

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ، حَتَّنَا عَلَى حُسْنِ طَاعَتِهِ، وَأَمَرَنَا بِهَجْرَانِ  
مَعْصِيَتِهِ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنْ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّ  
سَيِّدَنَا وَنَبِيَّنَا مُحَمَّدًا عَبْدُ اللَّهِ وَرَسُولُهُ، فَاللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ وَسَلِّمْ وَبَارِكْ عَلَى  
سَيِّدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَى آلِهِ وَصَحْبِهِ أَجْمَعِينَ، وَعَلَى مَنْ تَبِعَهُمْ بِإِحْسَانٍ إِلَى  
يَوْمِ الدِّينِ.

All praise is due to Allah, the Lord of the Worlds. He guides us to obey Him and orders us to refrain from what He has forbidden. I bear witness that there is no deity save Allah, having no partners. I also bear witness that our Master Muhammad is the servant and Messenger of Allah. May the peace and blessings of Allah be upon our Master Muhammad, his pure family, companions, and all those who follow them in righteousness till the Day of Judgment.

## Time for Hijrah

إِنَّ الْمُهَاجِرَ مَنْ هَجَرَ مَا نَهَى اللَّهُ عَنْهُ

**“An emigrant is the one who refrains from what Allah has forbidden.”  
(Bukhari)**

يَا أَبَا بَكْرٍ مَا ظَنُّكَ بِاِثْنَيْنِ اللَّهُ تَالِثُهُمَا

**"O Abu Bakr, what do you think of two, the third of whom is Allah?"  
(Muttafaq)**

إِلَّا تَنْصُرُوهُ فَقَدْ نَصَرَهُ اللَّهُ إِذْ أَخْرَجَهُ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا ثَانِيًا إِثْنَيْنِ إِذْ هُمَا فِي الْغَارِ إِذْ يَقُولُ لِصَاحِبِهِ لَا تَحْزَنْ إِنَّ اللَّهَ مَعَنَا فَأَنْزَلَ اللَّهُ سَكِينَتَهُ عَلَيْهِ وَأَيَّدَهُ بِجُنُودٍ لَمْ تَرَوْهَا وَجَعَلَ كَلِمَةَ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا السُّفْلَى وَكَلِمَةُ اللَّهِ هِيَ الْعُلْيَا وَاللَّهُ عَزِيزٌ حَكِيمٌ

**“if you do not aid the Prophet - Allah has already aided him when those who disbelieved had driven him out, as one of two, when they were in the cave and he said to his companion, "Do not grieve; indeed Allah is with us." And Allah sent down his tranquillity upon him and supported him with angels you did not see and made the word of those who disbelieved the lowest, while the word of Allah - that is the highest. And Allah is Exalted in Might and Wise.” (9:40)**

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- We often feel overwhelmed by the difficulties the Muslims around the world are going through. Our religion hijacked/abused, we are victimised, invaded and displaced. Our values are constantly being questioned, our beliefs interrogated, our Qur'an contested and our beloved Prophet ﷺ abused.
- Many times we speak of a mass migration to a Muslim country, but before accommodating this thought, how many of us have tried fulfil our purpose from our very homes here? After all isn't all of this Allah's land, earth and creation? So is it time to move on? But where?
- **1) Hijrah of our Hopes to Allah** - Our hopes on politicians has dwindled and hearts broken. It is time we gather our parted hearts and migrate with them to Allah ﷻ

وَمَنْ يَعْصِمْ بِاللَّهِ فَقَدْ هُدِيَ إِلَىٰ صِرَاطٍ مُسْتَقِيمٍ

“And whoever holds firmly to Allah, then he is indeed guided to the Right Path.” (3:101)

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- **2) Hijrah from the Warm Bed** - Bear the cold climate, early hours and seek the help of Allah in the night with utter humility.

يَنْزِلُ رَبُّنَا كُلَّ لَيْلَةٍ إِلَى السَّمَاءِ الدُّنْيَا حِينَ يَبْقَى ثُلُثُ اللَّيْلِ الْآخِرِ فَيَقُولُ مَنْ يَدْعُونِي فَأَسْتَجِيبَ لَهُ وَمَنْ يَسْأَلُنِي فَأُعْطِيهِ وَمَنْ يَسْتَغْفِرُنِي فَأَغْفِرَ لَهُ

'In the last third of every night our Rabb – befitting His majesty - descends to the lowermost heaven and says; "Who is calling Me, so that I may answer him? Who is asking Me so that may I grant him? Who is seeking forgiveness from Me so that I may forgive him?. (Bukhari)

- **3) Hijrah from Weak Hearts** - Let us renew our weak hearts by strengthening our Imaan. Imaan is not something that occurs randomly, Imaan is something that increases and decreases, strengthens and weakens, responds to good and bad deeds.

إِنَّ الْإِيمَانَ لِيَخْلُقُ فِي جَوْفِ أَحَدِكُمْ كَمَا يَخْلُقُ الثَّوْبُ فَسَلُوا اللَّهَ تَعَالَى أَنْ يَجَدِّدَ الْإِيمَانَ فِي قُلُوبِكُمْ

“Imaan wears out in each and every one of you like a garment wears out, so ask Allah the most high to renew the Imaan in our hearts.” (Tabrani)

يَا مُقَلَّبَ الْقُلُوبِ ثَبِّتْ قَلْبِي عَلَى دِينِكَ

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- **4) Hijrah to the Qur'an** - The Qur'an was revealed to establish the greatest nation set foot on the earth. Nothing provides more nourishment to our hearts, minds and manners, or grants success than the Qur'an.

هَذَا بَيَانٌ لِلنَّاسِ وَهُدًى وَمَوْعِظَةٌ لِّلْمُتَّقِينَ

“ This is a clear statement to the people and a guidance and instruction for those conscious of Allah.” (3:138)

- **5) Hijrah from Confusion to Confidence** - Have confidence in what Allah has promised the believers for Allah makes it incumbent upon Himself to help those who have real Imaan.

وَكَانَ حَقًّا عَلَيْنَا نَصْرُ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ

...“and [as for] the believers, it was incumbent upon Us to help [them].” (30:47)

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