

NAMAZ FOR SETTLING THE DEBTS AND SAVING FROM DESPOTIC RULERS

Al-Tusi has reported that a man came to Imam al-Sadiq(a.s.) and complained, "My master, I complain to you about the debt in which I am involved and the ruler who has oppressed me. I thus want you to teach me a supplication by which I can win a treasure so that I will settle my debts and protect myself against the oppression of the ruling authorities."

The Imam (a.s.) thus said: When night befalls you, you should offer a two-unit prayer. In the first unit, recite Surah al-Faatehah and Ayah al-Kursi. In the second unit, recite Surah al-Faatehah and the last four verses of Surah al-Hashr (No. 59):

You should then carry the book of the Holy Qur'an, put it on your head, and say the following supplication:

اللَّهُمَّ بِحَقِّ هَذَا الْقُرْآنِ وَبِحَقِّ مَنْ أَرْسَلْتَهُ بِهِ وَبِحَقِّ
كُلِّ مُؤْمِنٍ مَدَحْتَهُ فِيهِ وَبِحَقِّكَ عَلَيْهِمْ فَلَا أَحَدَ أَعْرَفُ
بِحَقِّكَ مِنْكَ-

You should then repeat each of the following words ten times:

يَا اللَّهُ يَا مُحَمَّدُ، يَا عَلِيُّ، يَا فَاطِمَةُ، يَا حَسَنُ، يَا
حُسَيْنُ، يَا عَلِيُّ بْنُ الْحُسَيْنِ، يَا مُحَمَّدَ بْنَ عَلِيٍّ يَا جَعْفَرَ

بُنْ مُحَمَّدٍ، يَا مُوسَى بُنْ جَعْفَرٍ، يَا عَلِيَّ بُنْ مُوسَى، يَا
مُحَمَّدَ بُنْ عَلِيٍّ، يَا عَلِيَّ بُنْ مُحَمَّدٍ، يَا حَسَنَ بُنْ عَلِيٍّ،
بِالْحُجَّةِ-

You may then ask for what you need.

The reporter added: After some time, the man returned to Imam al-Sadiq(a.s.) after he had settled his debt, built good relations with the ruling authorities, and become financially well-appointed.

It seems this supplication must be said after the prayer.