

بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم

الجمعة ، فضائل يوم الجمعة

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أحبي في الله ، ،

إِتَّقُوا اللَّهَ جَلَّ وَعَلَا، واعلموا أن لله الأمر كله، وبيده الخير كله، يخلق ما يشاء، ويختار ما يشاء، والله ذو الفضل العظيم. واعلموا أن الله يخص بعض الأماكن بخصائص لا تكون لغيره. ويخص بعض الأزمنة بخصائص لا تكون لغيره. فمن ذلك: يوم الجمعة. أضل أيام الأسبوع. وهي عيداً للأيام. فاختصه الله بخصائص جليلة، ليعرف الناس قدره، فيقوموا به على الوجه المشروع. خصكم الله بها وأضل عنه اليهود والنصارى وهداكم له. قال النبي صلى الله عليه وسلم، والحديث صحيح من حديث أبي هريرة رضي الله عنه قال: { ما طلعت الشمس ولا غربت على يوم خير من يوم الجمعة، هداًنا الله له، وأضل الناس عنه، فالناس لنا فيه تبع. فهم لنا، ولليهود يوم السبت، وللنصارى يوم الأحد }. فاشكروا الله أيها المسلمون على هذه

النَّعْمَة وَاَعْرِفُوا مَا لِهَذَا الْيَوْمِ الْجَلِيلِ مِنَ الْخَصَائِصِ الْكُونِيَّةِ وَالْخَصَائِصِ الشَّرْعِيَّةِ.

فَمِنْ خَصَائِصِ هَذَا الْيَوْمِ الْكُونِيَّةِ مَا ثَبَتَ فِي الصَّحِيحِ مِنْ حَدِيثِ ابْنِ هُرَيْرَةَ رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُ أَنَّ النَّبِيَّ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ قَالَ عَنْ يَوْمِ الْجُمُعَةِ: {فِيهِ خُلِقَ آدَمُ، وَفِيهِ أُدْخِلَ الْجَنَّةَ، وَفِيهِ أُخْرِجَ مِنْهَا. وَلَا تَقُومُ السَّاعَةُ إِلَّا فِي يَوْمِ الْجُمُعَةِ}. وَمِنْ خَصَائِصِهِ الْكُونِيَّةِ أَيْضاً، أَنَّ فِيهِ سَاعَةً لَا يُوَافِقُهَا عَبْدٌ مُسْلِمٌ، وَهُوَ قَائِمٌ يُصَلِّي، يَسْأَلُ اللَّهَ خَيْراً إِلَّا أَعْطَاهُ إِيَّاهُ. وَأَرْجَى السَّاعَاتِ فِي هَذَا الْيَوْمِ، سَاعَتُكُمْ هَذِهِ. سَاعَةُ الصَّلَاةِ وَالْإِجْتِمَاعِ عَلَيْهَا. فَفِي صَحِيحِ مُسْلِمٍ، عَنْ مُوسَى الْأَشْعَرِيِّ رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُ أَنَّ النَّبِيَّ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ قَالَ عَنْ هَذِهِ السَّاعَةِ: {هِيَ مَا بَيْنَ أَنْ يَجْلِسَ الْإِمَامُ (يَعْنِي عَلَى الْمَنْبَرِ) إِلَى أَنْ تُقْضَى الصَّلَاةُ}.

وكَذَلِكَ مِنَ السَّاعَاتِ الَّتِي تُرْجَى فِيهَا هَذِهِ السَّاعَةُ، مَا بَعْدَ صَلَاةِ الْعَصْرِ إِلَى غُرُوبِ الشَّمْسِ.

وَرَوَى أَبُو دَاوُدَ وَالنَّسَائِيُّ وَالْحَاكِمُ بِسَنَدٍ صَحِيحٍ مِنْ حَدِيثِ جَابِرِ بْنِ عَبْدِ اللَّهِ عَنِ النَّبِيِّ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ قَالَ: {يَوْمُ الْجُمُعَةِ اثْنَا عَشَرَ سَاعَةً، فِيهَا سَاعَةٌ لَا يُوجَدُ مُسْلِمٌ يَسْأَلُ اللَّهَ فِيهَا شَيْئاً إِلَّا أَعْطَاهُ. فَالْتَمِسُوهَا آخِرَ سَاعَةٍ بَعْدَ الْعَصْرِ}. وَفِيهِ أَحَادِيثُ أُخْرَى وَارِدَةٌ فِي هَذَا الْبَابِ.

عبادُ الله ،، يُسْتَحَبُّ الإِكْتِثَارُ مِنَ الدُّعَاءِ يَوْمَ الْجُمُعَةِ. خَاصَّةً عِنْدَ جُلُوسِ
الْخُطِيبِ بَيْنَ الْخُطْبَتَيْنِ. لِأَنَّ هَذَا الْوَقْتَ وَقْتُ تَرْجِي فِيهِ الْإِجَابَةُ كَمَا ذَكَرْنَا.
وَلَيْسَ هُنَاكَ ذِكْرٌ مُخْصِصٌ أَوْ دُعَاءٌ مُخْصِصٌ، لَكِنْ تَدْعُونَ بِمَا تُحِبُّونَ. وَتَدْعُو
خُفْيَةً، وَلَا تُؤْذِي غَيْرَكَ بِرَفْعِ صَوْتِ دَعَائِكَ. وَأَمَّا رَفْعُ الْيَدَيْنِ بِذَلِكَ، فَإِنَّ
الْأَصْلَ فِي الدُّعَاءِ أَنَّ مَنْ آدَابُهُ رَفْعُ الْيَدَيْنِ. فَإِذَا رَفَعَ الْإِنْسَانُ يَدَيْهِ فَلَا حَرَجَ.
وَإِذَا لَمْ يَرْفَعْ فَلَا حَرَجَ. وَأَنْ يَحْرِصَ الْمُؤْمِنُ عَلَى التَّأْمِينِ عَلَى دُعَاءِ الْخُطِيبِ.
فَحَرِيٌّ أَنْ يُجَابَ، وَحَرِيٌّ أَنْ يَكُونَ وَقْتُ الْإِجَابَةِ.
وَأَكْثَرُ الدُّعَاءِ فِي السُّجُودِ، وَقَبْلَ أَنْ يُسَلَّمَ الْإِمَامُ. وَيَرَى الْجُمْهُورُ أَنَّ سَاعَةَ
الْإِجَابَةِ هِيَ آخِرُ سَاعَةٍ فِي يَوْمِ الْجُمُعَةِ. قَبْلَ الْمَغْرَبِ بِسَاعَةٍ. إِرْفَعْ أَكُفَّ
الضَّرَاعَةِ فِي أَيِّ وَقْتٍ مِنْ هَذِهِ السَّاعَةِ الْمُبَارَكَةِ، وَادْعُوا اللَّهَ عَزَّ وَجَلَّ بِمَا تُرِيدُ
مِنْ خَيْرِ الدُّنْيَا وَالْآخِرَةِ.

Friday, The grace of Friday.

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Dearly beloved in Allah,

Be God fearing and God aware, and let it be known that Allah is in control of all matters. All matters are within His power. He creates what He wishes. He chooses what He pleases. He is the most generous with the great bounty and grace. Allah also, gives special qualities or advantages to some places that is not given to other places. He also, gives special merits or advantages to certain times that is not given to others. Example of that is the day of Friday. Friday, is the best day of the week. Friday, to the rest of the days, is a day of celebration or a feast day. Allah Has bestowed on to the day of Friday some honorable and fantastic qualities and merits, in order for people to appreciate its true value and status. And consequently people would act accordingly at the proper form. Friday, is a day that Allah made it unique and special to you, and did not guide Jewish or Christian people to Friday, and yet Allah guided you to this day.

The messenger ppbu said: **{There is no sunrise or a sunset on a day that is better than the day of Friday. Allah guided us to it, and guided away other people off it. People are followers to us as far as this day is concerned. Friday is ours, followed by Saturday for the Jewish people and followed by Sunday for the Christian people}**. Dear Muslims, give thanks to Allah for this grace and mercy that He bestowed onto us, and learn the universal qualities and merits of this day, as well as the religious merits.

One of the universal properties of the day of Friday is told to us when the messenger ppbu said: **{It is on this day of a Friday that Adam was created, and on a Friday that Adam was brought into Paradise, and he was brought out of Paradise on a Friday too. Also, the end of life will occur on a Friday (or the day of resurrection will happen on a Friday)}**.

Another merit or a grace for the day of Friday is that it contains an hour of time that if any Muslim catches it while he/she is up in a prayer, asking Allah of anything good then Allah will provide it. And on today, Friday, the most likely time for this hour to be is this hour of yours right now. The hour of prayer and in group of jamaa. The messenger ppbu said: **{ This hour is from when the Imam sits (at the *menber* (podium) at the start of the Friday sermon) until the Friday prayer is completed }**.

The hour of answering prayers on Friday can also be sought out from the time after Asr prayer until the time of sundown. The messenger ppbu was reported saying: **{ The day of Friday is made up of twelve hours. There is an hour, during which if any Muslim who asks Allah anything then Allah will provide. Seek out this hour as the last hour after Asr prayer }**.

Slaves of Allah, it is recommended to make or say plenty of Dua (prayers) on Fridays. Especially, when the Imam sits down on the *menber* between the two parts of the Friday sermon (Khutbah). This should be done with expectations that Allah will answer. There is no specific or recommend words or dua to say. Just make duaa with whatever you like. When one of us makes a duaa then makes it silently and do not disturb others with your loud duaa. With regard to putting your two hands up during duaa, the original guideline for duaa is to put your both hands up together. However, putting the hands up or not putting them up is acceptable. A believer should ensure to say Ameen to a duaa made by the Imam. Doing so, makes the duaa more likely to be answered as also this is more likely to be hour of answering duaa.

In addition, dear Muslims, make plenty of duaa during the sojood or prostration position during the Friday prayer, and make duaa before Imam finishes the prayer with the final greeting of Salam.

The majority of scholars seem to think that the Duaa answering hour on Friday is the hour immediately before time of sunset. Do put your hands up in a begging mood any time during that blessed hour and ask Allah the Almighty anything you want of the good in this life and next.

