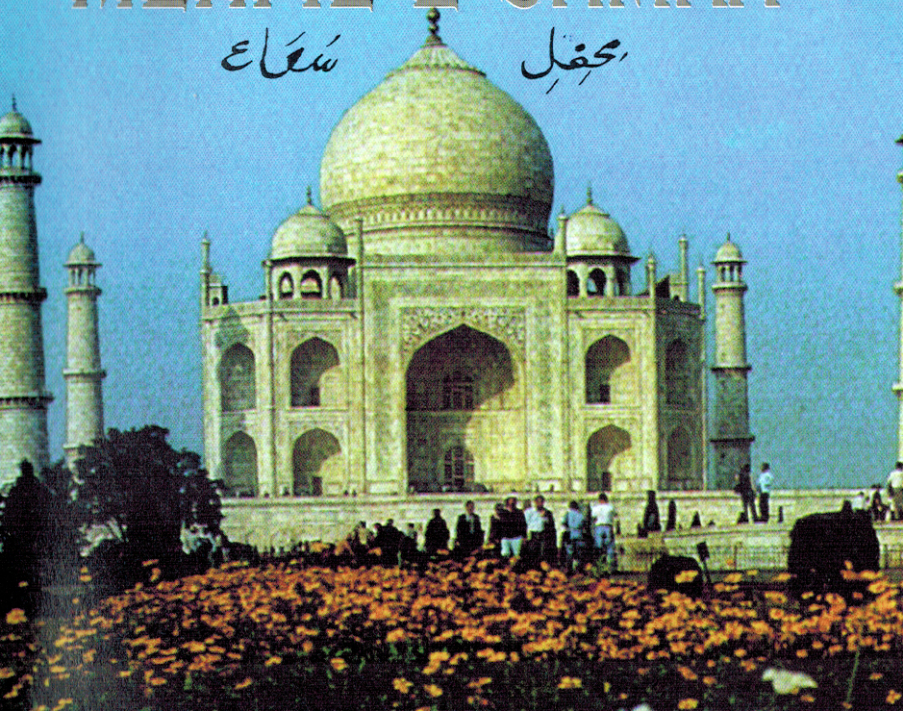


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MEHFIL-E-SAMAA

محفل
سواء



1. TUJHAY DHOONDTA

Tujhay dhoondta tha mai charr soo
Tayree shaan jallay jalaaluhu
Too mila qareeb ragay gulu
Tayree shaan jallay jalaal hoo

Tayree yaad mayn hai kali kali
Hai chaman chaman mayn huwal ali
Too basaa hai phool mayn hoo bahu
Tayree shaan jallay jalaal hoo

Tayree justaju mayn hai faakhtaa
Kay kahaan too jalwaa dikha ay gaa
Usay wurd koo koo hai koo bakoo
Tayree shaan jallay jalaal hoo

Tayree hukm say jo hawaa chalee
Too chatak kay bolee kalee kalee
Hai Kareem too hai Raheem too
Tayree shaan jallay jalaal hoo

Tayra jalwaa dono jahaa mayn hai
Tayra noor kowno makaa mayn hai
Yahaa too he too wahaa too hee too
Tayree shaan jallay jalaal hoo.

MEANING

Man looks for His Creator in the four corners of the globe, but in fact, He is found nearer than one's jugular vein. The glory of the Almighty is evident in all His creations: the trees, the flowers, the birds, the sun, the moon, etc. O Glorious Lord! Thou commandeth the winds to blow and the flowers to bloom, and Thou has created the birds who sing Thy Praises. Thy presence is felt in both the worlds, and Thy light, skill, and Mercy, manifest themselves everywhere.

2. SANA NAY SAB BANAYA

Saane'nay sab banaaya Muhammad kay noor say
Qudrat ka gul khilaaya Muhammad kay noor say

Kis kis mazay say sallay 'ala baagh baan nay
Rangay chaman jamaaya Muhammad kay noor say

Roohay lateef jab gae jismay kasheef mayn
Aadam ko jab sawaara Muhammad kay noor say

Sijday kay waastay jhukee phir gardanay malak
Aadam ko jab banaaya Muhammad kay noor say

MEANING

The Creator designed everything from the splendour of Muhammad's Noor (light). He nourished nature with the characteristic grandeur of Muhammad's Noor. The spirit of life entered the dense and dark body of Aadam only when it was illuminated by the brilliance of Muhammad's Noor and, it was only then that the Angels bowed in adoration to Aadam.

3. HAR DAR DAKI DAWA HAI

Har dard ki dawa hai sallay ala Muhammad
Taweez harr bala hai sallay ala Muhammad

Mehboob kibriya hai sallay ala Muhammad
Kya naqshay khush numa hai sallay ala Muhammad

Qurbay Khuda ho haasil Jannat may ho woh daakhil
Jienay likha parha hai sallay ala Muhammad

Jannat maqaam hoga dozakh haraam hoga
Gardiil pay likh leya hai sallay ala Muhammad

Uskee nee jaat hogee rehmat bhee saath hogee
Jo parh kay margaya hai sallay ala Muhammad

Jaanay bhe day iram ko rizwa na roke hamko
Seenay pay likh leeya hai sallay ala Muhammad

MEANING

Darood Shareef is a positive cure for all ills and pains. Peace be on Muhammad, the beloved of Allah. It is a duty imposed on all Muslims to render Darood with love and affection, to the Holy Prophet. The passport to attain nearness to Allah, and to enjoy the beautiful gardens of bliss in heaven can be obtained through Darood. Indeed the writing of Darood is embedded in the hearts of all true Muslims.

4. KHATIMUL AMBIYA

Khatimul ambiyaa haq ka pyaara Nabi
Saaray Nabiyo say afzal hamaara Nabi

Ashrafal Ambiyaa hai hamaara Nabi
Woh Nabi kawn ummat ka pyaara Nabi

Bulbulo nay jo daykhee malaahat tayri
Gulko sadqay may tujh par utaara Nabi

Turnho woh husn waalay key Allah nay
Apna mehboob keh karr pukaara Nabi

MEANING

The final Messenger is the Beloved of the Creator. He is the best of all the Prophets, and the beloved of his followers. The nightingales forgot their love for the rose when they saw the loving face of our Prophet, whom Allah too called His beloved (Mehboob). The followers of other Prophets were limited while our Prophet is the guide for all in both the worlds. He will be the intercessor for the sinners on the day of Judgment.

6. DAROOD TUMPARR

Nabi ay akram Rasoolay Daawarr
Darood tumparr salaam tumparr
Shahay do aalam Khuda kay diibarr
Darood tumparr salaam tumparr

Tamaam Nabiyo may sab say aala
Tumhaari hai shaan sabsay baala
Nabi ay afzal shafee ay Mehshar
Darood tumparr salaam tumparr

Tumhaaray he dam qadam say Aaqa
Tumhaaree Ummat ko aasra hai
Tumhee ho emaan o deen kay rehbar
Darood tumparr salaam tumparr

Tumhaari ummat yaa na'at khwaa hai
Tumhaari chaahat may khastajaa hai
Nawaaz dayna issay bhee sarwarr
Darood tumparr salaam tumparr

5. NABIO KAY SARDAAR

Nabiyo kay sardaar Muhammad nabiyo kay sardaar

Allah Allah inki muhabbat
Khud hai Khudaa ko deed kee hazrat
Khaaliq kay dildaar Muhammad
Khaaliq kay dildaar

Woh hai saraapa rehmatay kaamil
hoga-ee aasaa uski mushkil
Jisnay kahaa ikbaar Muhammad
Jisnay kahaa ikbaar

Paak muhabbat nayk iraaday
Haq say leeyay bakshish kay waaday
Ummat kay gham khwaar Muhammad
Ummat kay gham khwaar

MEANING

Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him) has been the chief of all the Prophets. So immense was Allah's love for him, that He called the Prophet His beloved. Since the Prophet (peace be upon him) came as a blessing for the worlds, the person who recites his name gets a lot of his problems solved. It was out of his love for the Ummah (followers) that He requested the Lord to forgive them.

MEANING

Honoured Prophet and Messenger of Allah; Darood and Salaams upon you, King of the worlds, Messenger of the Lord. Darood on you and salaams on you. You are the best and the most esteemed one in the whole range of prophets, the respected Prophet, the Intercessor on the Day of Judgment. Darood on you, and salaams on you. You are the guide toward the path of righteousness, and your followers look forward to your support with keen desire. Darood on you, and salaams on you. Our praises are indeed a proof of our intense love for you. Darood on you, and salaams on you.

T'areef oos Khudaa kee jisnay jahaa banaayaa
Kaisee zamee banaa-ee kyaa aasmaa banaaya

Pairo talay bichhaa yaa kyaa khoob farsh khaakee
Aur sarr pay laa jawardee ik saa-ee baa banaayaa

Mitte say bayl bootay kyaa khushnumaa ugaa ay
Pehnaa kay sabz khillat unko jawaa banaayaa

Sooraj say hamnay paa-ee garmee bhee roshnee bhee
Kyaa khoob chashma toonay ay mehrbaa banaayaa

Rehmat say tayree kyaa kyaa hai ne'matay mayyassarr
In ne'mato ka mujhko kyaa qadr daa banaayaa

Harr cheese say hai tayree kaaree garee tapaktee
Yea kaarkhana toonay kab raa-ay-gaa banaayaa

7. AAJ HAI MOULOOD AKRAM

Aaj hai moulod akram assalaatu wassalaam
Rehnuma duniya may aa ay assalaatu wassalaam

Jab huway paida Muhammad mushq key aa-ee hawaa
Bhar ga-ee khushbu say duniya assalaatu wassalaam

Noor payshaani say chamka saaray gharr roshan hu-ay
Jibreel aakarr pukaara assalaatu wassalaam

Paida ho kay sijday karkay youn kahaa ilhaan say
Baksh ummat ko Khuda ya assalaatu wassalaam

Ba adab ho karr farishtay marhabaa kehney lagay
Khud Khudaa khush ho kay bola assalaatu wassalaam

MEANING

Today is the blessed birthday celebration of Muhammad on whom be Peace and Blessings. He came as a guide to the world, on Him be Peace and Blessings. When Muhammad (peace be on him) was born, fragrance of perfume filled the atmosphere. The light of Prophethood and Truth shone from his forehead and lit all the homes. The Angels were overjoyed, and even Allah said: "Peace and Blessings on Muhammad."

MEANING

We should praise Allah, the Creator of the Universe. He has made the earth our carpet, and the blue sky, a canopy over us. He has also provided warmth and light from the sun for us, so that we may be comfortable. He has brought forth beautiful flowers from the mud, and decorated the trees in different shades of green. For His numerous bounties to us, we should be grateful to Him. All the things in the Universe are manifestations of Allah's greatness, and there is certainly a purpose for putting forth His creation.

Dilaa ghaffil na ho yakdam, yeh duniyaa chhoar jaanaa hai
Bagaichay chhoar karr khaalee zamee andarr samaanaa hai

Tayra nazuk badan bhaa-ee, jo laytay sage phoolo parr
Hoayga aik din murrdaah yay keero ka khaanaa hai

Ajal kay roze ko karr yaad, karr saamaan chalnay ka
Zamee kay farsh parr sona jo eeto ka sarrahaana hai

Na baylee ho sakay bhaa-ee, na bayta baap na maa-ee
Too kya miltaa hai sow daa-ee amal nay kaam aanaa hai

9. MAHABOOBAY KHUDDA MATLOOBAY KHUDDA

Mahboobay Khudda matloobay Khudda
ai sallay alaa subhaan Allah
Aisa koe ibanda hai na huwa
ai sallay alaa subhaan Allah

Kya roo-ay munawwar aap ka tha
ai sallay alaa subhaan Allah
Jis jis nay daykhaa yea hee kahaa
ai sallay alaa subhaan Allah

Jis loh peh naam-ay paak likhaa
har harf pay chamka nooray Khudda
Khush ho kay qalam nay dee yea sadaa
ai sallay alaa subhaan Allah

Adam nay jo kholi chashmay yaqeen
nazro may samaaya arshay bareen
Naam aap ka daykhaa uss pay likhaa
ai sallay alaa subhaan Allah

MEANING

Peace and blessings be upon Prophet Muhammad, who has no parallel in creation. What an illumined countenance which was greatly admired by everyone. Every letter of his name, as is written on the Tablet reflected the light of Allah.

The pen that was used to write that name joyfully declared, like everything else which came into contact with him: "Glory be to Allah, and peace be on the Prophet." So important is his status that when Adam opened his eyes for the first time he saw the name Muhammad written on the Throne as it contained the Declaration of Faith. Glory be to Allah and Peace be on Prophet Muhammad.

MEANING

Do not forget that you have to leave this fascinating world one day. Your soft beds will give way to the hard surface of the earth, and your bodies will become food for worms. None of your relatives or friends would be able to render you any help, and you will have to depend purely on your own deeds. This world is a place where we are intransigent, and we, therefore, would be ready to go forward toward our final destination. While departing from this earth, we will be going alone towards the Eternal World.

12. DUNIYA SAY DIL LAGA KAR

Duniya say dil lagaa kar duniya say kya milay gaa
Yaaday Khudaa kiyay jaa tujhko Khudaa milay gaa

Dowlat ho yaa hookoomat taqaat ho yaa jawaanee
Harr cheese mitnay waalee harr cheese aanee jaanee
Yea sab gharoor ik din mittie may jaa milay gaa
Yaaday Khudaa kiyay jaa tujhko Khudaa milay gaa

Aataa nahee palat karr guzraa huwaa zamaana
Kya k'waab ka bharosa kya maut ka thikaana
You zindagi gawaakar kya faida milay gaa
Yaaday Khudaa kiyay jaa tujhko Khudaa milay gaa

Taqdeer jo dikhaa-ay choop chaap daykh taa chal
Imaan kay sahaaray naykee ka raasta chal
Iss raastay pay aakay harr raastaa milay gaa
Yaaday Khudaa kiyay jaa tujhko Khudaa milay gaa

MEANING

Be it wealth or be it power; be it strength or be it youth; everything will vanish. One day, your proud self will also lie in the bowels of the earth. Therefore, seek, and remember Allah, and you shall surely find Him. The past (i.e. the part of life that you have already lived) will never return, (except on the Day of Reckoning). Do you depend on dreams of longevity? Why waste your valuable existence O Mankind, on things that will not stay with you forever? If you do, you shall regret it as you will be a loser. So search for Allah, and you shall find Him. Disregard the evil inclinations of strength and wealth, and rather be quiet and patient; and with the aid of your Faith, seek the Path of Benevolence. This path, when found, will lead to the path of Righteousness. So fear Allah, remember Him, serve Him and you shall find Him.

11. DUUR KARDAY JO DEEN

Duur karday jo Deen aur Emaan say
Aisee shaan aisee azmat nahee chahiyyay
Mil ga-ee hai Nabi ki gulaamee mujhay
Ab zamaanay ki daulat nahee chahiyyay

Ai mayray chaaragarr mai woh bimaar hoo
Kay mujhko jhootee mussarrat nahee chahiyyay
Mayray dil may hai ishqay Muhammad ka gam
Mujhko dunya kee raahat nahee chahiyyay

Hai Madina idhar baaghay Jannat udharr
Aur phir ko-ee poochhay mayra faisla
Hai Madinay say aisee aqeedat mujhay
Saaf Kehduga Jannat nahee chahiyyay

Kitna pyara hai Anwar daray Mustafaa
Jo bhee jaataa hai karntaa hai yea iltij
Ai Rasoolay Khuda ab yahaa say mujhay
Waapsi ki ijaazat nahee chahiyyay

MEANING

As a Muslim I have learnt that love for the Prophet is sweeter than love for wealth and fame. Now, I am possessed with an illness which no physician can cure, and I no longer crave for life's conveniences. Due to this, I prefer to die in Madina above everything, and I pray that I will never separate from Madina and from the Prophet. (peace be on him)

13. CHIRAG DIL KAY JALAAO

Chirag dil kay jala-o kay Eid ka din hai
Taranay jhoom kay gaa-o kay Eid ka din hai
Chirag dil kay jala-o kay Eid ka din hai

Gammo ko dil say bhula-o kay Eid ka din hai
Gammo ko dil say bhula-o kay Eid ka din hai
Khushee say bazm saja-o kay Eid ka din hai

Wuzu say oos kee karo ab salaam kee yea dua
Wuzu nay oos kee karo ab salaam kee yea dua
Sarray neaz jhuka-o kay Eid ka din hai

Sabhee muraad ho pooree harr ake sawalee kee
Sabhee muraad ho pooree harr ake sawalee kee
Dua ko haath ootha-o kay Eid ka din hai

Chirag dil kay jala-o kay Eid ka din hai

MEANING

Kindle the light of your heart for Eid has come
Sing songs of joy and happiness for Eid has come
Banish your thoughts of depression and celebrate today.
Create an atmosphere of joy, and put your problems away.

Bow down your heads in gratefulness to God, not only for His favours, His boons and bounties, but for enabling us to witness the day of Eid which is here with us today.

Perform Ablution (wuzu) before making your Salaam or your Dua and bow your heads together with pride and dignity for today is the day of Eid.

We pray that all of our desires be fulfilled O God, as we raise our hands in Supplication to Thee, on this the day of Eid.

14. YAA ELAHI

Yaa Elaahi bay kaso ko sirf tayra aasra hai
Daamanay ummeed bharday ham gareebo kee dua hai

Chahiyay tayra karam bas tayree Rahmat ka sahaara
Ghair ka muhtaaj mat-rakh baa adab yea iltijaa hai
Daamanay ummeed bharday ham gareebo kee dua hai

Ahlai duniya chhoar doe tum raah jo shaitaan kee hai
Bas Khuda ka raasta hee saaf seedha raasta hai
Daamanay ummeed bharday ham gareebo kee dua hai

Sun sada mayree Muhammad Mustafaa ka waasta hai
Jinkee khaatir toonay Maula yea jahaa paidaa keeya hai
Daamanay ummeed bharday ham gareebo kee dua hai

MEANING

O Allah! for us helpless ones, You are the only shelter.
We pray that You will fulfil our hopes. Your Help and Mercy alone will suffice. Make us dependent on You alone. O People! shun the vanities of this world, for these are the devil's handiwork. The path of Allah is enough; it is the correct path to follow. Accept this prayer, O, Allah, through the medium of Your Apostle (peace be on him) for the sake of whose mission, Thou has created the Universe.

Momino waqtay rahmatay Rab hai
Ab woh maango jo dil ka matlab hai

Sab ko Rabbay Gaffoor dayta hai
Hai woh Daata zaroor dayta hai

Yoo karo arz ai karam waalay
Haath phailaa rahay hai gham waalay

Hai Gaffoor-ur Raheem Tayraa naam
Bakshna hai qadeem Tayraa kaam

Dard mando kay dukh may saath hai Tu
Kul ka hal lay mushkilaat hai Tu

Baat bigree hu-i banaata hai
Naa-o doobi huee taraata hai

Lay khabar ham tabah kaaro kee
Maghfaraat kar gunahgaaro kee

Haa dikha day bahaar jeenay kee
Ho ziaarat hamay Madinat kee

Ya Muhammad mai loo adam kee raah
Parhntay hee laa ilahaa ilallah

Jis qadar haazreenay mehfil ho
Sab kee ya Rab dua-ay haasil ho

Ai Khuda sadqa aalay Ahmad ka
Khatima ho bakhair Ummat ka

**Rabbay Salim Ala Rasoolullah
Marhaba, marhaba Rasoolullah
Bhayjo ay rab mayray daroodo salaam
Bargoozeeda nabi par apnay mudaam
Kalma ay laa ilaha ilallah
Hai Muhammad mayra Rasoolallah**

MEANING

O believers! this is the time for receiving the Lord's Mercy, so open your hearts to Him. Being the Creator and the Sustainer, He gives to everyone, you should call Him at all times for all your needs, desires and wishes.

O Allah! You are the Merciful and Forgiving, and Thou hast always been willing to answer our requests, and solve our difficulties and problems, which we have to face every now and then.

Have Mercy on us O Lord! for we are in need of Thy help all the time, and we beg you to forgive us for all the sins that we have committed, knowingly, or unknowingly.

Our greatest wish is to visit Madinah, the City of Thy Beloved, during our lifetime, soon. Hence we request Thee, O Allah! to enable us to reach there very soon. Please answer the request of all present here, and make us all to live like true Muslims. Moreover, at the time of our departure from this World, we should be reciting Kalma Tauheed.

Ya Nabi salaam alaika ya Rasool salaam alaika
Ya Habeeb salaam alaika Salawaatullah alaika

Sayyaday waala Muhammad saahibay Taaha Muhammad
Ai shahay bat-ha Muhammad salawatullah alaika

Haashimee tayra nasab hai ab Taha tayra laqab hai
Toohee hai shaahay Arab hai salawatullah alaika

Toohee hai rehbar hamaara sab ko hai tayra sahaara
Raham karr sab parr Khudaa-ra salawatullah alaika

Tumko ho raf-at mubaarak tumko ho hashmat mubaarak
Tumko ho ummat mubaarak salawatullah alaika

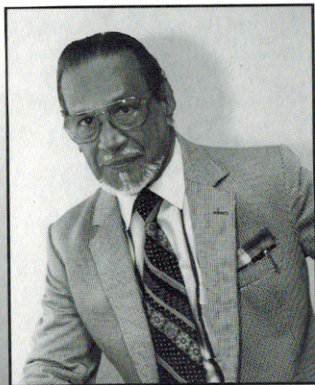
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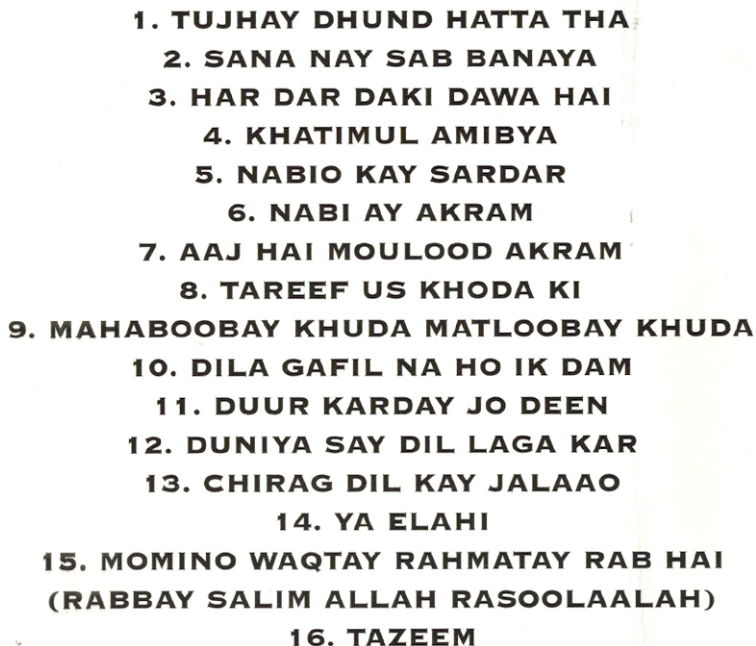
O Prophet peace be on you, O Messenger, peace be on you, O Beloved of Allah peace be on you, may the prayers of Allah be on you. You are the great leader, the one known as Taahaa, the King of Bathaa, May Allah's Blessings be on you. Congratulations to you, because of your status and honour in creation; congratulations to you for the great number of followers. You are our guide, and everyone follow your Traditions. O Merciful One! (Allah) have Mercy on us as You made Muhammad (peace be on him) the Mercy for all the worlds.

DEDICATED TO
THE SACRED MEMORY OF MY REVEREND FATHER
BARAICHEE AHMAD KHAN
AND MY LOVING MOTHER
"RABBIR-HAM-HUMAA KAMAA RABBA-YAANII SAGIIRAA"
(VERSE 24, SUURA 17 - QUR'AAN)

**"OH MY LORD! HAVE MERCY ON THEM BOTH EVEN AS OUT OF COM-
PASSION THEY DID LOOK AFTER ME, WHEN I WAS (A) LITTLE
(CHILD)."**

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(RABBAY SALIM ALLAH RASOOLAALAH)
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