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II A Study of Selected al-Hadith Qudsi

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5. On the Merit of Voluntary acts.

وَعَنْ أَبِي هُرَيْرَةَ أَنَّ رَسُولَ اللَّهِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ قَالَ: «يَتَعَاقَبُونَ فِيكُمْ مَلَائِكَةٌ بِاللَّيْلِ وَمَلَائِكَةٌ
بِالنَّهَارِ وَيَجْتَمِعُونَ فِي صَلَاةِ الْفَجْرِ وَصَلَاةِ الْعَصْرِ ثُمَّ يَعرُجُ الَّذِينَ بَاتُوا فِيكُمْ فَيَسْأَلُهُمْ رَبُّهُمْ وَهُوَ أَعْلَمُ
بِهِمْ كَيْفَ تَرَكْتُمْ عِبَادِي فَيَقُولُونَ تَرَكْنَاهُمْ وَهُمْ يَصَلُونَ وَأَتَيْنَاهُمْ وَهُمْ يَصَلُونَ

W6 (H8) Abu Huraira (may Allah be pleased with him) said,

The Messenger of Allah ﷺ said: Angels take turns among you during the night and day, and they all gather at the dawn and afternoon prayers. Those who spent the night among you then ascend, and their Lord asks them, yet He is best informed about them, **“How did you leave My servants?”** They reply, **“We left them while they were praying, and we came to them while they were praying.”**

عَنْ أَبِي هُرَيْرَةَ رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُ قَالَ: قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ إِنَّ اللَّهَ تَعَالَى قَالَ: "مَنْ
عَادَى لِي وَلِيًّا فَقَدْ آذَنْتُهُ بِالْحَرْبِ، وَمَا تَقَرَّبَ إِلَيَّ عَبْدِي بِشَيْءٍ أَحَبَّ إِلَيَّ مِمَّا افْتَرَضْتُهُ عَلَيْهِ، وَلَا يَزَالُ
عَبْدِي يَتَقَرَّبُ إِلَيَّ بِالنَّوَافِلِ حَتَّى أُحِبَّهُ، فَإِذَا أَحْبَبْتُهُ كُنْتُ سَمْعَهُ الَّذِي يَسْمَعُ بِهِ، وَبَصَرَهُ الَّذِي يُبْصِرُ بِهِ،
وَيَدَهُ الَّتِي يَبْطِشُ بِهَا، وَرِجْلَهُ الَّتِي يَمْشِي بِهَا، وَلَئِنْ سَأَلَنِي لَأُعْطِيَنَّهُ، وَلَئِنْ اسْتَعَاذَنِي لَأُعِيذَنَّهُ"

W6 (H9) Abu Huraira (may Allah be pleased with him) said,

The Messenger of Allah ﷺ stated, **“Indeed, Allah the Most High declared: ‘Whoever shows hostility towards a Wali (friend) of Mine, I declare war against him. My servant gets closest to Me through the religious duties I have made obligatory. He continues to approach Me with voluntary deeds until I love him. Once I love him, I become his hearing with which he hears, his sight with which he sees, his hand with which he strikes, and his foot with which he walks. If he asks Me for something, I will surely grant it; if he seeks refuge in Me, I will certainly give him refuge.’”**