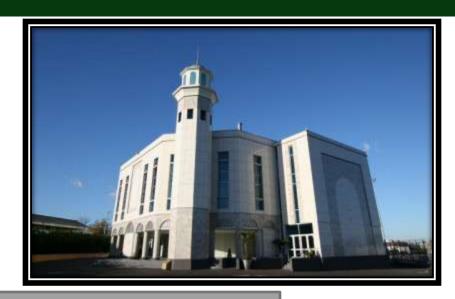


A comprehensive discourse on various Qur'anic prayers at the last day of Ramadan

Friday Sermon September 10th 2010





SUMMARY

Hudhur (aba) gave a comprehensive discourse on various Qur'anic prayers, prayers of the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be on him) and those of the Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) in his Friday Sermon today.

Hudhur (aba) taught Qur'anic prayers related to parents, children, family, personal enhancement and deliverance from trials and tribulations.



Hudhur (aba) gave prayers from Ahadith asking protection from all sorts of sins and spiritual developments.



Hudhur (aba) gave the prayers and revelations of the Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) for deliverance from extreme hardship specially at the hand of his nation

Huzur (aba) explained the message

Hudhur(aba) said today was the last day of Ramadan. May God accept all our prayers made for ourselves and our Community during the month,

The Community of the Promised Messiah (on whom be success) is destined to succeed according to Divine promise

Our prayers are only to enable us to partake of the blessing associated with those who will make an effort for its success.

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Explaining, the
Promised Messiah (on
whom be peace) wrote
that God has reminded
man to extend good
treatment to parents as
the mother bears the
child and gives birth
with great difficulty
and nurses the child for
up to thirty months.

When a pious person reaches maturity he prays to be enabled, in thankfulness, to do good deeds that may please God.

رَبِّ اَوْزِعُنِیَ اَنَ اَشُكُر نِعُمَتَكَ الَّیِ اَنْعَمْتَ عَلَی الَّیِ اَنْعَمْتَ عَلَی وَعَلَی وَعَلَی وَالْ اَعْمَلَ مَالِحًا تَرُ ضِلُهُ وَاصْلِحُ لِی وَعَلَی وَالْدَی وَالْ اِنْ مِنَ الْمُسُلِمِینَ الْمُسُلِمِینَ الْمُسُلِمِینَ

'My Lord, grant me the power that I may be grateful for Thy favour which Thou hast bestowed upon me and upon my parents, and that I may do such good works as may please Thee. And make my seed righteous for me. I do turn to Thee; and, truly, I am of those who submit to Thee.'

Chapter 46, Verse 16

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With slight variation, the prayer is also stated in Surah Al Naml: '...and admit me, by Thu mercy, among Thy righteous servants.' (27:20)

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Chapter 25, Verse 75

Our Lord, grant us of our wives and children the delight of *our* eyes, and make us a model for the righteous

Hudhur (aba) said this prayer attracts God's blessings for families and for generation after generation, and contribute to the progress of the community.

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؆بِّنَا اتِنَا فِي النَّنْيَا حَسَنَةً وِّ الْاخِرَةِ حَسَنَةً وِّقِنَاعَنَابَ النَّامِ

Our Lord, grant us good in this world as well as good in the world to come, and protect us from the torment of the Fire.

Chapter 2, Verse 202

Hudhur (aba) said we should adopt the good values which enable us to discharge the dues of God as well as the dues of mankind.

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The Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) explained that the real objective should be to achieve the world in a way that makes it subservient to religion.

Just as when one is travelling one makes arrangements and takes provisions etc. with one, but one's objective is to get to the destination (and not the provisions).

In this prayer, world is given precedence, but it is a world that becomes the source of attaining the good of the Hereafter.

The 'world' should be attained in a way that has good and merit.



My Lord, forgive me and my brother, and admit us to Thy mercy, and Thou art the Most Merciful of those who show mercy

Chapter 7, Verse 152



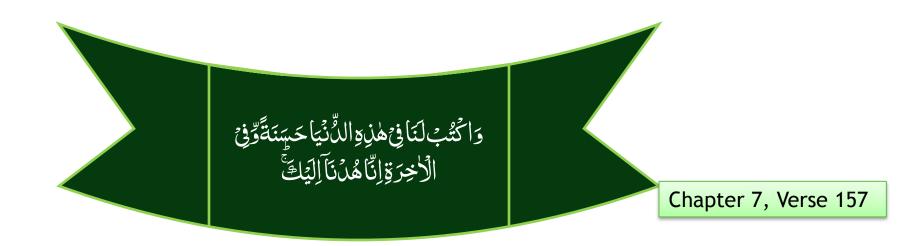
Chapter 3, Verse 148

Our Lord, forgive us our errors and our excesses in our conduct, and make firm our steps and help us against the disbelieving people

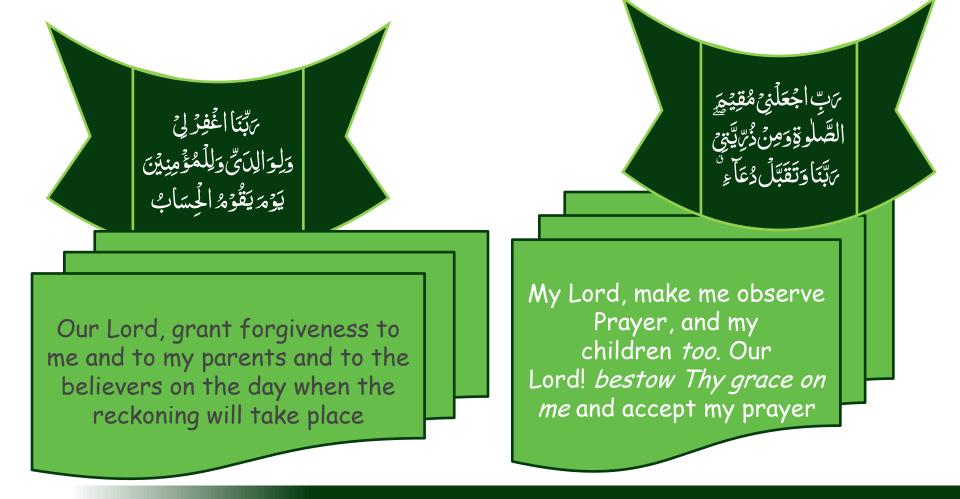
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Chapter 7, Verse 156

Thou art our Protector; forgive us then and have mercy on us, for Thou art the Best of those who forgive.



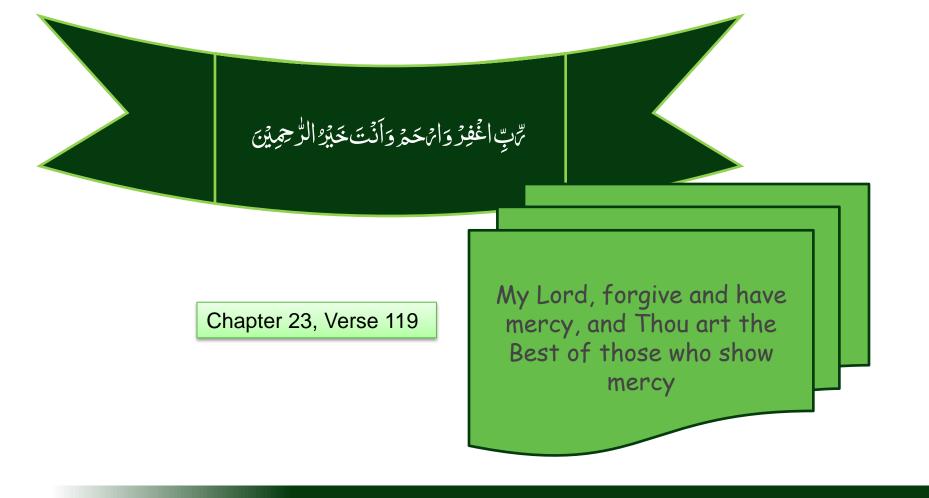
And ordain for us good in this world, as well as in the next; we have turned to Thee with repentance.'

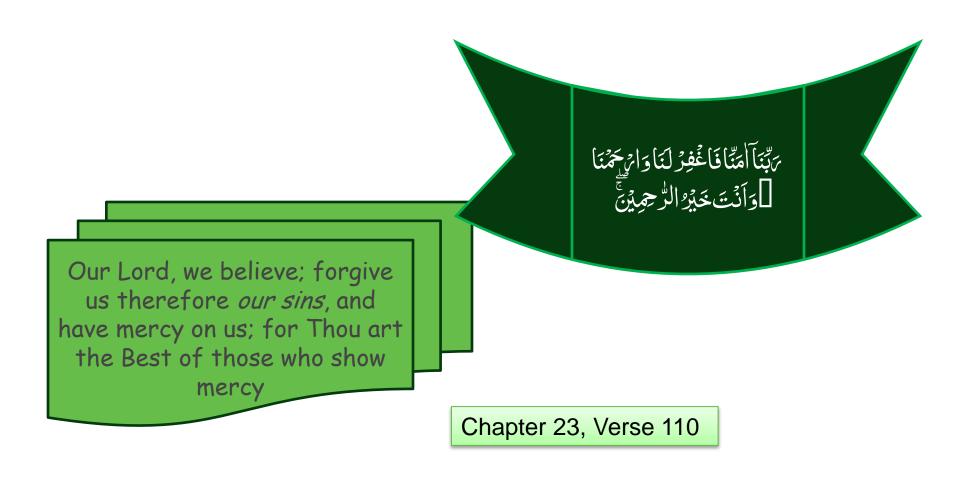


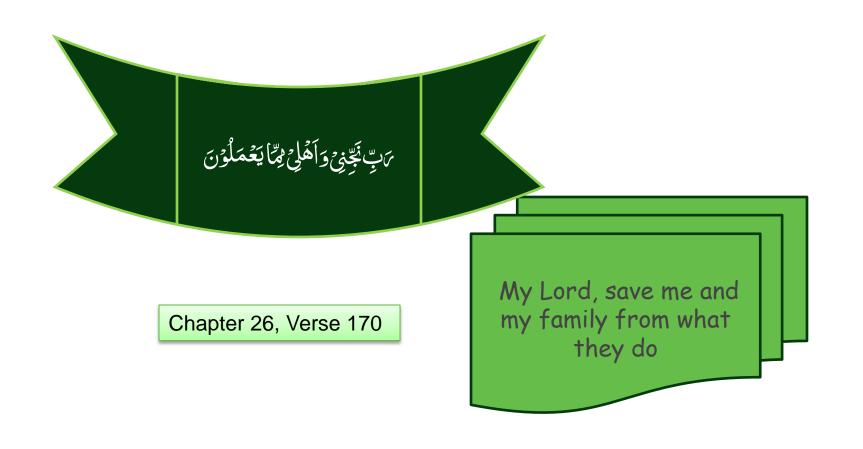
Chapter 14, Verses 41-42

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The Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) explained that God gives **two examples of believers** in the Qur'an.

One is that of the wife of the Pharaoh who sought refuge with God from wrongdoing husband. This is an example of those believers who are overcome by worldly desires but then repent. Their *nafs* (self) disturbs them like Pharaoh disturbed his wife. They have the self that reproves.

The other believers are those who have a higher station, not only do they avoid what is bad, rather they also achieve good. Their example is given by God as that of Hadhrat Maryam. Each believer who reaches excellence in *taqwa* and purity becomes an embodiment of 'Maryam'.

؆ؚۺؚٵڹٛڹۣڸؽؙۼڹ۫ۘۘ٥ڬ بَيْتًافَ الْجُنَّةِ وَنَجِّنِي مِنْ فِرْ عَوْنَ وَعَمَلِهِ وَنَجِّنِيُ اَمِنَ الْقَوْمِ الظَّلِمِيْنَ

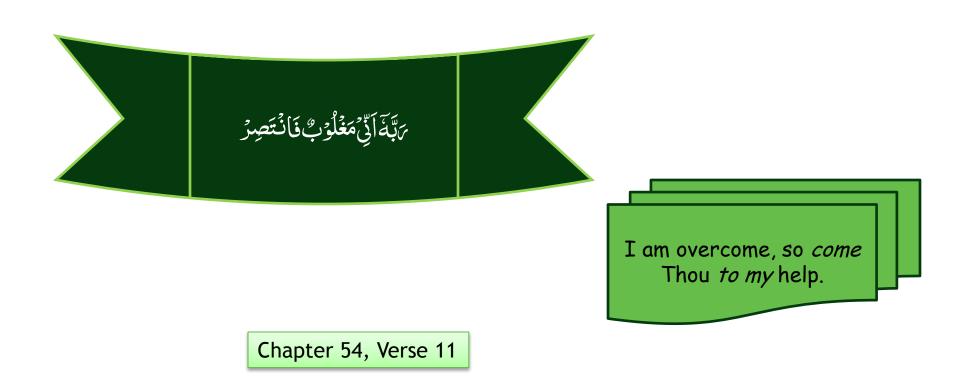
My Lord! build for me a house with Thee in the Garden; and deliver me from Pharaoh and his work, and deliver me from the wrongdoing people

Chapter 66, Verse 12

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Hudhur prayed that may God make us those believers who attain good. May God free us from those Pharaoh-like rulers.





Chapter 28, Verse 22

My Lord, deliver me from the unjust people



Chapter, 26 Verse 118-119

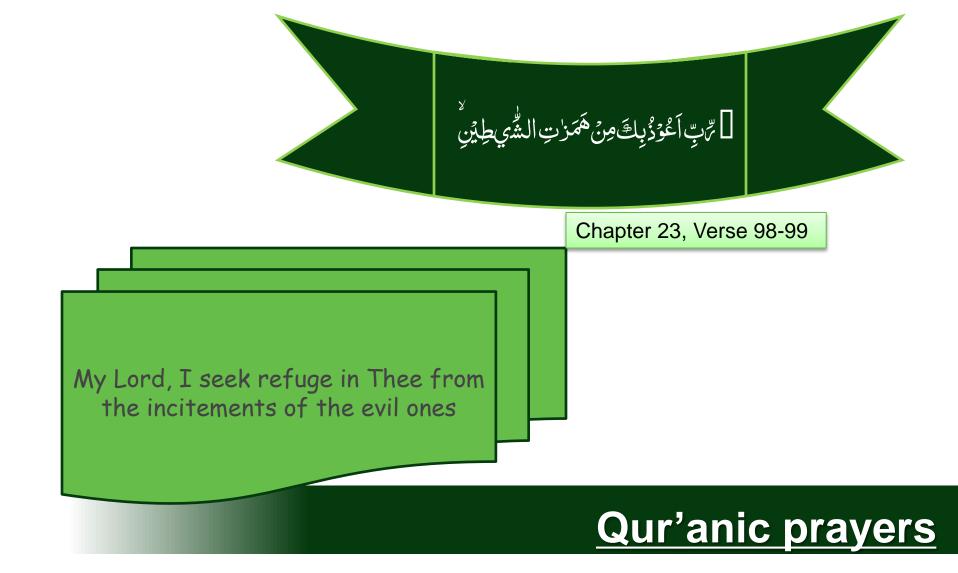
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My Lord, my people have treated me as a liar. Therefore judge Thou decisively between me and them; and save me and the believers that are with me

Qur'anic prayers

Hudhur (aba) explained that Prophets and their followers have always relied on prayer. And the Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) has clearly stated that our triumph is with prayers alone.

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The Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) explains that when man prays to God for tranquillity in troubled time. God sends down *nur* (light) which strengthens the person and enables him or her to experience adverse circumstances with assurance



Chapter 7: Verse 127

Our Lord, pour forth upon us steadfastness and cause us to die resigned unto Thee.

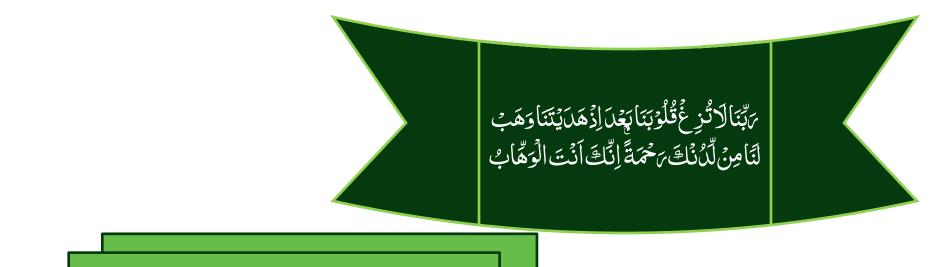
ى بِّنَا ظَلَمْنَا اَنْفُسَنَا وَإِنْ لِّمْ تَغُفِرُ لِنَا وَتَرُحَمُنَا لَنَكُوْنَنِّ مِنَ الْخُسِرِيْنَ

Chapter 7, Verse 24

The Promised Messiah
(on whom be peace)
explained that it is our
belief that just as it was
through prayer that
Adam (on whom be
peace) overcame Satan,
in the latter-days too,
triumph will be through
prayer.

Adam II will triumph over Satan in the latter-days through prayer.

Our Lord, we have wronged ourselves; and if Thou forgive us not and have not mercy on us, we shall surely be of the lost

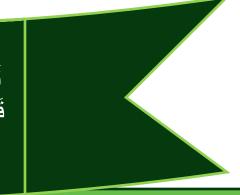


Our Lord, let not our hearts become perverse after Thou hast guided us; and bestow on us mercy from Thyself; surely, Thou alone art the Bestower

Chapter 3, Verse 9

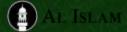
Chapter2, Verse 287

رَبَّنَا لَا تُوَاخِذْنَا إِنْ نَّسِيْنَا أَوْ اَخْطَاْنَا رَبَّنَا وَلَا تَحْمِلْ عَلَيْنَا إِصْرًا كَمَا حَمَلْتَهُ عَلَى الَّذِيْنَ مِنْ قَبْلِنَا وَلَا تُحَمِّلْنَا مَا لَا طَاقَةَ لَنَا بِهُ وَاعْفُ قَبْلِنَا وَلَا تُحَمِّلْنَا مَا لَا طَاقَةَ لَنَا بِهُ وَاعْفُ اَنْنَا وَلَا تُحَمِّلْنَا مَا لَا طَاقَةَ لَنَا بِهُ وَاعْفُ أَنَا وَاعْفِرُ لَنَا وَعْفُ اَنْتَ مَوْلُننَا وَ وَارْحَمْنَا وَاغْفِرْ لَنَا وَعَنَا وَاعْفِرْ لَنَا وَعَنَا وَاغْفِرْ لَنَا وَعَنَا وَاغْفِرْ لَنَا وَعَنَا وَاغْفِر بِيْنَ وَاغْفِر بِيْنَ وَانْصُرْنَا عَلَى الْقَوْمِ الْكُفِرِيْنَ



The Promised
Messiah (on whom
be peace)
explained that this
prayer seeks God's
forgiveness for any
oversights
committed.

Our Lord, do not punish us, if we forget or fall in error; and our Lord, lay not on us a responsibility as Thou didst lay upon those before us. Our Lord, burden us not with what we have not the strength to bear; and efface our *sins*, and grant us forgiveness and have mercy on us; Thou art our Master; so help us Thou against the disbelieving people



The Promised
Messiah (on whom
be peace)
explained that if
God was not
Forgiving He
would not have
taught us a prayer
such as this.



Chapter2, Verse 251

O our Lord, pour forth steadfastness upon us, and make our steps firm, and help us against the disbelieving people.



Our Lord, put us not with the unjust people

Chapter 7, Verse 48

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Chapter 3, Verse 54

Our Lord, we believe in that which Thou hast sent down and we follow this Messenger. So write us down among those who bear witness

؆ِّبِّنَا اِنِّنَاسَمِعِنَامُنَادِيًا يَّنَادِى لِلْإِيمُمَانِ اَنُ الْمِنُوُ الْمِنْوُ الْمِنْوُ الْمِنْوَ الْمَالِيَّةِ الْمَنَاوِيَّا فَعَفِرُ لِنَا ذُنُوبَنَا وَ كَفِّرُ عَنَّا الْمِنْوَبَنَا وَ كَفِّرُ عَنَّا الْمَبْرَابِ سَيِّاتِنَا وَتَوَفِّنَا مَعَ الْاَبْرَابِ

Chapter 3, Verses 194

Our Lord, we have heard a Crier calling us unto faith, 'Believe ye in your Lord,' and we have believed. Our Lord, forgive us, therefore, our errors and remove from us our evils, and in death number us with the righteous



اللَّهُمِّ إِنِّ أَعُودُ بِكَ مِنَ الْكَسَلِ وَالْهُ الْمُورِ وَالْمَأْتُو وَالْمَغُرَمِ وَمِنْ فِتْنَةِ الْقَبُرِ وَمِنْ فِتْنَةِ الْقَبُرِ وَمِنْ فِتْنَةِ النَّابِ وَمِنْ شَرِّ فِتْنَةِ الْغِنَى وَأَعُودُ بِكَ مِنْ وَتَنَةِ النَّابِ وَمِنْ شَرِّ فِتْنَةِ الْغِنَى وَأَعُودُ بِكَ مِنْ وَتُنَةِ النَّابِ وَمِنْ شَرِّ فِتْنَةِ الْمُسِيحِ اللَّجَّالِ اللَّهُمِّ اغْسِلُ عَنِّي خَطَايَاي فِتْنَةِ الْفَقُرِ وَأَعُودُ بِكَ مِنْ الْحَطَايَا كَمَا نَقِّيْتَ النَّوْبِ الْاَبْيَضِ مِنْ النَّفِي مِنْ الْحَطَايَا كَمَا نَقِيْدَ النَّوْبِ الْاَبْيَضِ مِنْ النَّوْبِ اللَّهُ مِنْ اللَّهُ مِنْ اللَّهُ مِنْ اللَّهُ مِنْ الْمَسْرِقِ وَالْمَغُرِبِ وَبَاعِلْ بَيْنِ وَبَيْنَ خَطَايَايَ كَمَا بَاعَلْ تَبَيْنَ الْمَشْرِقِ وَالْمَغُرِبِ وَبَاعِلْ بَيْنِ وَبَيْنَ خَطَايَايَ كَمَا بَاعَلْ تَبَيْنَ الْمَشْرِقِ وَالْمَغُرِبِ وَبَاعِلْ بَيْنِ وَبَيْنَ خَطَايَايَ كَمَا بَاعَلْ تَبَيْنَ الْمَشْرِقِ وَالْمَغُرِبِ

O Allah, I seek refuge with You from indolence, old age, want, torment of the grave, evil of fire and torment of Fire. Keep me in Your refuge from the trial of the evil of wealth, from the trial of poverty and I seek Your refuge from the trial of anti-Christ. O Allah, cleanse my errors with iced water just as a cloth is cleansed off dirt. Make distance between me and my errors as You have created distance between the East and the West.'

صحيح البخاري. كِتَابِ التَّعَوُّذِ مِنْ الْمَأْثُم وَالْمَغْرَمِ كِتَابِ التَّعَوُّذِ مِنْ الْمَأْثُم وَالْمَغْرَم

اللَّهُمَّ اغْفِرُ لِي ذَنْبِي وَوَسِّعْ لِي فِي دَابِي وَبَابِكُ لِي اللَّهُمَّ اغْفِرُ لِي ذَنْبِي وَوَسِّعْ لِي فِي دَابِي وَبَابِ الْبُعُواتِ فِيمَا يَزَقُتَنِي. (سنن الترمذي، كتاب الدعوات عن يرسول الله)

'O Allah, forgive my sins and enlarge my house for me and bless my sustenance/provision.'

سنن الترمذي. كِتَاب الدَّعَوَاتِ. بَاب مَا جَاءَ فِي عَقْدِ التَّسْبِيحِ بِالْيَدِ

The Prayers of the Holy Prophet (pbuh)

اللَّهُمِّ إِنِّي أَعُوذُ بِكَ مِنَ الْعَجْزِ وَالْكَسَلِ وَالْجُنْنِ وَالْمُرَمِ وَأَعُودُ اللَّهُمِّ إِنِّي أَعُودُ بِكَنْنِ وَالْمَرَ وَأَعُودُ بِكَ مِنْ عَذَابِ الْقَبْرِ بِكَ مِنْ عَذَابِ الْقَبْرِ

O Allah, I seek Your refuge from helplessness, indolence, cowardice and weariness in old age. O God I seek Your refuge to be saved from the trials of life and death. I seek Your refuge from the torment of the grave.

صحيح بخاري كِتَاب الْجِهَادِ وَالسِّيرِ بَابِ مَا يُتَعَوَّذُ مِنْ الْجُبْنِ

اللَّهُمِّ إِنِّ أَعُودُ بِكَ مِنْ قَلْبِ لَا يَغْشَعُ وَمِنُ اللَّهُمِّ إِنِّ أَعُودُ بِكَ مِنْ قَلْبِ لَا يَغْشَعُ وَمِنْ عِلْمِ لَا اللَّهُ مَعُ وَمِنْ عِلْمِ لَا اللَّهُ مَعُ وَمِنْ عَلْمِ لَا يَنْفَعُ أَعُوذُ بِكَ مِنْ هَوُّ لَا عِ الْأَمْ بَعِ يَنْفَعُ أَعُوذُ بِكَ مِنْ هَوُّ لَا عِ الْأَمْ بَعِ

'O Allah, I seek Your refuge from a <u>heart</u> that has no humility and no submissiveness and I seek refuge from a <u>prayer</u> that is not accepted and from a <u>nafs (self)</u> that is never satiated and from <u>knowledge</u> that does not give any benefit.

I seek Your refuge from all these four things.'

سنن الترمذي. كِتَاب الدَّعَوَاتِ عَنْ رَسُولِ اللَّهِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ بَابِ مَا جَاءَ فِي جَامِعِ الدَّعَوَاتِ عَنْ النَّبِيِّ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ بَابِ مَا جَاءَ فِي جَامِعِ الدَّعَوَاتِ عَنْ النَّبِيِّ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ

اللَّهُمِّ إِنِّي ظَلَمْتُ نَفُسِي ظُلْمًا كَثِيرًا وَلَا يَغْفِرُ اللَّهُمِّ إِنِّي ظَلْمًا كَثِيرًا وَلَا يَغْفِرُ اللَّهُ اللَّهُ فُورُ اللَّهُ عَنْدِكَ وَالْمُحَمِّنِي إِنَّكُ أَنْتَ الْعَفُومُ الرِّحِيمُ

'O Allah, I have wronged my soul, there is none other than You Who can forgive sin. Pardon me thus with Your forgiveness and have mercy on me. No doubt, You are Most Forgiving, Ever Merciful.'

صحيح بخاري. كِتَاب الْأَذَانِ بَاب الدُّعَاءِ قَبْلَ السَّلَامِ

رَبِّ اغْفِرُ لِي حَطِيئَتِي وَجَهُلِي وَإِسْرَافِي فِي أَمْرِي كُلِّهِ وَمَا أَنْتَ أَعْلَمُ بِهِ مِنِّي اللَّهُمِّ اغْفِرُ لِي مَا قَلَّمُتُ اغْفِرُ لِي مَا قَلَّمُتُ وَمَا لِي خَطَايَاي وَعَمْدِي وَجَهُلِي وَهَزُ لِي وَكُلِّ ذَلِكَ عِنْدِي اللَّهُمِّ اغْفِرُ لِي مَا قَلَّمُتُ وَمَا أَخُرُتُ وَمَا أَعُلَنُكُ أَنْتَ الْمُقَرِّمُ وَأَنْتَ الْمُؤَخِّرُ وَأَنْتَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ وَأَنْتَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ وَأَنْتَ الْمُؤَخِّرُ وَأَنْتَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ وَأَنْتَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ

'O Allah, forgive me my errors and protect me in all my matters from the trial of my unawareness and ignorance and protect me from all such trials that are in Your knowledge and not mine.

O Allah, forgive my errors, those intentional and those unintentional. Forgive all my errors that are within me. Those that I have committed and those that I have not, those that I committed openly, forgive them all.

You alone can take one forward and make one retreat and You alone have Power over everything.'

صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ اللَّهُمَّ اغْفِرْ لِي مَا قَدَّمْتُ وَمَا أَخَرْتُ كِتَابِ الدَّعَواتِ بَابِ قَوْلِ النَّبِيِّ صحيح البخاري

اللَّهُمِّ لَكَ أَسُلَمْ عُوبِكَ آمَنْ عُوعَلَيْكَ تَوَكِّلْ عُلْكُ وَإِلَيْكَ أَنْبُكُ وَبِكَ كَاللَّهُمِّ لَكَ أَسُلَمْ عُورِكَ آمَنْ عُلَى اللَّهُمِّ لَكَ أَنْ عَالَمُ عُلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللَّهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى اللْهُ عَلَى الْهُ عَلَى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِي عَلَى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِيْكُولِ الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَالِمُ عَلَى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعَلِّى الْمُعْلِي الْمُعْلِمُ عَلَى الْمُعْلَى الْمُعْلِمُ الْمُعْلَى الْمُوالْمُ الْمُعْلِمُ الْمُعْلِمُ الْمُعْلَى الْمُعْلَى الْمُعْلِمُ الْمُعْلَى الْمُعْلَى الْمُعْلِمُ اللْمُعْلِمُ اللْمُعْلِمُ اللَ

O Allah, I hand myself over to You, I put my trust in You and believe in You. I turn to You and debate with the opponent with Your help.

And submit my case in Your presence. Forgive all my sins: those previous, of the future, open and concealed.

You alone are the First and the Last.

There is none worthy of worship save You.'

صحيح البخاري. كِتَابِ الْجُمُعَةِ . بَابِ التَّهَجُّدِ بِاللَّيْلِ

*اللَّهُمَّ اجْعَلُ فِي قَلْبِي نُومًا وَفِي بَصَرِي نُومًا وَفِي سَمُعِي نُومًا وَعَنُ يَمِينِي نُومًا وَعَنُ يَسَامِي نُومًا وَفَوْقِي نُومًا وَتَحُتِي نُومًا وَأَمَامِي نُومًا وَخَلْفِي نُومًا وَاجْعَلُ لِي نُومًا . (صحيح البحامي، كتاب الدعوات)

O Allah, place light in my heart, light in my eyes, place light in my ears, on my right and my left, place light behind me, and light in front of me, and place light above me, and light below me. O Allah! Make me an embodiment of light.

صحيح البخاري. كِتَابِ الدَّعَوَاتِ بَابِ الدُّعَاءِ إِذَا انْتَبَهَ بِاللَّيْلِ

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَسْأَلُكُ حُبَّكَ وَحُبَّمَن يُعِبُّكَ وَالْعَمَلَ الَّذِي يُبَلِّغُنِي حُبَّكَ اللَّهُمَّ إِنِي أَسْأَلُكَ حُبَّكَ وَحُبَّ مِنْ نَفُسِي وَأَهْلِي وَمِن الْمَاءِ الْبَابِدِ. اللَّهُمَّ اجْعَلْ حُبَّكَ أَحَبَ إِلَيَّ مِنْ نَفُسِي وَأَهْلِي وَمِن الْمَاءِ الْبَابِدِ.



O Allah, grant me Your love, grant me that I love those who love You; grant me, that I might do the deeds that win Your love. Make Your love dearer to me than the love of self, my family and cold fresh water

سنن الترمذي. كِتَاب الدَّعَوَاتِ. بَاب مَا جَاءَ فِي عَقْدِ التَّسْبِيحِ بِالْيَدِ

يَامُصَرِّ فَ الْقُلُوبِ ثَبِّتُ قَلْبِي عَلَى طَاعَتِكَ.

'O One Who turns hearts, keep my heart firm on Your obedience.'

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Prayers and revelations of the Promised Messiah

(on whom be peace)

'Lord, everything is Thy servant. Then Lord, guard me and help me and have mercy on me.'

> [Tadhkirah p. 801]

'O my Powerful God, my Beloved Guide, show us the way that is found by the pure and the truthful and save us from the ways that only lead to worldly desires or malice, rancour or materialism.'

'I am sinful and weak. There is no way other than with Your help. Have mercy and forgive sins which will purify me. For there is nothing save Your grace that can purify.'

'O more
Beloved Being
than ordinary
beloveds,
forgive my sins
and include me
in Your sincere
servants.'

'O God the Exalted, Powerful and Master of Glory, I am sinful and have committed so many sins that they have affected my inner-self and I cannot feel pathos in Salat.

Forgive my sins with Your grace and kindness and forgive my excesses, soften my heart and place Your greatness, Your awe and Your love in my heart.

So that my hard-heartedness is removed and I can attain concentration in Salat.'

The Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) advised the following prayer to someone who sought application and concentration in Salat:

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O my Lord,

manifest to me

how You revive

the dead. And

send Your

forgiveness and

mercy from the

heavens

'Thy Lord will
create a
distinction
between the
true and the
false. Thou seest
every reformer
and truthful
one.' [Tadhkirah
p. 801]

'Lord, show me Thy All Comprehendi ng lights.' [Tadhkirah p. 766]

'Lord, safeguard me, for my people mock at me.' [Tadhkirah p. Lord, leave not in 823] the earth, a single dweller from the disbelievers.' [Tadhkirah p. 821]

'Lord, forgive and have mercy from heaven. Lord, leave me not alone and Thou art the Best of heirs. Lord, reform the people of Muhammad. Our Lord, judge between us and our people with truth. Thou art the Best of judges.' [Tadhkirah p. 301]

Make the hearts of many incline towards me.' [Tadhkirah p. 918]

'Lord, bestow upon me dominion over the fire.' [Tadhkirah p. 744]

Prayers and revelations of the Promised Messiah (on whom be peace)

'O Lord of all the worlds, I cannot render gratitude to Your favours. Forgive my sins lest I am destroyed. Place Your special love in my heart so that I am granted life. Cover my faults and make me do deeds that please You. I seek refuge with Your **Noble Presence that Your** chastisement should not befall me. Have mercy and protect me from the afflictions of this world and the Hereafter for all blessings are in Your hand. Ameen thum Ameen.'

O Lord, All Powerful, although it has always been Your way that You grant wisdom to children and the unlearned and put shades of utter darkness on the eyes of the philosophers of this world, but I submit to You most humbly and meekly to attract a community from among these towards us just as You have drawn a few and grant them Your sight and bestow [sincere] hearts so that they can see and hear and understand and can value the blessing that You have sent on time and are drawn to attaining it. If You so will, You can bring this about, for nothing is unlikely for You.'



'I was praying for the members of the Movement and for Qadian when the revelation came to me: They have drawn far away from the fashion of life; Then grind them down a fine grinding. I wondered why the grinding has been attributed to me. Then I looked at the prayer which is written on the wall of the Chamber of Prayer (Bait ud dua) which is as follows: Lord, hear my prayer and crush Thy enemies and mine and fulfil Thy promise and help Thy servant and show us Thy days and sharpen for us Thy sword...Taking this revelation and this prayer together, the indication is that the time for the acceptance of this prayer has arrived. [Tadhkirah p. 620]

My Lord, my Lord, help Thy servant and humiliate Thy enemies. Respond to me O Lord, respond to me. How long will they mock Thee and Thy Messenger, how long will they call Thy Book false and will abuse Thy Messenger. I beseech Thee of Thy mercy, O Ever-Living, Self-Subsisting, Helper. [Tadhkirah p. 199]



'Exalted is Allah with all His glory, Exalted is Allah the Great. Bless O Allah Muhammad and people of Muhammad.'

Hudhur (aba) prayed that may God show us the glory of this prayer.

O my All-Powerful Master, my Beloved, my Lord, my Guide, O' Creator of the heavens and the earth, One Who has power over everything within.

O God Who has sent thousands of Prophets for guidance. O God, Who sent a magnificent Prophet like the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be on him). O Gracious God, Who sent a servant like the Messiah in his subservience, for the guidance of people.

O Creator of light and One Who dispels darkness, Your humble servants beseech You of Your promises that You made to Your most beloved Prophet and our master, the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be on him).

We also beseech You of those promises which You made to the true and ardent devotee of the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be on him) and most humbly implore You to show us magnificent signs of the fulfilment of these promises.

But we are also conscious of the fear that due to our unworthiness and misdemeanours the time of fulfilment of these promises may be taken forward.

We beseech You of Your Rahmaniyyat, overlook our errors and in spite of our sins continue to bless us with Your grace just as You have always blessed us. In spite of us not fulfilling our due the way due should be fulfilled, You have always rained Your grace and blessings on us and have strengthened our belief.

Today, again I humbly submit to You, that O Gracious God, O Bestower God, O God Who covers faults, O Most Forgiving, Most Merciful God, never close the doors of Your Rahmaniyyat and Wahabiyyat (quality of bestowing) on us.

Always cover our weaknesses and our errors, keep an eye of forgiveness and pardon on us and never cease Your blessings on us.

We seek each of that good from You that You have destined for anyone, rather, grant us each good of which You are Master merely through Your grace.

O my God, I beseech You of all Your attributes and submit to You to grant us their good. O our Beloved God with heartfelt and sincere pathos, we submit to You as we turn to You to accept our prayers with Your mercy and according to Your promise.

Listen to our prayers. Create distance between us and those who are weary of worshipping You.

Make us sincere servants of the Gracious God, drench our breasts with Your love, make our word and deed fine and pure and which can be sacrificed on Your commandment.

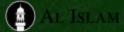
O my May we become completely devoted to Your Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be on him) and may invoke salutations and blessings (Durud) on him.

May we show perfect obedience to Your Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) whom You sent in this age according to Your promise. May we avow every command of his, recognising him as the 'judge and arbitrator'.

O God, we submit again, fill our breasts with Your love, remove our shortcomings, always save us from Satan. May we become those people who draw Your love. Protect us from all troubles and grief and save us from all difficulties.

O our God, this is our humble prayer. Open the world's breasts to the truth of Ahmadiyyat, true Islam and make all Muslims one Ummah. Relieve the Muslims from all the trails and disorders that engulf them, open their eyes so that they may recognise Your Promised Messiah and Mahdi.

O Allah, give sense to the world to recognise the Imam of the age and be saved from falling in pit of fire. Ameen, O Lord of all the worlds.'





Martyrs of Ahmadiyyat

He was a fruit trader in Fasialabad, a sincere and dedicated Ahmedi with high regard for Murrabbis

Nasser Ahmed Butt He was popular, peaceful, grateful and his special attribute was hospitality

He was martyred in broad daylight in front of his employee and customers as gunman masked by helmet opened fire at him at close range. The gunman escaped

May God grant steadfastness
to the bereaved and elevate
his station in Paradise.
Hudhur announced that he
would lead his funeral Prayer
in absentia after Friday
Prayer.

Hudhur (aba) prayed that patience is granted to his elderly parents, wife and children (23, 18 and 11 year)