## Divine Pearls



## **ETIQUETTES OF GOING TO TOILET**

If you wish to offer a prayer and need to go to toilet, you may begin with the latter. There are many reported etiquettes of going to toilet. However, I will hereinafter mention some of them briefly:

You may precede your left foot to the right when entering the water closet (or the place where you excrete) and say the following:

بِسُمِ اللهِ وَبِاللهِ اَعُوْذُ بِاللهِ مِنَ الرِّجْسِ النَّجِسِ النَّجِسِ النَّجِسِ النَّجِسِ النَّجِسِ النَّجِسِ النَّجِسِ الْخَبِيْثِ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيْمِ۔

When you try to take off, you may utter the BISMILLAH

At such a situation, and all similar situations, you must try to cover your private parts, letting nobody see them. It is haram (i.e. religiously unlawful) to sit, for excretion, facing the kiblah direction or giving it one's back.

While excreting, it is recommended to say the following:

اَللّٰهُمَّ اَطْعِمْنِی طَیِّبًا فِی عَافِیَةٍ وَاَخْرِجُهُ مِنِّی خَبِیْثًا فِیُ عَافِیَةٍ وَاَخْرِجُهُ مِنِّی خَبِیْثًا فِیُ عَافِیَة

If your sight falls on the excrement, you may say the following:

اَللَّهُمَّ ارْزُقْنِي الْحَلَالَ وَجَنِّبْنِي الْحَرَامَ ـ

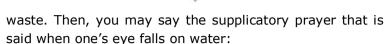
When you finish and want to clean yourself, you may first of all try to make sure that you have discharged the entire

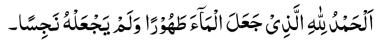






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While cleaning yourself from the waste, you may say the following:

اَللَّهُمَّ حَصِّنُ فَرْجِيُ وَاَعِفَّهُ وَاسْتُرُ عَوْرَقِيْ وَحَرِّمْنِي عَلَى اللَّهُمِّ حَصِّنُ النَّارِ - النَّارِ -

When you finish and stand up, you may rub your abdomen with your right hand and say the following:

اَلْحَمْدُ بِللهِ اللَّذِي اَمَاطَ عَنِّى الْاَذَى وَهَنَّا فِي طَعَامِي وَشَرَابِي الْحَمْدُ بِللهِ اللَّذِي وَهَنَّا فِي طَعَامِي وَشَرَابِي وَعَافَانِيْ مِنَ الْبَلُوي ـ

You may then leave the water closet (or the place where you have excreted), preceding your right foot to the left and saying the following:

اَلْحَمْدُ لِلهِ الَّذِي عَرَّفَنِي لَنَّاتَهُ وَاَبُقَىٰ فِي جَسَدِى قُوَّتَهُ وَاَبُقَىٰ فِي جَسَدِى قُوَّتَهُ وَاَجْمَدُ عَنِي اَلَهَا نِعْمَةً لَا وَاخْرَجَ عَنِي اَذَاهُ يَا لَهَا نِعْمَةً لَا لَهَا نِعْمَةً لَا لَهَا نِعْمَةً لَا يُقَادِرُونَ قَدُرَهَا۔



