضَ مَنْ لَا
تَرْضَى عَنْهُ بَعْدَ غَضَبِكَ ،

Turn not away from me with the
turning away in wrath from one with
whom Thou art not pleased!

*wa laa tua'-riz" a'n-neeee ia'-raaz'"a mal-laa
tar-z"aa a'n-hoo baa'-da ghaz'"abik*

وَلَا تُؤْسِنِي مِنَ الْأَمْلِ فِيكَ ،

Let me not lose heart in expecting
from Thee,

wa laa too-yis-nee minal-amali feeka

فَيَغْلِبَ عَلَيَّ الْقُنُوتُ مِنْ
رَحْمَتِكَ ،

lest I be overcome by despair of Thy
mercy!

fayagh-liba a'lay-yal-qunoot'u mir-rah'-matik

وَلَا تَمْنَحْنِي بِمَا لَا طَاقَةَ لِي بِهِ ،

Grant me not that which I cannot
endure,

*wa laa tam-tah'in-nee bimaa laa t'aaqata lee
bihee*

فَتَبْرُّهَ ظَنِي مِمَّا تُحَمِّلُنِيهِ مِنْ
فَضْلِ مَحِبَّتِكَ ،

lest Thou weighest me down with the
surplus of Thy love which Thou
loadest upon me!

*fatab-haz'anee mim-maa tuh'am-miluneehee
min faz"-li mah'ab-batik*

وَلَا تُرْسِلْنِي مِنْ يَدِكَ إِرْسَالَ مَنْ
لَا خَيْرَ فِيهِ ،

Send me not from Thy hand, the
sending of him who possesses no
good,

*wa laa tur-sil-nee mee-yadika ir-saala man
laa khay-ra feeh*

وَلَا حَاجَةَ بِكَ إِلَيْهِ، وَلَا إِنَابَةً
لَهُ،

toward whom Thou hast no need, and
who turns not back [to Thee]!

*wa laa h'aajata bika ilay-h wa laaaa inaabata
lah*

وَلَا تَرْمِ مِنْ سَقَطَ مِنْ
عَيْنِ رِعَايَتِكَ ،

Cast me not with the casting of him
who has fallen from the eye of Thy
regard

*wa laa tar-mi bee ram-y man saqat'a min
a'y-ni ria'ayatik*

وَمَنِ اشْتَهَلَ عَلَيْهِ الْخُزْيُ مِنْ
عِنْدِكَ،

and been wrapped in degradation from
Thee!

*wa mani ash-tamala a'leehil-khiz-yu min
i'ndik*

بَلْ خُذْ بِيَدِيْ مِنْ سَقْطَةِ
الْمُتَرَدِّدِينَ ،

Rather take my hand [and save me]
from the falling of the stumblers,

bal khud' beeadee min saq-t'atil-mutarad-deen

وَوَهْلَةُ الْمُتَعْسِفِينَ، وَزَلَّةُ
 الْمَغْرُورِينَ، وَرَطْلَةُ الْهَاكِينَ.
 the disquiet of the deviators, the slip
 of those deluded, and the plight of
 the perishers!

*wa wah-latil-mutaa's-sifeen wa zal-latil-
 magh-rooreen wa war-t'atil-haalikeen*

وَعَافِنِي مِمَّا ابْتَلَيْتَ بِهِ طَبَقَاتِ
عَبْدِكَ وَإِمَائِكَ ،

**Release me from that with which Thou
hast afflicted the ranks of Thy
servants and handmaids**

*wa a'afinee mim-mab-talay-ta bihee
t'abaqaati a'beedika wa imaaa-ik*

وَبِلِّغْنِي مَبَالِغَ مَنْ عُنِيتَ بِهِ ،
وَأَنْعَمْتَ عَلَيْهِ ،

and make me reach the utmost
degrees of him about whom Thou art
concerned, towards whom Thou

shewest favour,

*wa bal-ligh-nee mabaaligha man u'neeta bih
wa an-a'm-ta a'lay-h*

وَرَضِيتَ عَنْهُ ،

and with whom Thou art pleased,

wa raz"eeta a'n-h

فَأَعْشِنْتَهُ حَمِيداً، وَتَوَفَّيْتَهُ
سَعِيداً،

so that Thou lettest him live as one
praiseworthy and takest him to Thee
as one felicitous!

*faaa'sh-tahoo h'ameedaa wa tawaf-fay-
tahoo sae'edaa*

وَطَوِّقْنِي طَوْقَ الْإِقْلَاعِ عَمَّا
يُحِيطُ الْحَسَنَاتِ ،

**Collar me with the collar of abstaining
from that which makes good deeds
fail**

*wa t'aw-wiq-nee t'aw-qal-iq-laai' a'm-maa
yuh'-bit'ul-h'asnaat*

وَيَذْهَبُ بِالْبَرَكَاتِ ،

and takes away blessings!

wa yad'-habu bil-barakaat

وَأَشْعِرْ قَلْبِي الْاِزْدِجَارَ عَنْ
قَبَائِحِ الْسَّيِّئَاتِ ،

Impart to my heart restraint before
ugly works of evil

*wa ash-i'r qal-beealiz-dijaara a'n qabaaa-
ih'is-say-yi-aat*

وَفَوَاضِحُ الْحَوْبَاتِ ،

and disgraceful misdeeds!

wa fawaaz"ih'il-h'aw-baat

وَلَا تَشْعُلْنِي بِمَا لَا أُدْرِكُهُ إِلَّا بِكَ
عَمَّا لَا يُرِضِّيكَ عَنِّي غَيْرُهُ ،

Divert me not by that which I cannot
reach except through Thee from
doing that which alone makes Thee
pleased with me!

*wa laa tash-ghal-nee bimaa laaa ud-
rikuhooo il-laa bika a'm-maa laa yur-
z"eeka a'n-nee ghay-ruh*

وَانْزَعْ مِنْ قَلْبِي حُبَّ دُنْيَا دَنِيَّةٍ
تَنْهَى عَمَّا عِنْدَكَ ،

**Root out from my heart the love of this
vile world, which keeps from
everything which is with Thee,**

*wa anzia' min qal-bee h'ub-ba dunyaa
danee-yah tan-haa a'm-maa i'ndak*

وَتَصُدُّ عَنِ ابْتِغَاءِ الْوَسِيلَةِ
إِلَيْكَ ،

bars from seeking the mediation to
Thee,

*wa tas'ud-du a'ni ab-tighaaa-il-waseelati
ilay-k*

وَتُذْهِلُ عَنِ التَّقْرُبِ مِنْكَ ،

and distracts from striving for
nearness to Thee!

wa tud'-hilu a'nit-taqar-rubi mink

وَزِينَ لِي التَّفَرُّدَ بِمُنَاجَاتِكَ
بِاللَّيْلِ وَالنَّهَارِ ،

Embellish for me solitude in prayer
whispered to Thee by night and by
day!

*wa zay-yil-leeat-tafar-ruda bimunaajaatika
bil-lay-li wan-nahaar*

وَهَبْ لِي عِصْمَةً تُذْنِي مِنْ
خَشْيَتِكَ ،

Give me a preservation which will
bring me close to dread of Thee,

*wa hab lee i's'-matan tud-neenee min
khash-yatik*

وَتَقْطِعُنِي عَنْ رُكُوبِ مَحَارِمَكَ ،

cut me off from committing things
made unlawful by Thee,

wa taq-t'au'nee a'r-rukoobi mah'aarimik

وَتَفْكُّرْنِي مِنْ أَسْرِ الْعَظَائِمِ ،

and spare me from captivation by
dreadful sins!

wa tafuk-kunee min as-ril-a'z'aaa-im

وَهَبْ لِي التَّطْهِيرَ مِنْ دَنَسِ
الْعِصْيَانِ ،

Give me purification from the
defilement of disobedience,

wa hab leeat-tat'-heera min danasil-i's'-yaan

وَأَذْهِبْ عَنِّي دَرَنَ الْخَطَايَا ،

take away from me the filth of
offenses,

wa ad'-hib a'n-nee darana alkhat'aayaa

وَسَرِّبِلْنِي بِسِرْبَالٍ عَافِيَّتَكَ ،

dress me in the dress of Thy well-being,

wa sar-bil-nee bisir-baali a'afeeatik

وَرَدَّنِي رِدَاءً مُعَافَاتِكَ ،

cloak me in the cloak of Thy release,

wa rad-dinee ridaaa-a mua'afaatik

وَجَلِّلْنِي سَوَابِعَ نَعْمَائِكَ ،

wrap me in Thy ample favours,

wa jal-lil-nee sawaabigha naa'-maaa-ik

وَظَاهِرٌ لَدِي فَضْلَكَ وَطَوْلَكَ ،

and clothe me in Thy bounty and Thy
graciousness!

wa z'aahir laday-ya faz"-laka wat'aw-lak

وَأَيْدِنِي بِتَوْفِيقِكَ وَسُدِّدِكَ ،

Strengthen me with Thy giving
success and Thy pointing the right
way,

wa ay-yid-nee bitaw-feeqika watas-deedik

وَأَعِنّي عَلَى صَالِحِ النِّيَّةِ وَمَرْضِيٍّ
 الْقَوْلِ وَمُسْتَحْسِنِ الْعَمَلِ.

help me toward righteous intention,
 pleasing words, and approved works,

*wa ai'n-nee a'laa s'aalih'in-neeyati wa mar-
 z'ee-yil-qaw-li wa mus-tah'-sanil-a'mal*

وَلَا تَكِلْنِي إِلَى حَوْلِي وَقُوَّتِي
دُونَ حَوْلَكَ وَقُوَّتِكَ ،

and entrust me not to my force and my
strength in place of Thy force and
Thy strength!

*wa laa takil-neee ilaa h'aw-lee wa qoo-watee
doona h'aw-lik a wa qoo-watik*

وَلَا تَخْزِنِي يَوْمَ تَبْعَثُنِي إِلَيْكَ ،

Degrad me not on the day Thou
raisest me up to meet Thee,

*wa laa tukh-zinee yaw-ma tab-a'thunnee
liliqaaa-ik*

وَلَا تُفْضِّلْخْنِي بَيْنَ يَدَيْ
أَوْلِيَائِكَ ،

disgrace me not before Thy friends,

*wa laa taf-z'ah'-nee bay-na yaday aw-
leeeaaa-ik*

وَلَا تُنْسِنِي ذِكْرَكَ ، وَلَا تُذْهِبْ
 عَنِّي شُكْرَكَ ،

make me not forget remebering
 Thee, take not away from me
 thanking Thee,

wa laa tunsinee d'ik-rak wa laa tud'-hib a'n-nee shuk-raka

بَلْ أَلْزَمْنِيهِ فِي أَحْوَالِ السَّهْوِ
عِنْدَ غَفَلَاتِ الْجَاهِلِينَ لَا لَائِكَ،

but enjoin it upon me in states of
inattention when the ignorant are
heedless of Thy boons,

*bal al-zim-neehhee feeee ah'-waalis-sah-wi
i'nda ghafalaatil-jaahileena lillaaa-ik*

وَأَوْزِعْنِي أَنْ أُثْنِي بِمَا أَوْلَيْتَنِيهِ ،

and inspire me to laud what Thou hast
done for me

*wa aw-zia'-neeee an uth-neea bimaaa aw-lay-
taneeh*

وَأَعْتَرِفُ بِمَا أَسْدَيْتَهُ إِلَيَّ ،

and confess to what Thou hast
conferred upon me!

wa aa'-tarifa bimaaa as-day-tahoooo ilay

وَاجْعَلْ رَغْبَتِي إِلَيْكَ فَوْقَ رَغْبَةِ
الرَّاغِبِينَ ،

Place my beseeching Thee above the
beseeching of the beseechers

*wa aj-a'r-r-ragh-bateee ilay-ka faw-qa ragh-
batir-raaghibeen*

وَحَمْدِي إِيَّاكَ فَوْقَ حَمْدِ
الْحَامِدِينَ ،

and my praise of Thee above the
praise of the praisers!

*wa h'am-deee ee-yaaka faw-qa h'am-dil-
h'aamideen*

وَلَا تَخْذُلْنِي عِنْدَ فَاقْتِي إِلَيْكَ ،

Abandon me not with my neediness
for Thee,

wa laa takh-d'uul-nee i'nda faaqateee ilay-k

وَلَا تُهْلِكْنِي بِمَا أَسْدَيْتُهُ إِلَيْكَ ،

destroy me not for what I have done
for Thee,

*wa laa tuh-lik-nee bimaaa as-day-tuhooo
ilay-k*

وَلَا تَجْبَهْنِي بِمَا جَبَهْتَ بِهِ
لِمَعَانِدِينَ لَكَ ،

and slap not my brow with that with
which Thou slappest the brow of
those who contend with Thee,

*wa laa taj-bah-nee bimaa jabah-ta bihil-
mua'anideena laka*

فَإِنِّي لَكَ مُسْلِمٌ، أَعْلَمُ أَنَّ
الْحُجَّةَ لَكَ،

for I am submitted to Thee. I know that
the argument is Thine,

*fa in-nee laka musal-lim aa'-lamu an-nal-
h'uj-jata lak*

وَأَنْكَ أَوْلَى بِالْفَضْلِ، وَأَعُودُ
بِالْإِحْسَانِ،

that Thou art closest to bounty, most
accustomed to beneficence,

*wa an-naka aw-laa bil-faz"-I wa aa'-wadu bil-
ih'-saan*

وَأَهْلُ التَّقْوَىٰ ، وَأَهْلُ الْمَغْفِرَةِ ،

worthy of reverent fear, and worthy of
forgiveness,

wa ah-lut-taq-waa wa ah-lul-magh-firah

وَأَنَّكَ بِإِنْ تَغْفُلَ أَوْلَى مِنْكَ بِإِنْ
تُعَاقِبَ ،

that Thou art closer to pardoning than
to punishing,

*wa an-naka bi n taa'-fuwa aw-laa minka bi n
tua'aqib*

وَأَنَّكَ بِإِنْسَانٍ تَسْتُرُ أَقْرَبُ مِنْكَ إِلَى
أَنْ تَشْهَدَ ،

and that Thou art nearer to covering
over than to making notorious!

*wa an-naka bi n tas-tura aq-rabu minka
ilaaa an tash-har*

فَأَخْبِنِي حَيَاةً طَيِّبَةً تَسْتَطِعُ بِمَا
أَرِيدُ

Let me live an agreeable life that will
tie together what I want

*faah'-yinee h'ayaatan t'ay-yibah tantaz'im
bimaaa ureed*

وَتَبْلُغُ مَا أَحِبُّ مِنْ حَيْثُ لَا آتَيْ
مَا تَكْرَهُ

and reach what I love while I not bring
what Thou dislikest

*wa tab-lughu maaa uh'ib-bu min h'ay-thu
laaaa aaatee maa tak-rah*

وَلَا أَرْتَكِبُ مَا نَهَيْتَ عَنْهُ،

and not commit what Thou hast
prohibited;

wa laaa ar-takibu maa nahay-ta a'n-h

وَأَمِتْنِي مِيتَةً مَنْ يَسْعَى نُورُهُ

بَيْنَ يَدَيْهِ ، وَعَنْ يَمِينِهِ ،

and make me die the death of him
whose light runs before him and on
his right hand!

*wa amit-nee meetata may-yas-a'a nooruhoo
bay-na yaday-hee waa'y-yameenih*

وَذَلِّلْنِي بَيْنَ يَدَيْكَ ، وَأَعِزُّنِي
عِنْدَ خَلْقِكَ ،

**Abase me before Thyself and exalt me
before Thy creatures,**

*wa d'al-lil-nee bay-na yaday-k wa ai'z-zanee
i'nda khal-qik*

وَضَعْنِي إِذَا خَلَوْتُ بِكَ ،
وَارْفَعْنِي بَيْنَ عِبَادِكَ ،

lower me when I am alone with Thee
and raise me among Thy servants,

*wa z'aa'-neee id'aa khalaw-tu bik war-faa'-
nee bay-na i'baadik*

وَأَغْنِنِي عَمَّنْ هُوَ غَنِيٌّ عَنِّي ،

free me from need for him who has no
need of me

*wa agh-ninee a'm-man huwa ghanee-yun
a'n-nee*

وَزِدْنِي إِلَيْكَ فَاقَةً وَفَقْرًا،

and increase me in neediness and
poverty toward Thee!

wa zid-neee ilay-ka faaqataw-wa faq-raa

وَأَعِذْنِي مِنْ شَمَائِثِ الْأَعْدَاءِ ،

Give me refuge from the gloating of
enemies,

wa ai'd'-nee min shamaatatil-aa'-daaa-i

وَمِنْ حُلُولِ الْبَلَاءِ ، وَمِنَ الذَّلِّ
وَالْعَنَاءِ ،

the arrival of affliction, lowliness and
suffering!

*wa min h'uloolil-balaaa-i wa minad'-d'u'l-li
wal-a'naaa-i*

تَعَمَّدْنِي فِيمَا اطْلَعْتَ عَلَيْهِ مِنِّي

Shield me in what Thou seest from me,

*tagham-mad-nee fee mat'-t'alaa'-ta a'lay-hee
min-nee*

بِمَا يَتَعَمَّدُ بِهِ الْقَادِرُ عَلَى
الْبَطْشِ لَوْلَا حِلْمَهُ،

the shielding of him who would have
power over violence had he no
clemency,

*bimaa yatagham-madu bih al-qaadiru a'laal-
bat'-shi lawlaa h'il-muh*

وَالاَخِذُ عَلَى الْجَرِيرَةِ لَوْلَا أَنَّا تُهُونُ

and would seize for misdeeds had he
no lack of haste!

*wal-aaaakhid'u a'laal-jareerati law-laaa
anaatuh*

وَإِذَا أَرَدْتَ بِقَوْمٍ فِتْنَةً أَوْ سُوءً
فَنَجِّنِي مِنْهَا لِوَادِأً بِكَ.

When Thou desirest for a people a trial
or an evil, deliver me from it, for I
seek Thy shelter;

*wa id'aaa arat-ta biqaw-min fit-natan aw
soooo-ana fanaj-jinee min-haa liwaad'am-
bik*

وَإِذْ لَمْ تُقِنْنِي مَقَامَ فَضِيْحَةٍ فِي
دُنْيَاكَ

and since Thou hast not stood me in
the station of disgrace in this world
of Thine,

*wa id' lam tuqim-nee maqaama faz"eeh'tin
fee dunyaaka*

فَلَا تُقْهِنِي مِثْلَهُ فِي آخِرَتِكَ ،

stand me not in such a station in the
next world of Thine!

falaa tuqim-nee mith-lahoo feee aaakhiratik

وَاسْفَعْ لِي أَوَاءِلَ مِنِّكَ
بِأَوَاهِرِهَا،

Couple for me the beginnings of Thy
kindnesses with their ends

*wash-faa' lee awaaa-ila minanika bi
waakhirhaa*

وَقَدِيمَ فَوَائِدِكَ بِحَوَادِثِهَا.

and the ancient of Thy benefits with
the freshly risen!

wa qadeema fawaaa-idika bih'awaadithihaa

وَلَا تَمْدُدْ لِي مَدّاً يَقْسُو مَعَهُ
قُلْبِي ،

Prolong not my term with a prolonging
through which my heart will harden!

*wa laa tam-dud lee mad-day-yaq-soo
maa'hoo qal-bee*

وَلَا تَقْرِعْنِي قَارِعَةً يَذْهَبُ لَهَا
بَهَائِي ،

**Strike me not with a striking that will
take away my radiance!**

*wa laa taq-raa'-nee qaaria'tay-yad'-habu
lahaa bahaaa-ee*

وَلَا تَسْهِنِي خَبِيْسَةً يَصْعُرُ لَهَا
قَدْرِي ،

Visit me not with a meanness that will
diminish my worth

*wa laa tasum-nee khaseesatay-yas'-ghuru
lahaa qad-ri*

وَلَا نَقِصَةً يُجْهَلُ مِنْ أَجْلِهَا
مَكَانِي ،

or a deficiency that will keep my rank
unknown!

*wa laa naqees'atay-yuj-halu min aj-lihaa
makaanee*

وَلَا تَرْعَنِي رَوْعَةً أُبْلِسُ بِهَا ، وَلَا
خِفْةً أَوْجَسُ دُونَهَا .

Frighten me not with a fright by which
I will despair or a terror through
which I will dread,

*wa laa tarua'-nee raw-a'tan ub-lisu bihaa wa
laa kheefatan oojis u doonahaa*

اجْعَلْ هَيْبَتِي فِي وَعِدِكَ ،

but make me stand in awe of Thy
threat,

ij-a'l hay-batee fee wae'edik

وَحَذِّرِي مِنْ إِعْذَارِكَ وَإِنْذَارِكَ ،

take precautions against Thy leaving
no excuses

wa h'ad'aree min ia'-d'aarika waand'aarik

وَرَهْبَتِي عِنْدَ تِلَاءَةِ آيَاتِكَ ،

and Thy warning, and tremble at the
recitation of Thy verses!

wa rah-batee i'nda tilaaawati aaayaatik

وَأَعْمُرْ لَيْلِي بِإِيقَاظِي فِيهِ
لِعِبَادَتِكَ ،

Fill my night with life by keeping me
awake therein for worshipping Thee,

*waa'-mur lay-lee bieeqaaz'ee feeh
lii'baadatik*

وَتَقْرُدِي بِالْتَّهَجُّدِ لَكَ ، وَتَجَرُّدِي
بِسُكُونِي إِلَيْكَ ،

**solitude with vigil for Thee, exclusive
devotion to reliance upon Thee,**

*wa tafar-rudee bit-tahaj-judi lak wa tajar-
rudee bisukooneee ilay-ka*

وَإِنْزَالٍ حَوَّأْجِي بِكَ ،

setting my needs before Thee,

wa inzaali h'awaaa-ijee bik

وَمُنَازَلَتِي إِيَّاكَ فِي فَكَالِكَ رَقَبَتِي
مِنْ نَارِكَ ،

and imploring that Thou wilt set my
neck free from the Fire

*wa munaazalateee ee-yaak fee fakaaki
raqabatee min-naarik*

وَإِجَارَتِي مِمَّا فِيهِ أَهْلُهَا مِنْ
عَذَابِكَ.

and grant me sanctuary from Thy
chastisement, within which its
inhabitants dwell!

*wa ijaaratee mim-maa feeheeee ah-luhaa min
a'd'aabik*

وَلَا تَذْرُنِي فِي طُغْيَانِي عَامِهاً ،

Leave me not blindly wandering in my
insolence

wa laa tad'ar-nee fee t'ugh-yaanee a'amihaa

وَلَا فِي غَمْرَتِي سَاهِيًّا حَتَّى
جِين ،

or inattentive in my perplexity for a
time,

*wa laa fee gham-ratee saaheeana h'at-taa
h'een*

وَلَا تَجْعَلْنِي عِظَةً لِمَنِ اتَّعَظَ ،

make me not an admonition to him
who takes admonishment,

wa laa taj-a'l-nee i'z'atal-limani at-taa'z'

وَلَا نَكَالًا لِمَنِ اغْتَبَرَ ،

a punishment exemplary for him who
takes heed,

wa laa nakaalal-limani aa'-tabar

وَلَا فِتْنَةً لِمَنْ نَظَرَ ، وَلَا تَمْكِرْ
 بِي فِيمَنْ تَمْكِرُ بِهِ ،

a trial for him who observes, devise
 not against me along with those
 against whom Thou devisest,

*wa laa fit-natal-liman-naz'ar wa laa tam-kur
 bee fee man tam-kuru bih*

وَلَا تَسْتَبْدِلْ بِي غَيْرِي ، وَلَا
تُغَيِّرْ لِي أَسْمَا ،

replace me not with another, change
not my name,

*wa laa tas-tab-dil bee ghay-ree wa laa
tughay-yir lee as-maa*

وَلَا تُبْدِلْ لِي جَسْنِمًا، وَلَا
تَتَخَذِّنِي هُزُوًّا لِخَلْقِكَ،

transform not my body, appoint me not
a mockery for Thy creatures,

*wa laa tubad-dil-lee jis-maa wa laa tat-
takhid'-nee huzool-likhal-qik*

وَلَا سُخْرِيًّا لَكَ ، وَلَا تَبَعًا إِلَّا
لِمَرْضَاتِكَ ،

a laughing-stock for Thyself, a follower
of anything but Thy good pleasure,

*wa laa sukh-ree-yal-lak wa laa tabaa'naaaa il-
laa limar-z'aatik*

وَلَا مُمْتَهِنًا إِلَّا بِالانتِقامِ لَكَ ،
وَأَوْجَدْنِي بَرْدَ عَفْوِكَ ،

a menial servant for anything but
avenging Thee! Let me find the
coolness of Thy pardon

*wa laa mum-tahanan il-laa biiantiqaami lak
wa aw-jid-nee bar-da a'f-wik*

وَحَلَاؤَةَ رَحْمَتِكَ وَرَوْحِكَ
 وَرِيحَانِكَ وَجَنَّةَ نَعِيمِكَ ،

and the sweetness of Thy mercy, Thy
 repose, Thy ease, and the garden of
 Thy bliss!

*wh'alaawata rah'-matik wa raw-h'ika waray-
 h'aanik wa jan-nati nae'emik*

وَأَذِقْنِي طَعْمَ الْفَرَاغِ لِمَا تُحِبُّ
 بِسَعَةٍ مِّنْ سَعَتِكَ ،

Let me taste, through some of Thy
 boundless plenty, the flavour of
 being free for what Thou lovest

*wa ad'iq-nee t'aa'-ma al-faraaghi limaa
 tuh'ib-bu bisaa'tim-min saa'tik*

وَالا جْتِهادِ فِيمَا يُرِلُفُ لَدِيْكَ
وَعِنْدَكَ ،

and striving in what brings about
proximity with Thee and to Thee,

*walij-tihaadi feemaa yuz-lifu laday-ka wa
i'ndak*

وَأَتْحِفْنِي بِتُحْفَةٍ مِّنْ تُحَفَاتِكَ ،

and give me a gift from among Thy
gifts!

wa at-h'if-nee bituh'-fatim-min tuh'ufaatik

وَاجْعَلْ تِجَارَتِي رَابِحَةً ، وَكَرَّتِي
غَيْرَ حَاسِرَةً ،

Make my commerce profitable and my
return without loss,

*waj-a'l tijaaratee raabih'ah wa kar-ratee
ghay-ra khaasirah*

وَأَخْفِنِي مَقَامَكَ ، وَشُوّقِنِي
لِقاءًكَ ،

fill me with fear of Thy station, make
me yearn for the meeting with Thee,

*wa akhif-nee maqaamak wa shaw-wiq-nee
liqaaa-ak*

وَتُبْ عَلَيَّ تَوْبَةً نَصُوحًا لَا تُبْقِ
مَعَهَا ذُنُوبًا صِغِيرَةً وَلَا كِبِيرَةً،

and allow me to repent with an
unswerving repentance along with
which Thou lettest no sins remain,

small or large,

*wa tub a'lay-ya taw-batan-nas'ooh'aa laa
 tub-qi maa'haa d'unoobana s'agheerataw-
 wa laa kabeerah*

وَلَا تَذَرْ مَعْهَا عَلَانِيَةً وَلَا سَرِيرَةً ،

and leavest no wrongs, open or secret!

*wa laa tad'ar maa'haa a'laaneetaw-wa laa
sareerah*

وَانْزِعْ الْغِلَّ مِنْ صَدْرِي
لِلْمُؤْمِنِينَ ،

Root out rancour toward the faithful
from my breast,

wanzai'l-ghil-la min s'ad-ree lil-moo-mineen

وَاعْطِفْ بِقَلْبِي عَلَى
الْخَاسِعِينَ ،

bend my heart toward the humble,

wa aa'-t'if biqal-bee a'laal-khaashie'en

وَكُنْ لِي كَمَا تَكُونُ لِ الصَّالِحِينَ ،

be toward me as Thou art toward the
righteous,

wa kul-lee kamaa takoonu lils'-s'aalih'een

وَحَلَّنِي حِلْيَةَ الْمُتَقِّينَ ،

adorn me with the adornment of the
god-fearing,

wa h'al-linee h'il-yatal-mut-taqeen

وَاجْعَلْ لِي لِسَانَ صِدْقٌ فِي
الْغَابِرِينَ ،

appoint for me a goodly report among
those yet to come

waj-a'l-lee lisaana s'id-qin fil-ghaabireen

وَذِكْرًا نَامِيًّا فِي الْآخِرِينَ ، وَوَافِ
بِي عَرْصَةَ الْأَوَّلِينَ ،

and a growing remembrance among
the later folk, and take me to the
plain of those who came first!

*wa d'ik-ran-naameeana fil-akhireen wa
waafi bee a'r-s'atal-aw-waleen*

وَتَمِّمْ سُبُوغَ نِعْمَتِكَ عَلَيَّ ،
وَظَاهِرْ كَرَامَاتِهَا لَدَيَّ ،

Complete the lavishness of Thy favour
upon me, clothe me in its repeated
generosities,

*wa tam-mim suboogha nia'-matika a'lay wa
z'aahir karaamaatihaa laday*

وَ امْلأْ مِنْ فَوَائِدِكَ يَدَيَّ ، وَسُقْ
كَرَاءِمَ مَوَاهِبِكَ إِلَيَّ ،

fill my hand with Thy benefits, drive
Thy generous gifts to me,

*wam-laa min fawaaa-idika yaday wa suq k-
karaaaa-imma mawaahibika ilay*

وَجَاهِرْ بِي الْأَطْيَبِينَ مِنْ
أَوْلَيَاءِكَ

make me the neighbour of the best of
Thy friends

*wa jaawir beeal-at'-yabeena min aw-leaaaa-
ika*

فِي الْجَنَانِ الَّتِي زَيَّنْتَهَا
لِاَصْفِيَاكَ ،

in the Gardens which Thou hast
adorned for Thy chosen

fil-jinaanil-latee zay-yantahaa lias'-feaaaa-ik

وَجَلَّنِي شَرَافِكَ فِي
الْمَقَامَاتِ الْمُعَدَّةِ لِأَحِبَّائِكَ ،

and wrap me in Thy noble presents in
the stations prepared for Thy
beloveds!

*wa jal-lil-nee sharaaa-if a nih'alika fil-
maqaamaatil-mua'd-dati liah'ib-baaa-ik*

وَاجْعَلْ لِي عِنْدَكَ مَقِيلًاً أَوْ يِ
إِلَيْهِ مُطْمِئنًا،

Appoint for me a resting place with
Thee where I may seek haven in
serenity,

*waj-a'l-lee i'ndak maqeelan aaaweee ilay-
hee mut'-ma-in-naa*

وَمَثَابَةً أَتَبُوَّا هَا وَأَقْرَءَ عَيْنَا.

and a resort to which I may revert and
rest my eyes,

*wa mathaabatan atabaw-wu-uhaa wa aqar-
ru a'y-naa*

وَلَا تُقَاسِنِي بِعَظِيمَاتِ
الْجَرَائِيرِ،

weigh not against me my dreadful
misdeeds,

wa laa tuqaayis-nee bia'z'eemaatil-jaraaaa-ir

وَلَا تُهْلِكْنِي يَوْمَ تُبْلَى السَّرَّائِرُ ،

destroy me not on the day the secrets
are tried,

wa laa tuh-lik-nee yaw-ma tub-laas-saraaaa-ir

وَأَذِلْ عَنِّي كُلَّ شَكٍ وَشُبُّهَةٍ ،

eliminate from me every doubt and uncertainty,

wa azil a'n-nee kul-la shak-kiw-washub-hah

وَاجْعَلْ لِي فِي الْحَقِّ طَرِيقًا مِنْ
كُلِّ رَحْمَةٍ ،

appoint for me a way in the truth from
every mercy,

*waj-a'l-lee fil-h'aq-qi t'areeqam-min kul-li
rah'-mah*

وَأَجْزِلْ لِي قِسْمَ الْمَوَاهِبِ مِنْ
نَوَالِكَ ،

make plentiful for me the portions of
gifts from Thy granting of awards,

wa aj-zil-lee qisamal-mawaahibi min-nawaalik

وَوَفِّرْ عَلَيَ حُظُوظَ الْإِحْسَانِ مِنْ
إِفْضَالِكَ ،

and fill out for me the shares of
beneficence from Thy bestowal of
bounty!

*wa waf-fir a'lay-ya h'uz'ooz'al-ih'-saani min
if-z'aalik*

وَاجْعَلْ قَلْبِي وَاثِقًا بِمَا عِنْدَكَ ،

Make my heart trust in what is with
Thee

waj-a'l qal-bee waathiqa m-bimaa i'ndak

وَهَمِيَ مُسْتَفْرَغًا لِمَا هُوَ لَكَ ،

and my concern free for what is Thine,

wa ham-mee mus-taf-raghil-limaa huwa lak

وَاسْتَعْمِلْنِي بِمَا تَسْتَعْمِلُ بِهِ
خَالِصَتَكَ ،

employ me in that in which Thou
employest Thy pure friends,

***was-taa'-mil-nee bimaa tas-taa'-milu bihee
khaalis'atak***

وَأَشْرِبْ قَلْبِي عِنْدَ ذُهُولِ
 الْعُقُولِ طَاعَتَكَ ،

drench my heart with Thy obedience
 when intellects are distracted,

*wa ash-rib qal-bee i'nda d'uholil-u'qwli
 t'aaa'taka*

وَاجْمَعْ لِي الْغِنَىٰ ، وَالْعَفَافَ ،
وَالدَّعَةَ ، وَالْمُعَافَاةَ ،

and combine within me independence,
continence, ease, release,

*waj-maa' leea al-ghinaa wal-a'faaf wad-
daa'ta wal-mua'afaah*

وَالصَّحَّةُ، وَالسَّعَةُ،
وَالطَّمَانِيَّةُ، وَالْعَافِيَّةُ،

health, plenty, tranquillity, and well
being!

*was'-s'i'h'-h'ata was-saa'h wat'-t'u'maa-
neenata wal-a'afeeah*

وَلَا تُخْبِطْ حَسَنَاتِي بِمَا يَشُوْبُهَا
مِنْ مَعْصِيَتِكَ ،

Make not fail my good deeds through
my disobedience that stains them

*wa laa tuh'-bit' h'asanaatee bimaa
yashoobuhaa mim-maa'-s'eeatik*

وَلَا خَلَواتِي بِمَا يَعْرُضُ لِي مِنْ
نَزَغَاتٍ فِتْنَتِكَ ،

or my private times of worship through
the instigations of Thy trial!

*wa laa khalawaatee bimaa yaa'-riz''u lee
min-nazaghaati fit-natik*

وَصُنْ وَجْهِي عَنِ الْطَّلْبِ إِلَى
أَحَدٍ مِنَ الْعَالَمِينَ ،

Safeguard my face from asking from
anyone in the world,

*wa s'oo-waj-hee a'nit'-t'alabi ilaaa ah'adim-
minal-a'alameen*

وَذُبِّنِي عَنِ التِّمَاسِ مَا عِنْدَ
الْفَاسِقِينَ ،

and drive me far from begging for that
which is with the ungodly!

*wa d'ub-banee a'nil-timaasi maa i'ndal-
faasiqeen*

وَلَا تَجْعَلْنِي إِلَّا لِظَالِمِينَ ظَهِيرًا ،

Make me not an aid to the wrongdoers,

wa laa taj-a'l-nee lilz'-z'aalimeena z'aheeraa

وَلَا لَهُمْ عَلَى مَحْوِ كِتَابِكَ يَدًا
وَنَصِيرًا،

nor their hand and helper in erasing
Thy Book!

*wa laa lahum a'laa mah'-wi kitaabika yadaw-
wa nas'eeraa*

وَحُطِنِي مِنْ حَيْثُ لَا أَعْلَمُ
 حِيَّاطَةً تَقِينِي بِهَا ،

Defend me whence I know not with a
 defense through which Thou
 protectest me!

*wa h'ut'-nee min h'ay-thu laaa aa'-lamu
 h'eeaat'atan taqeenee bihaa*

وَافْتَحْ لِي أَبْوَابَ تُوبَتِكَ
وَرَحْمَتِكَ وَرَأْفَاتِكَ

Open toward me the gates of Thy
repentance, Thy mercy, Thy
clemency,

*waf-tah' leee ab-waaba taw-batika wa rah'-
matika wa raa-fatika*

وَرِزْقُكَ الْوَاسِعِ ،

and Thy boundless provision!

wa riz-qikal-waasia'-

إِنِّي إِلَيْكَ مِنَ الرَّاغِبِينَ ،

**Surely I am one of those who beseech
Thee!**

in-neeee ilay-ka minar-raaghibeen

وَأَتْهِمْ لِي إِنْعَامَكَ ، إِنَّكَ خَيْرُ
 الْمُنْعَمِينَ ،

And complete Thy favour toward me!
 Surely Thou art the best of those
 who show favour!

*wa at-mim leee in-a'amaka in-naka khay-
 rul-mun-i'meen*

وَاجْعَلْ بِاقِيْ عُمْرِيْ فِي الْحَجَّ
وَالْعُمْرَةِ

Place the rest of my life in the hajj and
the 'umra

waj-a'l baaqeea u'm-ree fil-h'aj-ji wal-u'm-rati

اِبْتِغَاءَ وَجْهِكَ يَارَبَ الْعَالَمِينَ ،

seeking Thy face, O Lord of the
worlds!

ab-tighaaa-a waj-hika yaa rab-bal-a'alameen

وَصَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِهِ
الْطَّيِّبِينَ الطَّاهِرِينَ ،

And may God bless Muhammad and
his Household, the good, the pure,

*wa s'al-laal-laahoo a'laa muh'am-madiw-wa
aaalihit'-t'ay-yibeenat'-t'aahireen*

وَالسَّلَامُ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَيْهِمْ أَبَدَ
الْاِبْدِينَ.

and peace be upon him and them
always and forever!

*was-salaamu a'lay-hee wa a'lay-him abadal-
aaabideen*

اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِ
مُحَمَّدٍ

O' Allah send Your blessings on
Muhammad
and the family of Muhammad.

*allahumma salli `ala muhammadin wa ali
muhamadin*

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