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In the name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful

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ZIYARAT E ASHURA

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PART 1 — OPENING SALUTATIONS

Verse 1

السلام عليك يا أبا عبد الله

alssalamu `alayka ya aba `abdillahi

Peace be upon you, O Abu-Abdullah.

Verse 2

السلام عليك يا بن رسول الله

alssalamu `alayka yabna rasuli allahi

Peace be upon you, O son of Allah's Messenger.

Verse 3

السلام عليك يا خيرة الله وأبن خيرته

alssalamu `alayka ya khiyarata allahi wabna khiyaratihi

Peace be upon you, O choicest of Allah and son of His choicest.



Verse 4

السلام عليك يا بن أمير المؤمنين وأبن سيد آلوصيين

alssalamu `alayka yabna amiri almu'minina wabna sayyidi alwasiiyina

Peace be upon you, O son of the Commander of the Faithful and son of the chief of the Prophets' successors.

Verse 5

السلام عليك يا بن فاطمة سيدة نساء العالمين

alssalamu `alayka yabna fatimata sayyidati nisa'i al`alamina

Peace be upon you, O son of Fatimah, the doyen of the women of the worlds.

Verse 6

السلام عليك يا ثار الله وأبن ثاره وألوتر ألموتور

alssalamu `alayka ya thara allahi wabna tharihi walwitra almawtura

Peace be upon you, O vengeance of Allah, son of His vengeance, and the unavenged so far.

Verse 7

السلام عليك وعلى الأرواح التي حلت بفنائك

alssalamu `alayka wa `ala al-arwahi allati hallat bifina'ika

Peace be upon you and upon the souls that resided in your courtyard.

Verse 8

عليكم مني جميعا سلام الله أبدا ما بقيت وبقي الليل والنهار

`alaykum minni jami`an salamu allahi abadan ma baqitu wa baqiya allaylu walnnaharu

Peace of Allah be upon all of you from me forever, as long as I am existent and as long as there are day and night.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF THE GREAT CALAMITY



Verse 9

أبا عبد الله لقد عظمت الرزية وجلت وعظمت المصيبة بك علينا وعلى جميع أهل الإسلام
يا

ya aba `abdillahi laqad `azumat alrraziyyatu wa jallat wa `azumat almusibatu bika `alayna wa `ala jami`i ahli al-islami
O Abu-Abdullah, unbearable is the sorrow and excruciating and unbearable is the misfortune of you for us and for all the people of Islam.

Verse 10

وجلّت وعظمت مصيبتك في السماوات على جميع أهل السماوات

wa jallat wa `azumat musibatuka fi alssamawati `ala jami`i ahli alssamawati
Excruciating and unbearable has been your misfortune in the heavens for all the inhabitants of the heavens.

CURSE UPON THE OPPRESSORS

Verse 11

فلعن الله أمة أسست أساس الظلم والجرور عليكم أهل البيت

fala`ana allahu ummatan assasat asasa alzzulmi waljawri `alaykum ahla albayti
So, may Allah curse the people who laid the basis of persecution and wronging against you, O Members of the Household.

Verse 12

ولعن الله أمة دفعتمكم عن مقامكم وأزالتمكم عن مراتبكم التي رتبكم الله فيها

wa la`ana allahu ummatan dafa`atukum `an maqamikum wa azalatukum `an maratibikum allati rattabakum allahu fiha
May Allah curse the people who drove you away from your position and removed you from the ranks that Allah had put you in.

Verse 13

ولعن الله أمة قتلتمكم ولعن الله الممهدين لهم بالتمكين من قتالكم

wa la`ana allahu ummatan qatalatukum wa la`ana allahu almmahhidina lahum bilttamkini min qitalikum
May Allah curse the people who slew you. May Allah curse those who paved the way for them and made it possible for them to fight against you.



Verse 14

برئت إلى الله وإليكم منهم ومن أشياعهم وأتباعهم وأوليائهم

bari'tu ila allahi wa ilaykum minhum wa min ashya`ihim wa atba`ihim wa awliya`ihim

I repudiate them in the presence of Allah and You, and I repudiate their devotees, followers, and loyalists.

DECLARATION OF LOYALTY — TAWALLA & TABARRA

Verse 15

يا أبا عبد الله إني سلم لمن سالمكم وحرب لمن حاربكم إلى يوم القيامة

ya aba `abdillahi inni silmun liman salamakum wa harbun liman harabakum ila yawmi alqiyamati

O Abu-Abdullah, I am at peace with those who are at peace with you and I am at war against those who have fought against you up to the Resurrection Day.

Verse 16

ولعن الله آل زياد وآل مروان ولعن الله بني أمية قاطبة

wa la`ana allahu ala ziyadin wa ala marwana wa la`ana allahu bani umayyata qatibatan

May Allah also curse the family of Ziyad and the family of Marwan. May Allah also curse the descendants of Umayyah altogether.

Verse 17

ولعن الله ابن مرجانة ولعن الله عمر بن سعد ولعن الله شمرا

wa la`ana allahu ibna marjanata wa la`ana allahu `umara bna sa`din wa la`ana allahu shimran

May Allah also curse the son of Marjanah. May Allah also curse Umar the son of Sa'd. May Allah also curse Shimr.

Verse 18

ولعن الله أمة أسرجت وأجمت وتنقبت لقتالك

wa la`ana allahu ummatan asrajat wa aljamat wa tanaqqabat liqitalika

May Allah also curse the people who saddled up, gave reins to their horses, and masked their faces in preparation for fighting against you.



Verse 19

وأكرمني بك أن يرزقني طلب تارك مع إمام منصور من أهل بيت محمد صلى الله عليه وآله
بأبي أنت وأمي لقد عظم مصابي بك فأسأل الله الذي أكرم مقامك

bi'abi anta wa ummi laqad `azuma musabi bika fa'as'alu allaha alladhi akrama maqamaka wa akramani bika an yarzuqani talaba
tha'rika ma`a imamin mansurin min ahli bayti muhammadin salla allahu `alayhi wa alihi

May my father and mother be ransoms for you. Extremely insufferable is my commiserations with you; so, I beseech Allah Who has honored your position and honored me because of you to endue me with the chance to avenge you with a (Divinely) supported leader from the Household of Muhammad, peace of Allah be upon him and his Household.

SUPPLICATION OF NEARNESS TO ALLAH

Verse 20

اللهم اجعلني عندك وجيهاً بالحسين عليه السلام في الدنيا والآخرة

allahumma ij`alni `indaka wajihan bilhusayni `alayhi alssalamu fi alddunya wal-akhirati

O Allah, (please) make me illustrious in Your sight in the name of al-Husayn, peace be upon him, in this world and in the Hereafter.

Verse 21

أتقرب إلى الله وإلى رسوله وإلى أمير المؤمنين وإلى فاطمة وإلى الحسن وإليك بموالاتك
يا أبا عبد الله إني

ya aba `abdillahi inni ataqarrabu ila allahi wa ila rasulih wa ila amiri almu'minina wa ila fatimata wa ila alhasani wa ilayka
bimuwalatika

O Abu-Abdullah, I do seek nearness to Allah, to His Messenger, to the Commander of the Faithful, to Fatimah, to al-Hasan, and to you by means of loyalty to you.

Verse 22

وبالبراءة ممن قاتلك ونصب لك الحرب وبالبراءة ممن أسس أساس الظلم والجور عليكم

wa bilbara'ati mimman qatalaka wa nasaba laka alharba wa bilbara'ati mimman assasa asasa alzzulmi waljawri `alaykum

And by means of repudiation of those who fought against you and incurred your hostility, and repudiation of those who laid the basis of persecution and wronging against you all.



Verse 23

ممن أسس أساس ذلك وبنى عليه بنيانه وجرى في ظلّمه وجوره عليكم وعلى أشياعكم
وأبرأ إلى الله وإلى رسوله

wa abra'u ila allahi wa ila rasulih mimman assasa asasa dhalika wa bana `alayhi bunyanahu wa jara fi zulmihi wa jawrihi `alaykum wa `ala ashya`ikum

I also repudiate, in the presence of Allah and His Messenger, those who laid the basis of all that, established their foundations on it, and continued in wrongdoing and persecuting you and your adherents.

Verse 24

وموالاته وليكم وبألبراءة من أعدائكم وألناصبين لكم وألبراءة من أشياعهم وأتباعهم
برئت إلى الله وإليكم منهم وأتقرب إلى الله ثم إليكم بموالاتكم

bari'tu ila allahi wa ilaykum minhum wa ataqarrabu ila allahi thumma ilaykum bimuwalatikum wa muwalati waliyyikum wa bilbara'ati min a`da'ikum walnnasibina lakum alharba wa bilbara'ati min ashya`ihim wa atba`ihim

In the presence of Allah and you all do I repudiate these. And I seek nearness to Allah and then to you all by declaring loyalty to you and your loyalists, and declaring repudiation of your enemies and those who incur your animosity, and repudiation of their adherents and followers.

Verse 25

إنني سلم لمن سالمكم وحرب لمن حاربكم وولي لمن والاكم وعدو لمن عاداكم

inni silmun liman salamakum wa harbun liman harbakum wa waliyyun liman walakum wa `aduwwun liman `adakum

I am verily at peace with those who have been at peace with you, I am at war against those who fought against you, loyalist to those who have been loyalist to you, and enemy of those who have shown enmity towards you.

Verse 26

أن يجعلني معكم في الدنيا والآخرة وأن يثبت لي عندكم قدم صدق في الدنيا والآخرة
فأسأل الله الذي أكرمني بمعرفتكم ومعرفة أوليائكم ورزقني ألبراءة من أعدائكم

fa'as'alu allaha alladhi akramani bima`rifatikum wa ma`rifati awliya'ikum wa razaqani albara'ata min a`da'ikum an yaj`alani ma`akum fi alddunya wal-akhirati wa an yuthabbita li `indakum qadama sidqin fi alddunya wal-akhirati

So, I beseech Allah Who has endued me with the honor of recognizing you and recognizing your loyalists and Who conferred upon me with repudiation of your enemies, to include me with you in this world and in the Hereafter and to make firm step of honesty for me with you in this world and in the Hereafter.



Verse 27

آلمقام آلمحمود لكم عند آله وأن يرزقني طلب تأري مع إمام هدى ظاهر ناطق بأحق منكم
وأسأله أن يبلغني

wa as'aluhu an yuballighani almaqama almahmuda lakum `inda allahi wa an yarzuqani talaba tha'ri ma`a imami hudan zahirin natiqin bilhaqqi minkum

I also beseech Him to make me attain the praiseworthy status that you enjoy with Allah and to bestow upon me with the chance to take my vengeance with a leader of true guidance who is sustained and expressing the truth from among you.

Verse 28

مصابا بمصيبته مصيبة ما أعظمها وأعظم رزيتها في الإسلام وفي جميع السماوات والأرض
وأسأل آله بحقكم وبالشأن الذي لكم عنده أن يعطيني بمصابي بكم أفضل ما يعطي

wa as'alu allaha bihaqqikum wa bilshsha'ni alladhi lakum `indahu an yu`tiyani bimusabi bikum afdala ma yu`ti musaban bimusibatihim musibatan ma a`zamaha wa a`zama raziyyataha fi al-islami wa fi jami`i alssamawati wal-ardi

I also beseech Allah in your names and in the name of the standing that you enjoy with Him to recompense me for my commiserations for you with the most favorite thing that He ever gives as compensation. Your misfortune has been so astounding and so catastrophic for Islam and for all the heavens and the entire earth.

Verse 29

اللهم آجعلني في مقامي هذا ممن تناله منك صلوات ورحمة ومغفرة

allahumma ij`alni fi maqami hadha mimman tanaluhu minka salawatun wa rahmatun wa maghfiraturun

O Allah, please make me in this situation of mine one of those who receive blessings, mercy, and forgiveness from You.

Verse 30

اللهم آجعل محياي محيا محمد وآل محمد ومماتي ممات محمد وآل محمد

allahumma ij`al mahyaya mahya muhammadin wa ali muhammadin wa mamati mamata muhammadin wa ali muhammadin

O Allah, please make me live my lifetime in the same way as Muhammad and Muhammad's Household lived and make me die on the same principles on which Muhammad and Muhammad's Household died.

THE DAY OF ASHURA — SUPPLICATION



Verse 31

اللّعين آبن آلّعين على لسانك ولسان نبيك صلى الله عليه وآله في كل موطن وموقف
اللهم إن هذا يوم تبركت به بنو أمية وآبن آكلة الأكباد

allahumma inna hadha yawmun tabarrakat bihi banu umayyata wabnu akilati al-akbadi alla`inu ibnu alla`ini `ala lisanika wa lisani nabiyyika salla allahu `alayhi wa alihi fi kulli mawtinin wa mawqifin

O Allah, this day has been regarded as a blessed day by the descendants of Umayyah and by the son of the liver-eater woman, the accursed and son of the accursed, by Your tongue and by the tongue of Your Prophet, Allah's peace be upon him, on every occasion and in every situation.

Verse 32

اللهم آلعن أبا سفيان ومعاوية ويزيد بن معاوية عليهم منك اللعنة أبد الآبدين

allahumma il`an aba sufyana wa mu`awiyata wa yazida bna mu`awiyata `alayhim minka alla`natu abada al-abidina

O Allah, pour curses upon Abu-Sufyan, Mu'awiyah, and Yazid son of Mu'awiyah. May Your curse be upon them incessantly and everlastingly.

Verse 33

وآل مروان بقتلهم آلحسين صلوات الله عليه اللهم فضاعف عليهم آللعن منك وآلعذاب آلأليم
وهذا يوم فرحت به آل زياد

wa hadha yawmun farihat bihi alu ziyadin wa alu marwana biqatlihim alhusayna salawatu allahi `alayhi allahumma fada`if `alayhim alla`na minka wal`adhaba al-alima

This is the day on which the family of Ziyad and the family of Marwan gloated because they had killed al-Husayn, Allah's blessings be upon him. So, O Allah, pour frequent curses upon them and double for them the painful chastisement.

Verse 34

هذا وأيام حياتي بالبراءة منهم وآلعنة عليهم وبآلالموالة لنبيك وآل نبيك عليه وعليهم آلسلام
اللهم إنني أتقرب إليك في هذا اليوم وفي موقفي

allahumma inni ataqarrabu ilayka fi hadha alyawmi wa fi mawqifi hadha wa ayyami hayati bilbara'ati minhum walla`nati `alayhim wa bilmuwalati linabiyyika wa ali nabiyyika `alayhi wa `alayhim alssalamu

O Allah, I do seek nearness to You on this day, on this occasion, and on all the days of my lifetime by repudiating these and invoking Your curses upon them, and by declaring loyalty to Your Prophet and Your Prophet's Household, peace be upon him and them.

REPEAT THE FOLLOWING LAAN (CURSE) 100 TIMES



🔖 100x — Laan 🔖

ألعن العصابة التي جاهدت آلحسين وشايعت وبايعت وتابعت على قتله اللهم ألعنهم جميعا
اللهم ألعن أول ظالم ظلم حق محمد وآل محمد وآخر تابع له على ذلك اللهم

allahumma il`an awwala zalimin zalama haqqa muhammadin wa ali muhammadin wa akhira tabi`in lahu `ala dhalika allahumma
il`an al`isabata allati jahadat alhusayna wa shaya`at wa baya`at wa taba`at `ala qatlihi allahumma il`anhum jami`an

O Allah, pour curses upon the foremost persecutor who usurped the right of Muhammad and Muhammad's Household and the last follower who acceded to his deed. O Allah, pour curses upon the gang that struggled against al-Husayn and who supported each other against him, paid homage to his enemies, and participated in slaying him. O Allah, pour curses upon all of them.

🔖 REPEAT THE FOLLOWING SALAM (PEACE) 100 TIMES 🔖

🔖 100x — Salam 🔖

عليك مني سلام الله أبدا ما بقيت وبقي الليل والنهار ولا جعله الله آخر العهد مني لزيارتكم
السلام عليك يا أبا عبد الله وعلى الأرواح التي حلت بفنائك

alssalamu `alayka ya aba `abdillahi wa `ala al-arwahi allati hallat bifina`ika `alayka minni salamu allahi abadan ma baqitu wa baqiya
allaylu walnnaharu wa la ja`alahu allahu akhira al`ahdi minni liziyaratikum

Peace be upon you, O Abu-Abdullah and upon the souls that gathered in your courtyard. Peace of Allah be upon you from me forever as long as I am existent and as long as there are day and night. May Allah not cause this (visit) to be the last of my visit to you all.

CLOSING SALUTATION

🔖 Closing Salam 🔖

السلام على آلحسين وعلى علي بن آلحسين وعلى أولاد آلحسين وعلى أصحاب آلحسين

alssalamu `ala alhusayni wa `ala `aliyyi bni alhusayni wa `ala awladi alhusayni wa `ala ashabi alhusayni

Peace be upon al-Husayn, upon Ali ibn al-Husayn, upon the sons of al-Husayn, and upon the companions of al-Husayn.

🔖 SPECIAL CURSES — RECITE THE FOLLOWING 🔖



Special Laan

زيد وآبن مرجانة وعمر بن سعد وشمرا وآل أبي سفيان وآل زياد وآل مروان إلى يوم القيامة
مني وآبدأ به أولاً ثم آلعن آالثاني وآالثالث وآالرابع اللهم آلعن يزيد خامسا وآلعن عبید الله بن
اللهم خص أنت أول ظالم باللعن

allahumma khussa anta awwala zalimin billa`ni minni wabda` bihi awwalan thumma il`an alththaniya walththalitha walrrabi`a
allahumma il`an yazida khamisan wal`an `ubaydallahi bna ziyadin wabna marjanata wa `umara bna sa`din wa shimran wa ala abi
sufyana wa ala ziyadin wa ala marwana ila yawmi alqiyamati

O Allah, pour special curses on the foremost persecutor and begin with him first, and then pour curses on the second, the third, and the fourth. O Allah, curse Yazid fifthly, and curse Ubaydullah ibn Ziyad, the son of Marjanah, Umar ibn Sa'd, Shimr, the family of Abu-Sufyan, the family of Ziyad, and the family of Marwan up to the Resurrection Day.

THEN PROSTRATE AND RECITE THE FOLLOWING

Dua in Sujood

قدم صدق عندك مع آالحسين وآاصحاب آالحسين آالذين بذلوا مهجهم دون آالحسين عليه آالسلام
على مصابهم الحمد لله على عظيم رزيتي اللهم آرزقني شفاة آالحسين يوم آالورود وثبت لي
اللهم لك آالحمد حمد آالشاكرين لك

allahumma laka alhamdu hamda alshshakirina laka `ala musabihim alhamdu lillahi `ala `azimi raziyyati allahumma irzuqni shafa`ata
alhusayni yawma alwurudi wa thabbit li qadama sidqin `indaka ma`a alhusayni wa ashabi alhusayni alladhina badhalu muhajahum
duna alhusayni `alayhi alssalamu

O Allah, all praise be to You; the praise of those who thank You for their misfortunes. All praise be to Allah for my great misfortune. O Allah, please grant me the intercession of al-Husayn on the Day of Coming to You and make for me with You a firm step of honesty with al-Husayn and the companions of al-Husayn who sacrificed their souls in defense of al-Husayn, peace be upon him.

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