Jumu'ah – The Day of Friday

Jumu'ah – the day of Friday, is the best and the most superior day of the week. It is a special blessing from Allãh for the believers.

The Prophet sallallãhu alayhi wasallam said, "The best day on which the sun has risen is Friday..." (Muslim)

In another Hadeeth, the Prophet sallallãhu alayhi wasallam said, "The most virtuous day is Friday..." (Abu Dãwud)

Recommended Acts

·To recite Surah Al-Kahf (Surah 18, 15th Juz) on Friday. From the Ahãdeeth we learn that the one who recites Surah al-Kahf, Allãh will protect him from Dajjãl and all other trials and tests. Likewise, there will also be a light which will shine for him until the next Jumu'ah.

·To recite Surah Ad-Dukhãn on the night before Friday, anytime from Thursday Maghrib until going to sleep. The reward is that Allãh will build a palace for him in Jannah.

·To give sadaqah (charity) on Friday. Giving sadaqah (charity) on Friday is superior than spending in charity on other days.

·To make du'ã as much as possible. There is a special time on Jumu'ah in which any du'ã is accepted. However, Allãh did not inform us of this specific time, as he wants every believer to make du'ã to him every moment possible on this day.

·To send durood in abundance. We have been instructed by the Prophet sallallãhu alayhi wasallam to send durood upon him in abundance on Friday. The Prophet sallallãhu alayhi wasallam said, "Indeed, among the best of your days is Friday, so send abundant blessings upon me on that day, for your blessings are presented to me." (Abu Dãwud)

Other Easy Sunnah Acts of Jumu'ah

·To have a Ghusl (bath)
·To use the Miswãk
·To wear one's best clothes
·To apply fragrance
·To go early and walk to the Masjid

May Allãh enable us to honour the day of Jumu'ah and may he grant us the ability to do as many good deeds as possible to attain all the virtues and merits of this great day. Ãmeen.

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