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بسَمِ ٱللهِ ٱلرَّحْمَنُ ٱلرَّحِيمِ

In the name of Allaah, the Most Merciful, the Bestower of Mercy

سُبْحَانَ الله وَبِحَمْدِهِ (مائة مرة)

The Messenger of Allaah (may the peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) said, Whoever says: "How far from imperfections Allaah is and I praise Him." (100 Times) ...a hundred times during the day, his sins are wiped away, even if they are like the foam of the sea.

[Saheeh Bukhaaree and Saheeh Muslim]

سُنْحَانَ اللهِ وَبِحَمْدِهِ ، وسنبْحَانَ اللهِ الْعَظِيم

Aboo Hurairah (may Allaah be pleased with him) reported that the Messenger of Allaah (may the peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) said: (There are)
Two words, (which are) light on the tongue, heavy on the Scale and beloved to The Most Gracious,

"How far from imperfections Allaah is and I praise Him. How far from imperfections Allaah is, The Supreme." [Saheeh Bukhaaree and Saheeh Muslim]

سُبْحَانَ اللهِ الْعَظِيمِ وبحَمْدِهِ

Jabir (may Allaah be pleased with him) related that the Prophet (may the peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) said: Whoever says, "How far from imperfections Allaah is. The Supreme, and I praise Him." ...a palm tree is planted for him in paradise.

[At-Tirmidhee No. 3464 and 3465]

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللهُ ، وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ ، لَهُ الْمُلْكُ وَلَهُ الْحَمْدُ ، وهُوَ عَلَى كُلِّ الْمُلْكُ وَلَهُ الْحَمْدُ ، وهُوَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ

Aboo Ayyoob al-Ansaaree (may Allaah be pleased with him) related that the Prophet (may the peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) said: Whoever says:

"None has the right to be worshipped except Allaah, alone, without partner. To Him belongs all sovereignty and praise and He is over all things omnipotent." ...ten times, is like the one who has freed four souls from among the children of Ismaaa'eel.

[Saheeh Muslim]

سئنْحَانَ الله

Sa'ad (may Allaah be pleased with him) said: We were sitting with the Messenger of Allaah (may the peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) and he said, "Is any one of you unable to gain a thousand good deeds each day?" Somebody then asked him (peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him), "How does one achieve a thousand good deeds?" He (peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) replied, "He should say, 'How far from imperfections Allaah is.' ...one hundred times, for a thousand good deeds are recorded for him or a thousand bad deeds are wiped away."

[Saheeh Muslim]

لَا إِلَّهُ إِلَّا اللهُ ، إِنَّ لِلْمَوْتِ سَكَرَاتٍ

Aaishah (the Mother of The Believers -May Allaah the Most High be pleased with her) related that the Prophet (peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) (during his illness in which he passed away), would dip his hands in water and then he would wipe his face and say:

"None has the right to be worshipped except Allaah alone without any partners, death does indeed contain agony."

[Saheeh Bukhaaree]

إِنَّا لِلهِ وَإِنَّا إِلَيْهِ رَاجِعُونَ ، اللَّهُمَّ أَجُرْنِي فِي مُصِيبَتِي ، وَاخْلُفْ لِي خَيْرًا منْهَا خَيْرًا منْهَا

"To Allaah we belong and unto Him is our return. O Allaah, recompense me for my affliction and replace it for me with something better."

[Saheeh Muslim]

إِأَسْتَغْفِرُ اللهَ الَّذِي لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا هُوَ الْحَيُّ اللهَ الْقَيُّومُ وَأَتُوبُ إِلَيْهِ

The Messenger of Allaah (peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) said, "Whoever says, 'I seek Allaah's forgiveness, besides Whom, none has the right to be worshipped except He, The Ever Living, The Self-Subsisting and Supporter of all, and I turn to Him in repentance.' ... Allaah would forgive him even if he was one who fled during the advance of an army."

[Aboo Daawood 1517 and At-Tirmidhee 3577]

لَا حَوْلَ وَلَا قَوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ

Abdullah Ibn Qays (may Allaah be pleased with him) related that the Prophet (may the peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) said to him, "O Abdullah Ibn Qays, shall I not inform you of a treasure from the treasures of paradise?" He (may the peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) then said, "Say, 'There is no might nor power except with Allaah."

[Saheeh Bukhaaree and Saheeh Muslim]

لَا إِلَّهُ إِلَّا اللَّهُ

The people around a sick person (whose death is imminent) should instruct and encourage him/her to say the Shahahdah.

The Prophet (peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) said:

Prompt the dying person to say:

"None has the right to be worshipped except Allaah."

[Saheeh Muslim]

سُنْحَانَ اللهِ ، والْحَمْدُ للهِ ، لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللهُ ، وَاللهُ أَكْبَرُ

Aboo Hurairah (may Allaah be pleased with him) reported that the Messenger of Allaah (may the peace and blessings of Allaah be upon him) said: Saying; "How far from imperfections Allaah is, and all praise is for Allaah. None has the right to be worshipped except Allaah, and Allaah is the greatest." ...is more beloved to me than everything the sun has risen over.

[Saheeh Muslim]

Dua when visiting the graves السَّلامُ عَلَيْكُمْ أَهْلَ الدِّيَارِ مِنَ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُسْلِمِينَ ، وَإِنَّا إِنْ شَاعَ اللهُ بِكُمْ لَلْمُونَ ، نَسْأَلُ اللهَ لَنَا وَلَكُمُ الْعَاقِيَةَ لَلَاحِقُونَ ، نَسْأَلُ اللهَ لَنَا وَلَكُمُ الْعَاقِيَةَ

"Peace be upon you all, O inhabitants of the dwellings (i.e. the graves), amongst the believers and the Muslims. Indeed we are, Allaah willing, soon to follow (to die also), we ask Allaah for well-being for us and for you." Note: * The term (Muslims) here means all Muslims whether they are righteous or evildoers, while believers or Mu'min only indicates to the righteous only among the Muslims. This must be the case in all occurrences of Muslim and Mu'min (believer) when they are mentioned together in one place. [Saheeh Muslim]