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The Amīr/National President
Jamā'at Ahmadiyya,

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Dear Brother,

السلام علیکم ورحمة اللہ وبرکاتہ

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: The incidents related by Hazrat Musleh Mau'ūd رضی اللہ عنہ regarding the blessed life of the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام contain a number of moral lessons for us and are truly faith-enhancing.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: True benefit from the Holy Qur'ān can only be obtained when we read it with a pure heart.

Bring about a change in yourselves as leads to purity of heart, so that people are drawn towards Faith by looking at your piety and righteousness, the acceptance of your prayers and your strong relationship with Allāh.

On 6 February 2015, Hazrat Khalīfatul-Masīh V (May Allāh be his Helper) delivered the Friday Sermon at the Baitul Futūh Mosque, Morden, London.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) quoted a number of faith-enhancing and full of advice incidents as related by Hazrat Musleh Mau'ūd رضی اللہ عنہ regarding the blessed life of the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام, and said: Whether the books of the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام will affect a person positively or negatively depends upon the intent and point of view with which a person reads them.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) spoke about the debate that took place between Muhammad Ahsan Amrohwi Sahib and Maulwi Bashir Sahib. As a result of the debate, Maulwi Bashir Sahib, who earlier on had a deep sense of respect for the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام, came to reject him, whereas Muhammad Ahsan Amrohwi Sahib who initially was an opponent of the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام, accepted him.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: Hazrat Musleh Mau'ūd رضی اللہ عنہ commented on debates saying, 'According to psychology, debating is a harmful activity and at times results in grave consequences. These are matters not all educationists are able to understand. Should we view even good words, which are full of wisdom and profundity, with intent to pick out faults in them, we may stumble and entirely misunderstand them.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: Many people read the books of the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام out of context and to raise objections against them. Even the Holy Qur'ān which is a cure and mercy from God for the believers can result in grave loss

for those who read it merely to raise objections against it becoming guilty of a great wrong. In short, even the Word of Allāh cannot benefit anyone until one reads it with a pure heart.

Hazrat Musleh Mau'ūd رضی اللہ عنہ after having related an incident regarding the importance the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام placed on offering five daily prayers in congregation, said: At times, when the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام was unable to go to the mosque for offering Prayer, he would offer it in congregation at home. Hence, in the first place, members of the Jamā'at should try to congregate together for Prayer. And, those who might not be able to do so should ask their wives and children to join them in Prayer to make it congregational. In short, members of the Jamā'at should make sure that wherever they are they offer Prayer in congregation.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: Remember that the beauty of Prayer lies in offering it with all the due care and attention.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: Each member of the Jamā'at should try to be first to say Salām to others. Those who are juniors should try to be first to say Salām to their seniors and vice versa. Office-bearers of the Jamā'at should, in particular, set an example for others in this regard. Along with this, all Ahmadīs, the new and the older, should continue to enhance themselves in faith.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) illustrated how God helped and supported the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام when he was prosecuted under false charges.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said that the number of the Promised Messiah's علیہ السلام followers had reached hundreds of thousands during his very lifetime. People from all walks of life pledged allegiance to him. This happened not only in the Punjab, but people from many other countries also took Bai'at at his hands.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: Nowadays, those who are given to ridicule and poking fun at Islam should remember that God will not let their blasphemous remarks go unpunished. At times, God makes such people a sign for others in this very world.

We, therefore, must not confront these people with our hands or guns, but rather we need to supplicate against them before God alone. We should try to create in ourselves a change that leads to purity of heart, so that the world comes to feel our righteous influence. Our condition should be such that people are drawn towards Faith by looking at our pious conduct, the acceptance of our prayers and our strong relationship with Allah. Remember that Ahmadiyyat will progress only through such righteous people.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) spoke about Hazrat Maulwi Burhanuddin Sahib رضی اللہ عنہ shedding light on the strength of his faith as well as his devotion and love for the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام.

Next, speaking about the importance of physical exertion, Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: The Promised Messiah عليه السلام used to work the whole day, yet he would go for a walk at least once a day. We, therefore, need to draw the attention of our children and youth towards playing in the open air. Students of Jāmi‘a Ahmadiyya should particularly be instructed to play in the open air at least for an hour and a half daily. If there is no difficulty, walks and games should be done in the open air.

Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: Hazrat Musleh Mau‘ūd رضي الله عنه said that a believer should always remain active and engaged in his work and after he has achieved one target he should strive to achieve the next one. This is the secret of success of every individual and the nation as a whole. May Allāh enable us to work accordingly! *Āmīn*.

Please convey these guidelines given by Huzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) to members of your Jamā‘at.

Jazākumullāh.

Wassalām,

(Ch. Hameedullah)

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