

Prophet Muhammad's Farewell Sermon

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- 1. O People, listen attentively to me so I can make it clear to you. For indeed, I do not know, perhaps, I shall not meet you after this year, in this stand.
- أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ! اسْمَعُوا مِنِّي أُبَيِّنُ لَكُمْ؛ فَإِنِّي لَا أَدْرِي لَعَلِّي لَا أَلْقَاكُمُ بَعْنَ عَامِي هَذَا فِي مَوْقِفِي هَذَا.
- 2. O People, indeed, your blood and your wealth are sacred upon each other, until you meet your Lord, just as sacred as this day of yours, in this month of yours, in this city of yours.
- 3. And indeed, you shall meet your Lord, and He will reckon your deeds. Indeed, I conveyed.
- وَإِنَّكُمُ سَتَلْقَوْنَ رَبَّكُمُ فَيَسُأَلُكُمُ عَنْ أَعُمالِكُمُ وَقَدُ بَلَّغُتُ.
- 4. So whoever is entrusted, he shall return it to him whose trust he was entrusted with.
- فَمَنُ كَانَتُ عِنْكَهُ أَمَانَةٌ فَلَيْؤَرِّهَا إِلَى مَنِ ائْتَمَنَهُ عَلَيْهَا.
- 5. And indeed, the riba of the era of ignorance shall be set aside and indeed, the first riba I start with is the riba of (my uncle) Al Abbas ibn Abdul Muttalib.
- وَإِنَّ رِبَا الجَاهِلِيَّةِ مَوْضُوعٌ وَإِنَّ أُوَّلَ رِبَّا أَبْدَأُ بِهِ رِبَا الْعَبَّاسِ بُنِ عَبْدِ الْمُطَّلِبِ.
- 6. And indeed, the blood (revenge) of the era of ignorance is set aside, and indeed, the first blood I start with is the blood of Amer bin Rabiah bin AlHarith bin Abdul Muttalib.
- 7. And indeed, the rituals of the ignorance shall be set aside, other than covering (the Kaaba) and watering (pilgrims). And the murder shall have retribution and the unintended murder, where killing was by a stick or a stone, for it is one hundred camels. So whoever increased, then he is of the era of ignorance.
- وَإِنَّ مَآثِرَ الجَاهِلِيَّةِ مَوْضُوعَةٌ غَيْرَ السِّدَانَةِ وَالسِّقَايَةِ. وَالْعَمُدُ قَوَدٌ وَشِبُهُ الْعَمُدِمَا قُتِلَ بِالْعَصَا وَالْحَبَرِ وَفِيهِ مِائَةُ بَعِيرٍ فَمَنُ زَادَ فَهُوَ مِنَ الجَاهِلِيَّةِ.
- 8. O People, indeed, the Satan has lost all hope that he will ever be worshipped in this land of yours. But though he has accepted to be obeyed in all other than that, in that which you belittle in acts you do.
- أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ إِنَّ الشَّيْطَانَ قَدُ أَيِسَ أَنْ يُعُبَدَ بِأَنْ ضِكُمْ هَذِهِ وَلَكِنَّهُ قَدُ مَضِي بِأَنْ يُطَاعَ فِيمَا سُوى ذَلِكَ فِيمَا تُحَقِّرُونَ مِنْ قَدْ مَضِي بِأَنْ يُطَاعَ فِيمَا سُوى ذَلِكَ فِيمَا تُحَقِّرُونَ مِنْ أَعُمَالِكُمْ.
- 9. O People, postponing (of a sacred month) is only is an addition in disbelief. Are misled by that those who disbelieved. They make it lawful one year and make it unlawful another
- أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ! إِنَّمَا النَّسِيءُ زِيارَةٌ فِي الْكُفُرِ يُضَلُّ بِهِ النَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا يُحِلُّونَهُ عاماً وَيُحَرِّمُونَهُ عاماً لِيُواطِؤُا عِنَّةَ ما حَرَّمَ اللهُ. وَإِنَّ عِنَّةَ

year, in order to adjust the number that which الشُّهُورِ عِنْدَ اللهِ اثْنَا عَشَرَ شَهُراً فِي كِتَابِ اللهِ يَوْمَ خَلَقَ Allah forbade. And indeed, the count of the السَّماواتِ وَالْأَرْضِ. مِنْهَا أَرْبَعَةٌ حُرُمٌ . ثَلَاثَةٌ مُتَوَالِيَةٌ وَوَاحِلٌ months with Allah is twelve months in the Book of Allah, the day He created the heavens فَرُدُّ: دُوالْقَعُلَةِ وَ دُوالْحِجَّةِ وَ الْمُحَرَّمُ وَ سَجَبٌ بَيْنَ جُمَادَى and the earth. Of them, four are sacred, three of these are successive and one is singly. DuhlQaeda and DhulHajja and Muharram and Rajab between Jumada and Sha'ban. 10. O People, indeed, your women have right أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ إِنَّ لِنِسَائِكُمْ عَلَيْكُمْ حَقًّا وَلَكُمْ عَلَيْهِنَّ حَقًّا. upon you and you have right upon them. Your حَقُّكُمُ عَلَيْهِنَّ أَنْ لَا يُوطِئَنَ فُوْشَكُمُ وَلَا يُلْخِلْنَ أَحَداً right upon them is that they do not share your beds (with others). Nor admit anyone, whom تَكُرَهُونَهُ بُيُوتَكُمُ إِلَّا بِإِنْنِكُمُ وَأَنْ لَا يَأْتِينَ بِفَاحِشَةٍ فَإِنْ فَعَلْنَ you disapprove, in your houses except by your permission, and that they shall not commit فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ قَلُ أَذِنَ لَكُمْ أَنُ تَعْضُلُوهُنَّ وَتَهَجُرُوهُنَّ فِي الْمَضَاجِعِ indecency. And if they did then indeed Allah has permitted vou to restrict them and وَتَضُرِبُوهُنَّ ضَرُباً غَيْرَ مُبُرِحٍ، فَإِنِ انْتَهَيْنَ وَأَطَعْنَكُمْ فَعَلَيْكُمْ separate them in the beds and punish them without harming them. So if they restrain and بِرْتُهُنَّ وَكِسُوتُهُنَّ بِالْمَعْرُونِ، أَخَذُتُمُوهُنَّ بِأَمَانَةِ اللهِ obey you then upon you is their food and their clothing in kindness. You have taken them وَاسْتَحُلَلْتُمْ فُرُوجَهُنَّ بِكَلِمَةِ اللهِ فَاتَّقُوا اللهَ فِي النِّسَاءِ under a trust from Allah and as your wives with Allah's permission. So fear Allah in the وَاسْتَوْصُوابِهِنَّ خَيْراً. matter of women and take good care of them. 11. O People, the believers are brothers. And أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ إِنَّمَا المُؤْمِنُونَ إِخُوةٌ وَلا يَعِلُّ لِمُؤْمِنِ مَالُ أَخِيهِ إِلَّامِنُ nothing shall be legitimate to a believer from the property of his brother unless (shared) of طِيبِ نَفْسٍ مِنْهُ. أَلَاهَلُ بَلَّغُتُ؟ اللَّهُمَّ فَاشُهَلُ. willingly by him. Have I not conveyed. O, Allah, so be witness. 12. Do not return after me to disbelief, فَلا تَرْجِعُنَّ بَعُدِي كُفَّاءاً يَضُرِبُ بَعُضُكُمْ مِقَابَ بَعُضٍ فَإِنِّي قَلُ striking each other's necks. Indeed, I leave with you that which if you hold fast, you will تَرَكُتُ فِيكُمُ مَا إِنَ أَخَذُتُمْ بِهِ لَنُ تَضِلُوا "وفي روايةٍ لَمُ تَضِلُوا" never go stray. And in one narration, you will not go stray, Book of Allah and Sunnah of His كِتَابَ اللَّهِ وَسُنَّةَ نَبِيِّهِ، أَلاهَلْ بَلَّغُثْ؟ اللَّهُمَّ فَاشُهَلُ. prophet. Have I not conveyed. O, Allah, be 13. O People, indeed, your Lord is One. And أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ! إِنَّ مَبَّكُمْ وَاحِدٌ وَإِنَّ أَبَاكُمْ وَاحِدٌ، كُلُّكُمْ لِآدَمَ indeed, your father is one. All of you are from Adam and Adam was from clay. Indeed, the وَ آدَمُ مِنُ تُرَابِ إِنَّ أَكُرَمَكُمْ عِنْدَ اللهِ أَتُقَاكُمْ وَلَيُسَ لِعَرَبِيَّ عَلَى most noble among you with Allah is he who is more conscious among you. And there is none عَجَمِيّ فَضُلَّ إِلَّا بِالتَّقُوسِ. for an Arab over a non-Arab any superiority except by piety. 14. Have I not conveyed. They responded, yes. أَلَا هَلَ بَلَّغَتُ. قَالُوا: نَعَمُ. قَالَ: فَلَيْبَلِّغِ الشَّاهِلُ الْغَائِبِ! He said, let him convey, the one who is present, to him who is not here. And may وَالسَّلَامُ عَلَيْكُمْ وَىَ حُمَةُ اللهِ. there be peace upon you and mercy of Allah.

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