

The beautiful days & nights of Ramadan have almost come to an end. We must though continue to strive hard & devote ourselves to رب العالمين

وَلِتُكْمِلُوا الْعِدَّةَ وَلِتُكَبِّرُوا اللَّهَ عَلَىٰ مَا هَدَاكُمْ وَلَعَلَّكُمْ تَشْكُرُونَ

Allah intends for you to complete the period and to glorify Allah for that to which He has guided you; and perhaps you will be grateful. (2:185)

We praise, thank Allah ﷻ for all His favours, blessings & opportunities. A month of closeness, purification, love, competition, salvation & majesty.

وَفِي ذَلِكَ فَلْيَتَنَافَسِ الْمُتَنَافِسُونَ

And in this let the competitors compete. (83:26)

أَحَبُّ الْأَعْمَالِ إِلَى اللَّهِ أَدْوَمُهَا، وَإِنْ قَلَّ

Most beloved actions to Allah, are the continuous, albeit small,. (Bukhari)

مُصَرِّفَ الْقُلُوبِ ثَبَّتْ قَلْبِي عَلَى طَاعَتِكَ

O turner of hearts, make firm my heart upon Your obedience! (Nasai)

Invest your remaining time in the devotion of Allah. إِنَّمَا الْأَعْمَالُ بِخَوَاتِيمِهَا

“Verily, deeds are only judged by their endings.” (Bukhari)

Morning battle of Uhud – a person embraced Islam. Became Shaheed & died before Zhur. Shahabah amazed – not 1 Salah but died as a Shaheed.

Ibn al-Jawzi: “When the racehorse knows it is nearing the end of the track, it exerts all of its effort to win the race. If you didn't do well with welcoming Ramadan, perhaps you will do better bidding it farewell.”

Allah ﷻ uses adjectives, qualities, active nouns & verbs for His People.

وَأَقَامُوا الصَّلَاةَ وَآتَوُا الزَّكَاةَ - هَاجَرُوا وَجَاهَدُوا - الصَّالِحَاتِ - وَاعْتَصَمُوا بِهِ - لِلزَّكَاةِ فَاعْلُونَ - صَلَاتِهِمْ دَائِمُونَ

When people enter Jannah, the angels will say

سَلَامٌ عَلَيْكُمْ ادْخُلُوا الْجَنَّةَ بِمَا كُنْتُمْ تَعْمَلُونَ - كُلُوا وَاشْرَبُوا هَنِيئًا بِمَا كُنْتُمْ تَعْمَلُونَ

Allah ﷻ never praises a spurt or phase of worship. Allah ﷻ loves people because of their consistent lifestyle. Ramadan reintroduced us to the beauty of worship, as it finishes, how much of this passion, zeal enthusiasm will we continue?

Imagine you only go to work 1 day enthusiastically, only be nice in your honeymoon, only take notes in school 1 day! You will fail in life – no commitment, so why do we not consistency commit in Deen?

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10% MAINTENANCE PLAN POST RAMADAN

30 days we Fasted, Qiyam, Qur'an, Charity, Akhlaq - reached highest level of Imaan & Ebadah. Doesn't make sense to go down to Zero%?

Fasted 30 days – **3 DAYS A MONTH** = 1 year of fasting + 25,550 distance

20 Rakat Tarawih – **2 RAKAT EACH NIGHT**. “Best Salah after Fard is Qiyam”.

Or **READ 2 RAKAT OF DHUHA** – charity of 360 joints of body

Read 20 pages a day, **2 PAGES A DAY**. “Every letter is 10 Hasanaat”

How much charity did you give in Ramadan £100 - £1000? **GIVE 10%**

Keep the blessings of Ramadan with you all year. Remain firmly connected with Allah ﷻ, Deen, Prophet ﷺ & the Ummah.

EID AL-FITR SUNNAHS

- Wake Early, Pray Fajr, Take Ghusl, Miswaak, Groom, Perfume
- Best Clothes, Eat Something Sweet Before Eid Salah
- Discharge Sadaqatul Fitr before Eid Salah
- Use a different route home, visit the sick, elderly, deceased, family friends
- Recite Takbeer softly en-route Eid Salah
- Women to participate in prayer or attend