الحمدُ للهِ ربِّ العالمينَ، أحمدُهُ سبحانَهُ كمَا ينبغِي لجلالِ وجهِهِ وعظيم سلطانِهِ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنْ لاَ إِلَهَ إِلاَّ اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لاَ شَرِيكَ لَهُ، لَهُ الْمُلْكُ وَلَهُ الحَمْدُ وَهُوَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّ سيدَنَا مُحَمَّداً عَبْدُ اللهِ وَرَسُولُهُ، وصفِيُّهُ مِنْ خلقِهِ وخليلُهُ، صلَّى اللهُ وسلَّمَ وبارَكَ عليهِ وعلَى آلِهِ وصحبِهِ أجمعينَ، ومَنْ تَبِعَهُمْ بإِحسانٍ إلَى يومِ الدِّينِ.

All Praise is to Allah for the countless bounties He has bestowed upon His Servants. I exalt Him as is befitting to His Glorious presence and His Great sovereignty and virtues and I bear witness that there is no deity except Allah, having no associates. I also bear witness That Muhammad is His Servant and Messenger who was sent as a mercy to the worlds. May the peace and blessings of Allah be upon His Prophet Muhammad, his family, his companions and those who follow on their footsteps until the Last Day.

Traits of Allah's Servants

وَعِبَادُ الرَّحْمَنِ الَّذِينَ يَمْشُونَ عَلَى الأَرْضِ هَوْنًا وَإِذَا حَاطَبَهُمُ الجَاهِلُونَ قَالُوا سَلاماً وَالَّذِينَ يَبِيتُونَ لِرَبِّهِمْ سُجَّداً وَقِيَاماً وَالَّذِينَ يَقُولُونَ رَبَّنَا اصْرِفْ عَنَّا عَذَابَ جَهَنَّمَ إِنَّ عَذَابَهَا كَانَ غَرَاماً إِنَّهَا سَاءَتْ مُسْتَقَراً وَمُقَاماً

"And the servants of the Most Merciful are those who walk upon the earth easily, and when the ignorant address them harshly, they say words of peace, And those who spend part of the night to their Lord prostrating and standing in prayer. And those who say, "Our Lord, avert from us the punishment of Hell. Indeed, its punishment is ever adhering; Indeed, it is evil as a settlement and residence." (25:63-66)

- 1st Trait Becoming His True Worshippers
- 2nd Trait Becoming and Maintaining Humility
- 3rd Trait Turning Away From The Ignorant & Forgiving "and when the ignorant address them [harshly], they say [words of] peace,"
- The Prophet s forgave those who were harsh, and chose to be more lenient when they severely harmed him

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4th Trait – Eager To Find Peace And Solace

The believers of Allah are always looking forward to worshipping Him to find true solace and reassurance. For His sake they leave the comfort of their beds and stand in prayer. With their tongue moist in the remembrance of Allah, They observe Tahajjud while many are fast asleep.

"And those who spend part of the night to their Lord prostrating and standing in prayer."

Standing in awe of Allah **K**, acknowledging your weaknesses and failings, but beseeching the help and mercy of Allah.

"And those who say, "Our Lord, avert from us the punishment of Hell. Indeed, its punishment is ever adhering; Indeed, it is evil as a settlement and residence."

5th Trait – Moderate, Balanced, Not Miserly Or Wasteful

وَالَّذِينَ إِذَا أَنفَقُوا لَمْ يُسْرِفُوا وَلَمْ يَقْتُرُوا وَكَانَ بَيْنَ ذَٰلِكَ قَوَامًا

"And [they are] those who, when they spend, do so not excessively or sparingly but are ever, between that, [justly] moderate."

Controlling impulses and desires and providing for dependants and others in a balanced Halal manner

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وَالَّذِينَ لَا يَدْعُونَ مَعَ اللَّهِ إِلَهًا آخَرَ وَلَا يَقْتُلُونَ النَّفْسَ الَّتِي حَرَّمَ اللَّهُ إِلَّا بِالْحَقِّ وَلَا يَزْنُونَ وَمَن يَفْعَلْ ذَٰلِكَ يَلْقَ أَثَامًا

6th Trait - And those who do not invoke with Allah another deity or kill the soul which Allah has forbidden, except by right, and do not commit unlawful sexual intercourse. And whoever should do that will meet a penalty.

وَالَّذِينَ لَا يَشْهَدُونَ الزُّورَ وَإِذَا مَرُّوا بِاللَّغْوِ مَرُّوا كِرَامًا

7th Trait - And [they are] those who do not testify to falsehood, and when they pass near ill speech, they pass by with dignity.

وَالَّذِينَ إِذَا ذُكِّرُوا بِآيَاتِ رَبِّهِمْ لَمْ يَخِرُّوا عَلَيْهَا صُمًّا وَعُمْيَانًا

8th Trait - And those who, when reminded of the verses of their Lord, do not fall upon them deaf and blind.

وَالَّذِينَ يَقُولُونَ رَبَّنَا هَبْ لَنَا مِنْ أَزْوَاجِنَا وَذُرِّيَّاتِنَا قُرَّةَ أَعْيُنٍ وَاجْعَلْنَا لِلْمُتَّقِينَ إِمَامًا

9th Trait - And those who say, "Our Lord, grant us from among our wives and offspring comfort to our eyes and make us an example for the righteous."