بسم الله الرحن الرحيم



Seventh Waaz

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Darus Sakina Mumbai

Syedna Taher Fakhruddin TUS

Waaz Summary

Maulana Fakhruddin TUS addressed Mumineen as the *kholosa* (sincere), who call on Maulana Ali SA (*har ghari Ali e aala ni nida karnaar*). Following this *qaul* (statement), Mumineen did *purjosh* matam of "Ya Ali Ya Ali". Maulana did *nida* (called) of Ya Ali three times and prayed *abyaat* from Syedna Taher Saifuddin RA *qasida*:

- If we call on Ya Ali, he will help us in all our hardships
- If we call on him when we are indecisive, he will help us

At times of uncertainty, Syedna Qutbuddin RA would always pray the above and then take a decision. Maulana advised Mumineen to do the same. Ali is *mushkil kushaa* (the one who eases troubles) at all times - at home, in your business, during the time of death - remember Maulana Ali and all your troubles will be eased.

Maulana prayed *bayt* from Syedna Imaduddin *qasida*

- Servants of Ali (Ali na ghulam) have no fear
- even if their sins amount to mountains,

- because *jannat* is for him

Maulana said there are two conditions in walayat of Amirul Mumineen - to have sincere walayat and disassociate with the enemies of Dawat. Then, Maulana said in josh (fervor) that "I am a servant of Maulana Ali and I have love for you (tamari mohabbat karu chu), this I swear by Allah." The one who receives the walayat of Maulana Ali has received all the khair (good) of this world and the Hereafter. Maulana prayed the Quranic ayat "Allah guides those whom he wishes to the straight path" (24:46) and explained that the walayat of Amirul Mumineen is sent to a person's heart and only then does that person have walayat (je na dil ma walayat utare ehnaj dil ma hoi). We are the fortunate ones on whom that walayat is sent.

Maulana then did *zikr* of *te'enat* (*mitti*/clay/substance). Rasulullah said "you and me, O Ali, are made from one *te'enat*." A Mumin is made with the *te'enat* of *walayat* of Panjetan. Our *khamiro* is of *nadm* (humble) and *istigfaar* (asking forgiveness) and due to that, we have *walayat*. Rasulullah addressed Maulana Ali as *Abu Turab* (father of mud) and Mumin is *turab*. Thus, Maulana

Ali is the father of Mumineen. Then, Maulana quoted the *ayat* "I wish that I were *turab*" (78:40) and explained that on that day, the disbelievers will say I wish I was a Mumin who kept the *walayat* of Maulana Ali. At that time, he will be in regret but there will be no way for him.

Syedna Qutbuddin would say that it would be a great fortune for us even if we were the mud beneath Maulana Ali's shoes (jhooti). Maulana narrated an incident from Syedna Burhanuddin RA when he visited Najaf along with Syedna Qutbuddin. Maulana Burhanuddin received the sharaf of dakhli and he asked Maulana Qutbuddin to stay with him and enter with him. When they reached the barakati gabr of Amirul Mumineen, the officials asked Syedna Burhanuddin to take whatever gold or silver he wanted (as people used to leave a lot of it there). He said "All I want is the turab from here." It is because of this turab, this walayat, we obtain najaat (salvation). This walayat is only accepted if we do walayat of Imam and in his seclusion, his Dai. Rasullulah said "Shia'to Ali'un hum'ul faizoon" Ali's Shia's are the winners.

Then Maulana, remembering Syedna Qutbuddin, did zikr of Maulana Ali's name in detail - ain, laam and ye. The addad (numerical value) of ain is 60, of laam is 40 and of ye is 10 totaling to 110. The addad of ma'a (me'em and ain together) is also 110. The addad of la ilaha illa hu is also 110. Ali is the ism ullahil aazam (Allah's greatest name).

- ain ain ullah (Allah's eyes)
- laam lisaan us-siqd (always speaks the truth)
- ye yad ullah (Allah's hands)

Maulana counselled Mumineen to never do israaf (wastage) in anything - food, clothes, and daily life. Then, Maulana explained *lisaan us-sida*. Rasulullah said "He is the first who brought Imaan and he is the most truthful (siddiq al-akbar)." Rasulullah also said "Ali is with haga (truth) and haga is with Ali." The one appointed by Maulana Ali is also the most truthful - Imams - and during their seclusion, their the *sadegeen* (truthful). Duat. Svedna are Qutbuddin, who was the Mazoon of Svedna Burhanuddin for 50 years and appointed by Syedna Burhauddin by nass, was a seal of truth.

Then Maulana did zikr of the importance of acquiring pure ilm of Aale Mohammed (knowledge). He prayed Maulana Ali's qaul "Ilm is better than wealth, ilm protects you whereas you have to protect wealth, ilm commands but you have to command wealth, the one who acquires wealth will die one day but the one who acquires ilm will always be alive." One receives higher levels due to ilm. Maulana emphasized that while acquiring ilm, one's aqeedo (intention) should be clean and true, otherwise the ilm would not benefit him. One should also bring that ilm into practice (amal ma lawo)

Then Maulana, remembering Syedna Mu'ayyed, said that today is a Thursday and Syedna Mu'ayyed would hold an *ilm ni majalis every* Thursday. Maulana advised Mumineen to pray the *majalis* of Syedna Mu'ayyed. Syedna Mu'ayyed was the *Bab ul Abwaab* of Imam Mustansir and an exemplar of *ikhlaas* and *walayat*. Duat have acquired *ilm* through Syedna Mu'ayyed.

Maulana bestowed *mow'izat* (counsel) to Mumineen. Praying Ameerul Mumineen's *kalaam* (saying), he said contemplate (*tafakkur*) in your soul.

Do not worry about others, rather try to always better yourself and take account of your soul. (*jehl ni maut ne ilm na noor si zinda karo*). Take advantage of the rest of your life by striving to pray *ilm* and doing *amal* (good deeds), even if one has reached an old age.

Maulana prayed hamd, salawat and bestowed doa on Mumineen. May Allah ease your troubles and protect you from evil in this world. May you pray ilm of Aale Mohammed. May the barakat of this ilm stay in your progeny. May your last breath be on walayat of Amirul Mumineen and may you drink from the pool of kauthar, from saaqi e kauthar himself.

Addressing Mumineen of Yemen, those residing at the *jiwar* of *madfoon* Yamani Duat such as Syedna Hatim, Maulana prayed *salaam* on them and then prayed heart rendering *shahadat* of Husain Imam in Arabi. He advised them to maintain *taqwa*, maintain the best of *akhlaaq* (character) and perform *amal saleh*, especially *zikr* of Husain Imam in these days, explaning the philosophy behind it. He did immense *doa* for them, prayed for *hifazat* (security), *amaan* (peace) & *shifa*, by *haq* of Imam-uz-Zaman. He prayed for *zuhoor* of Mahdi, son of Husain.

Maulana ended the waaz on shahadat of Husain Imam, along with zikr of Zainab AS, and shahadat of Ameerul Mumineen. There was not one dry eye in the crowd. Every Mumin, Mumina and farzand were crying "Ya Ali Ya Husain".