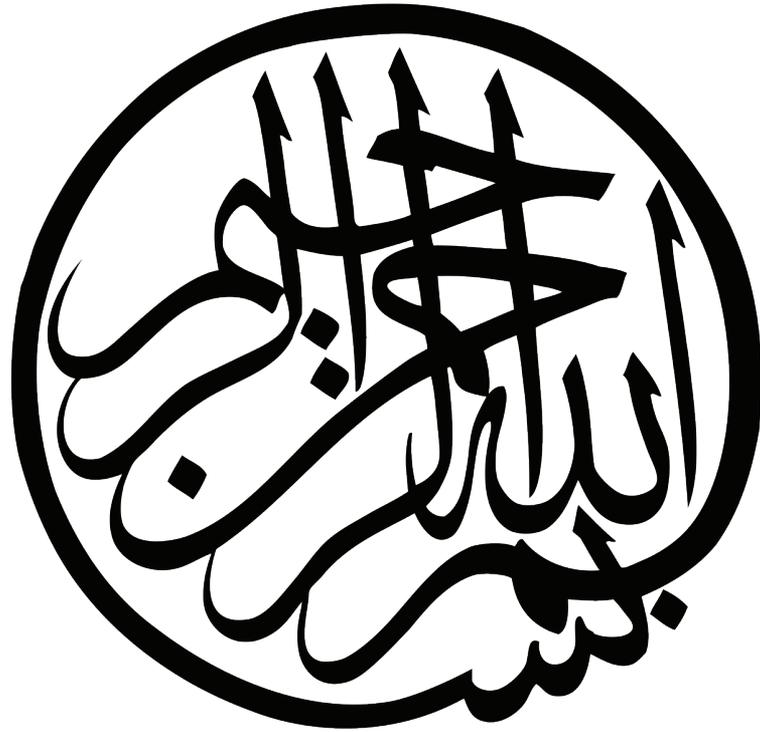
A scenic landscape at sunset with rolling green hills and a river. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm glow over the scene. The hills are covered in lush green grass, and a river flows through the valley. The sky is a mix of orange, yellow, and blue.

*ilove
you
so*

SONGS OF DIVINE INSPIRATION



*In the Name of God,
the One Who gives love to all, unconditionally,
the One Closer to us than our closest relatives*





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My Lord's Knowledge is Enough for Me (*Qad Kafani 'Ilmu Rabbi*)

translated by S. Karim

قصيدة (قد كفاني علم ربي) للإمام عبدالله الحداد رحمه الله

قد كفاني علم ربي من سُؤالي واختياري
فلهذا السرُّ أدعو في يساري وعساري
فَدُعائي وإبتهالي شاهدٌ لي بإفتقاري
أنا عبدٌ صارَ فخري ضمنَ فقري واضطري
قد كفاني علم ربي من سُؤالي واختياري
يا إلهي ومليكي أنتَ تعلمُ كيفَ حالي
فَتَدَارَكُنِي بِلُطْفٍ مِنْكَ يَا مَوْلَى الْمَوَالِي
وَبِمَا قَدَ حَلَّ قَلْبِي مِنْ هُمُومٍ وَاشْتِغَالِي
يا كَرِيمَ الْوَجْهِ غِثْنِي قَبْلَ أَنْ يَفْنَى اصْطِبَارِي
قد كفاني علم ربي من سُؤالي واختياري
يا سَرِيعَ الْغَوْثِ غَوْثاً مِنْكَ يُدْرِكُنِي سَرِيعاً
يا قَرِيباً يَا مُجِيباً يَا عَلِيماً يَا سَمِيعاً
يَهْزِمُ الْعُسْرَ وَيَأْتِي بِالَّذِي أَرْجُو جَمِيعاً
قَدَ تَحَقَّقَتْ بِعَجْزِي وَخُضُوعِي وَإِنْكَسَارِي
قد كفاني علم ربي من سُؤالي واختياري
لَمْ أَزَلْ بِالْبَابِ واقِفٌ فَارْحَمَنْ رَبِّي وَقُوفِي
وَلِحُسْنِ الظَّنِّ لَازِمٌ فَهُوَ خَلِّي وَحَلِيفِي
وَبِوَادِي الْفَضْلِ عاكِفٌ فَأَدِمْ رَبِّي عُكُوفِي
وَأَنِيسِي وَجَلِيسِي طَوَلَ لَيْلِي وَنَهَارِي
قد كفاني علم ربي من سُؤالي واختياري
حَاجَةً فِي النَّفْسِ يَا رَبِّ فَاقْضِهَا يَا خَيْرَ قَاضِي
فِي سُرُورٍ وَحُبُورٍ وَإِذَا مَا كُنْتَ رَاضِي
وَأَرِحْ سِرِّي وَقَلْبِي مِنْ لَظَاهَا وَالشُّوَاطِ
فَالهَنَا وَالْبَسْطُ حَالِي وَشِعَارِي وَدِثَارِي
قد كفاني علم ربي من سُؤالي واختياري

My Lord's Knowledge
Is so Complete,
It frees me of the need
To make a choice
Or my wants plead

My pleas and entreaties
Are just my way to say
How much I need Him

So this is why I pray
in hardship, and in ease:
I've discovered dignity in
being brought to my knees

O my Lord, my King,
You know my state
The worries, angst and fears,
This heavy crushing weight

Gentle One, rescue me, O Lord of all lords...
You Who is Giving
Save me
before my patience goes!

You are so swift to assist!
So assist me now
With a help so fine
It heals each wound of mine
and yet more:
brings all I could wish for!

O You Who is Close,
Who answers each call
You Who Knows, Who Hears all!

I'm out of strength
Against a wall

Nowhere else to come
But to Your Great Hall

So I stand at Your door;
Of Your Love I ask more
I've set up in the valley
Of your Grace
Forever may I stay in this bless'd place

I cling to my high hopes in You
To my trust that You are Kind:
That hope and trust
Like two dear friends,
Stay with me day and night

Deep inside
I've got this need
That Only You can meet.
My heart burns without cease
Needs Your gift of peace!

But what really matters
In all of this
Is if You are Pleased
And if it be,
It's enough for me
And what I really need!

Then joy will be my robe
And joy my outer cloak
Joy I'll drape all round me
For the entire world to see!



A Letter to the Beloved

by Henrik Yusuf Vierula

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

My Prophet Muhammad, I wrote you this verse,
For your good pleasure (and) to increase my thirst.

I love you, Muhammad, though these are just words,
I pray that our Lord adds the weight they deserve.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

For you're a Love Letter to me from our Lord,
To His Divine Presence, your love is the door.

Habibi Muhammad, I hold out my hand,
And ask your assistance, ya *Sayyidi madad*.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

By Allah's Good Fortune I'll compose this ode,
And pray that in writing my devotion grows.

And as He has Gathered us all in this place,
We pray on that Day to look upon your face.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

Following the steps of our predecessors,
I'll dedicate this to celebrating your birth.

For you Allah Created the Universe,
From your Light which is what He Created First.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

When our souls were all gathered before our Lord,
You promised to lead us back to Him restored.

And though in the world we've broken our word,
You taught us repentance and taught us to serve.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

O Seal of Prophets and also the First,
Light, while Adam was between water and Earth.

And as Revelation descended to Earth,
Your Light was transmitted through your ancestors.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

From Adam and Noah unto Abraham,
Carried with Ismael into the Hejaz.

From Safa to Marwa your grandmother ran,
And at her son's feet sprang the well of Zam-Zam.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

And through his descendants your essence was sent,
Adnan and Qusai and Abd Manaf were Blessed.

Then Hashim, Abdul-Mutallib, Abdallah,
To settle in the saintly womb of Amina.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

With love she nurtured your form as it developed,
And by your grace she was spared every discomfort.

In angelic visions, she learned she'd been chosen,
And she was instructed to “name him Muhammad ﷺ.”

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

And when the appointed time of your arrival was near,
Many signs appeared on the horizon,

That some recognized from the Torah and Bible,
And cried with such joy: “Ahmad’s star has been sighted!”

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

The sky was alight and the animals spoke;
The idols at the Kabba all fell down and broke.

In Persia the emperor’s palace collapsed;
The fire they worshipped for years, out at last.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

When your Mother was ready to deliver,
Heaven sent these Holy women to assist her;

Hawah and Sarah, Hajar, and Asiya,
And Maryam, mother of Sayyidina Issa.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

And angels all gathered and chanted your praise.
Such light filled the sky it was brighter than day.

And your aunt Saffiyah was granted a vision,
When that night she could see as far as Byzantium.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

And when you emerged circumcised from the womb,
Your Blessed face was brighter than the full moon.

You entered the world, your face in prostration,
Thanking Allah and: “my nation, my nation”.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam

Ya Nabi Salaam Alayka
Ya Rasul Salaam Alayka
Ya Habib Salaam Alayka
Salawatullah Alayka

Ya Muhammad, Mercy for all of Creation,
Please pray for us and grant us your Intercession.

Ya Muhammad, you are our hope for Salvation:
Please gaze upon us and upon all your nation.

Allahumma salli 'ala al-Mustafa, Habibina Muhammad 'alayhi salaam



By Your Love
by Henrik Yusuf Vierula

My Lord by Your love for the one whom You sent us, Let our hopes be fulfilled,
And forgive us our faults, You who Gives with abundance, and shelter us from ill.

And instill in our hearts the endurance to stand every test that You send our way,
And inspire us to trust that You'll take care of us, and Provide for us every day.

My Lord, as You've Gathered us here in this place and inspired us our hearts to pray,
We trust that You Hear and we know that You're Near, and will Be every step of the way.

Give faith to to wavering, strength to the weak, and let there be Peace in every home,
And feed all the needy, and heal all the sick by the Master of the Green Dome.

My Lord, though we've strayed and have broken our vows, let us not be deprived of Your Grace,
And allow us come and be cleansed by repentance and continue to seek Your Face.

May all of Your creatures find solace and shelter and sustenance in Your Name,
My Lord by Your love for the one whom you raised, let your Good pleasure be our aim.



Ya Rabbu ya Kareemu

Translated by S. Karim

يا رب يا كريم

O You Who cares for our every need,

O You Who treats us with such generosity

يا بر يا رحيم

O You Who is so Kind to us, O You Who is closer to us
than our closest loved one

يا حي يا قيوم

O You, the One Who is the Truly-Living, Who never dies, Giver of life,

O You Who sustains all and needs no sustenance!

يا من بنا رحيم

O You Who knows us best

يا رب يا كريم

O You Who cares for our every need,

O You Who treats us with such generosity

يا حي يا قيوم

O You, the One Who is the Truly-Living, Who never dies, Giver of life,

O You Who sustains all and needs no sustenance!

يا من بنا رحيم

O You Who is closer to us than our own family and loves us
even more than they

وفضله عميم

O You Whose blessings are so abundant that they reach everyone

يا سامع الدعاء

O You Who hears my every sigh

ورافع السماء

And You Who holds up the sky

ياذا العطاء الهتان

O You Who pours down Your abundance, without limit!

والجود والاحسان

O You Whose Generosity and Goodness are complete and perfect!

أصلح لنا السريرة

Repair and make good our interior beings

ونور البصيرة

And illuminate our inner sight

واصلح القلوبا

Heal our hearts!

واغفرلنا الذنوب

And forgive us our sins!

واسترلنا العيوب

Cover our shortcomings and faults

وأعطنا المحبوبا

And give us that which we wish for

وأكشف الكروبا

Remove all difficulties and depression

وأكفنا المرهوبا

Deal with what we fear so that we don't have to deal with it

أحسن كما أحسنت

Keep being good to us, as You have always been good to us!

واستر كما سترتا

Continue to cover our faults as You have always covered our faults!

وزدکما قد زدتا

And give us more as You have always given us more!

وجد کما قد جدتا

And give us more and more good,

As You have always given us so much good!

أتمم بما أنعمتا

Complete the blessings You have blessed us with!

وما به مننتا

And make the generosity You've shown us flow on forever

واحفظ لما أكرمتا

And keep for us the blessings You have honoured us with

به وما عرفتا

And protect for us the knowledge You have ennobled us with

واختم لنا بالحسنى

And when my time comes to die, let me go beautifully

يا رب واعف عنا

O You Who cares for me, forgive me

فإننا ظلمنا

For truly I have done myself wrong

انفوسنا وخنا

Betrayed and fallen short of my true calling

نقول باللسان

I say with my tongue

ما ليس في الجنان

Good things that I don't even have in my heart

ونظهر الاحسان

I show the world a picture of uprightness

ونخفي البهتان

And between myself and I, I'm full of lies

نأمر بما لا نعمل

I tell people to do what I don't do

وناتي ما لا نجهل

And I do things I can't claim to not know are wrong

احساننا مساوي

The best of what I think I'm doing is actually sinful in nature

وصدقنا دعاوي

And my highest level of sincerity is but a boastful claim

نراي للخلائق

I take care to stay in the good books of people

وللورى نناق

And I am actually two-faced

يا ربنا اعترفنا

O my Loving Lord, I admit fully

بأننا اقترفنا

That I have done wrong

يا ربنا اعترفنا

O my Lord I admit

بأننا اقترفنا

That I have done wrong

وأننا أسرفنا

And that I've wasted

على لظى أشرفنا

The blessing You have honoured me with

فتب علينا توبة

So redeem me with a total redemption

تغسل كل حوبه

That washes away every sin

واسترلنا العوراتي
And cover my shortcomings
وآمن الروعاتي
And assuage all my fears
واغفر لوالدينا
Forgive my parents
ربي وموليدينا
O Lord, and all our children

والاهل والاخواني
And our spouses and brothers and sisters
وسائر الخلاني
And every cherished friend
وكل ذي محبه
And each and every loved one
أوجيرة اوصحبة
And all our neighbors and acquaintances

والمسلمين أجمع
And every single Muslim
آمين ربي اسمع
Amen, O Lord, hear our plea
فضلا وجودا منا
By Your Kindness and Goodness to us
لا باكتساب منا
Not by our having earned it

بالمصطفى الرسول
In the name of the Chosen One, the Apostle
نحظى بكل سؤل
We present to You every plea

صلى وسلم ربي
Reach to him with blessings and peace, O Lord
عليه عد الحب
Equal to every seed and particle

وآله والصحب
And the same upon his Companions
عداد طش السحب
Equal the drops of rain coming from heavy clouds
والحمد للإله
All praise be to God
في البدء والتناهي
At the beginning and at the end

حمدا كثيرا دائم
Abundant and ever ongoing praise
ما هبت النسائم
For as long as sweet breezes blow



Ya Rabbu ya Kareemu

Adapted by Farris Abu Rishah

*Allahu ya Allahu Allahu ya 'aleemu
'allimna ma yanfa'aunna
Wa anfa'a bima 'allamtana*

Oh You who cares for our every need
Who treats us with generosity

Oh You who is so kind to us
Who's closer than our families

Oh You, the truly living
Who never dies, all life giving

Sustaining all eternally
Alone, You need no one to be

Oh You Who hears our every sigh
And You Who's holding up the sky

Whose grace is pouring constantly
Limitless till eternity

Repair all of our faults inside
Illuminate our inner sight

And all our hearts completely heal
And all our faults, please don't reveal

And be for us like You have been
And give like You've always given

And bless us like You've always blessed
In prayer allow our hearts to rest

And teach us like You've always taught
Your loved ones and preserved their thought

And give us tools to understand
And drink from Your Prophet's hand

And gift us clear discernment
Spiritual refinement

Allow our minds and hearts to see
Your Way sent down through Prophecy

And gift us the wisdom to teach
His way, allowing it to reach

The hearts of Your creation
To bring them their salvation

And when this life comes to an end
Remind us You're our Closest Friend

And fill our hearts with hope in You
Revealing gifts we never knew

And show us Ahmad standing there
Ahmad right there, smiling
Waiting to welcome us to You
With arms wide open



Rabbi sali 'ala an-Nabi

by Abudllah Quilliam (1896),

adapted by Henrik Yusuf Vierula

chorus:

Rabbi sali 'ala an-Nabi

Shafi'inaa Ahmad

Sali Rabbi 'ala an-Nabi

Mawlana Muhammad

The one to whom the stones would speak
The mountains would whimper with love
To feel his touch the trees would weep
Muhammad Prophet of God

(chorus)

When dark grew our forgetful hearts
The Sun of Guidance rose
To mend our hearts and heal our woes
Oh Mercy to the worlds

(chorus)

To Bless the nations of the world
Most surely thou wast raised
We'll sing thy praises ever more
Our Mustapha the Praised

(chorus)

We watch with gentle fostering care
The seed that thou has sown
And trust to hear the world declare
God's Prophet as its own



We're standing here right at Your door

by Farris Abu Rishah

اللهم صل على المصطفى اللهم صل على المصطفى
اللهم صل على المصطفى النبي الرسالة وبحر الوفا
أتيناك بالفقر يا ذا الغنى وأنت الذي لم تزل محسنا
وعودتنا كل فضل عسى يدوم الذي منك عودتنا

We're standing here right at Your door
In deep and utter need
And You're the One, the only One
Who meets our every need
You've brought us here expecting good
And now we can't help but
feel hopeful that Your love remains
And all the good will last

A thought has been recurring here
What did we ever do?
Do we deserve to stand up here
All night talking to You?
We know, we fully know our sins
We know that You have seen
us, but You have decided to
Bring all of us back here

What words to use? What acts to do?
To show You how we feel
Can we express what's deep inside?
A dream? Or is it real?
We want to thank You but we know
That thanking is a gift

How can we ever pay You back?
We have nothing to give

This brings us back to what we said
We're standing here in need
But now we know, we'll always be
Of You, in dire need
And let the one who thinks we're here
In need enduring pain
Come spend a night or two with us
Then try to walk away

The path seems like it's difficult
When looking from outside
From here it feels like paradise
Why don't you come inside?
We have a Prophet taking care
Of every single need
Concerned for us, He feels our pain
He'd bleed before we bleed

Muhammad working through our guides
There are but few who see
There's none who call to God but him
And that's reality
So send your love and ask your Lord
To send upon him peace
And know that he will do the same
And that's the point, you see?

And don't forget his Family
The ones who show his way
May God shower them all with love
Whenever branches sway
And his Companions always stood
With him until the end
They made him smile, with them he cried
He was their only friend



Of You my Lord I'm asking

Of you my Lord I'm asking
The gaze of Your affection

To lift all my afflictions
And heal me from depression

(Group Chorus)

*Of You our Lord we're asking
The gaze of Your affection*

*To cure all our diseases
And heal us from depression*

Who else but You to go to
Escaping this stagnation

To start living with purpose
To reach my destination

And You're the One and Only
And all else is illusion

So please I beg of You Lord
Dissolve me in my mission

To do my job with beauty
Beyond imagination

With discipline and courage
From You my inspiration

With clarity of purpose
And mountain-high intentions

Without seeing my actions
To You my full direction

Right here and now in this place
With saints in meditation

And on these sacred days
When millions get their salvation

Directly under my guides
Receiving medication

It's now oh my dear Lord
That I'll start my transformation

When we reflect on the good
That we have been exposed to

And think of the one God chose
To pass His gifts to us through

Muhammad, our dear master
Our source of revelation

A gift from God to us all
Preceding this creation

When we reflect on the good
That we have been exposed to

And think of the one God chose
To pass His gifts to us through

Jesus, our dear master
Our source of revelation

A gift from God to us all
Preceding this creation

When we reflect on the good
That we have been exposed to

And think of the one God chose
To pass His gifts to us through

Moses, our dear master
Our source of revelation

A gift from God to us all
Preceding this creation

When we reflect on the good
That we have been exposed to

And think of the one God chose
To pass His gifts to us through

Ibrahim, our dear master
Our source of revelation

A gift from God to us all
Preceding this creation

When we reflect on the good
That we have been exposed to

And think of the one God chose
To pass His gifts to us through

Noah, our dear father
Our source of revelation

A gift from God to us all
Preceding this creation

When we reflect on the good
That we have been exposed to

And think of the one God chose
To pass His gifts to us through

Adam, our dear master
Our source of salvation

A gift from God to us all
Preceding this creation

When we reflect on the good
That we have been exposed to

And think of the one God chose
To pass His gifts to us through

Adam, our dear teacher
The source of our salvation

A gift from God to us all
Preceding this creation

Here at the gates of Your grace
We stand in expectation

That every wound from childhood
receives Your ministration

And that You'll take us by the hand to
the source of illumination

Muhammad, Beloved
The Best of all Creation
Our means to restoration
The way to elevation

Of You our Lord we're asking
A gaze of reconnection

By which the anxious, fearful hearts
Find peace in their own mission

Of You our Lord we're asking
A gaze of reconnection

By which those truly seeking
Can taste Your deep affection



Finding Hope

by Farris Abu Rishah

CHORUS

La ilaha il Allah
La ilaha il Allah
La ilaha il Allah
Sayyidi Rasul Allah
La ilaha il Allah
La ilaha il Allah
La ilaha il Allah
Muhammad Rasul Allah
La ilaha il Allah
La ilaha il Allah
La ilaha il Allah
Sayyidi Rasul Allah
La ilaha il Allah
La ilaha il Allah
La ilaha il Allah
Muhammad Rasul Allah

Finally I can see again
I really wish I could just explain
The deep sense of gratitude I feel
Now flowing through my veins

Overtaking the void inside
That was causing this deep divide
I feel whole and I haven't been for years
Seeing You here by my side

CHORUS

How could I have been so blind
All I needed was to rewind
The scenes of my life's history
To see exactly what I need to find

To see You've been there all along
So happy that I've been so wrong
To think You left me be so long ago
But now I see that I still belong

I belong to You Alone
I forgot but I should have known
That You're the One Who has been guiding me
And You're the One Who will take me home

CHORUS

So if you ever find yourself
Being drawn into this despair
And you see all your plans and hopes
Evaporate into thin air

Then take the path to the ones who strove
Until their hearts became aware
That God has never left His Kingdom
He shall one day all repair

And say: CHORUS

And if the state of humankind
Keeps on leaving you in doubt
And you see people walking blindly,
Clueless, 'what's it all about?'

Pretending everything is perfect,
Yet internally they shout,
Then connect to those who've found the keys
So they can break you out

And say: CHORUS

And if you find that those around you
Seem to always bring you down
And every time you are around them
You fall face down on the ground

Then you might just have to consider
That it's time to turn around
And seek the ones who'll walk with you
Until your purpose has been found

And say: CHORUS

When the threat of evil comes
Yet there's no strength to carry on
When you feel the devil whisper
That his battle has been won

Spreading fear with all his lies
That all is lost and all is gone
The light of faith inside your heart
Will call you gently to the One

And say: CHORUS

Finally I can see again
I really wish I could just explain
The deep sense of gratitude I feel
Now flowing through my veins

Overtaking the void inside
That was causing this deep divide
I feel whole and I haven't been for years
Seeing You here by my side



Ahmad's Seerah

by Farris Abu Rishch

بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم
الحمد لله رب العالمين

صل يا ربنا
صل يا مولانا
صل وسلم دائماً ابدا
على حبيبك خير الخلق كلهم
على حبيبك خير الخلق كلهم

Bless him oh our Lord
Keep on blessing oh dear Lord
Bring a smile to his face, keep filling up his heart with joy
He's our guide, he's our saviour, like a father to us all
Bless his friends, his companions, and his family bless them all

We're here in gratitude
Being raised in certitude
Spirits flying high above the clouds increasing altitude
Seeing God's grace descend upon all corners of the earth
Everything in celebration of the day of Ahmad's birth

With Aminah it starts
A feeling deep within her heart
Could I be carrying the one who saves humanity?
We've been hearing that the chosen one is coming in our time
Oh what grace I've been blessed with if that honor's to be mine

Khadijah she could see
He's special, certainly
Could he be the chosen one mentioned in Christianity?

If it's so, here's my hand I'll walk with you until the end
I'll be your wife, your companion, count on me to be your friend

All visions you would see
Became reality

Is it possible you're next in line to follow Ibrahim?
Everywhere stones would greet you as the messenger of God
Is it just a thought? No there's no denying, things are way too odd

Then solitude you crave
You find solace in the cave
Seeking God, seeking answers, asking Him to show the way
Spending days in meditation, like your fathers did before
You're expecting an answer now, it cannot be much more

Your yearning at its peak
No-o desire to speak
In a moment of darkness all alone he then appears
An embrace of angel that no other man can bear
Thrice "recite," he demands then he releases you to hear

Words from the divine
You could sense them in your spine
By His name The Creator you're commanded to recite
In His name The Most Generous His speech flows into you
By the pen humankind was taught that which they never knew

Powerful yet sweet
Absorbing all your heat
Down the mountain you run home, asking her to cover you
It's the weight you've been given, everything is now confirmed
Every Jinn and every human's fate will now rest in your hands

Cautiously and slow
You start with those you know
AbuBakr then proves himself he doesn't hesitate
An expression of faith that still today will elevate
Every heart that's connected to him by raising its state

Ali and Bilal
Khadijah, Fatimah
And the others who joined you first, the structures of this faith
In their hearts you laid the foundations which you built upon
Every matter of weight for generations yet to come

In Makkah there was strife
Then threats against your life
As the message spread out the people started to divide
Those who loved you, those who hated you, and those who were confused
There were those who believed and there were those who still refused

Your friends enduring pain
The message under strain
You could see that you needed somewhere else to emigrate
A new home that you could build into a beacon of light
Calling out to the world giving victory to what's right

You head out on your own
To find us our new home
Then in Ta'if you're subjected to every kind of pain
In good patience you go on, there's only one thing on your mind
If your Lord is content with you, you'll leave all pain behind

Next day right before dawn
You wake up, all pain is gone
You look up and see him standing there, magnificent and bright
A graceful creature humbly waiting, he then bends for you to mount
You're about to take a journey with too many gifts to count

You're carried through the night
So gently by His might
In the distance far away you start to see pillars of light
You feel honoured when you learn it's where God's Prophets prayed before
You feel a strong connection to them yearning to see them much more

As if it's all been planned
You walk inside and there they stand
Every prophet, every messenger is waiting there for you
You're now standing in Jerusalem, about to lead them all
It's the finest congregation that the angels can recall

Now you must depart
Your next journey is about to start
Every barrier in creation for you now will be removed
The seven heavens and beyond with Gabriel you shall traverse
Then he'll stop and you'll go on, you'll meet our Lord and then converse

Transcendent is He
A meeting we can't possibly
Even start to conceive how really intimate and sweet
Just to know that the All-Mighty summoned you to Him right there
A state so high that no creation has ever even come near

You're back at home so fast
As if no time has passed
Your companions will be tested, how strong do they believe?
AbuBakr then reveals how deeply rooted is his trust
It seems there's nothing you can tell this man, that causes him mistrust

A seed by God is sown
As if He wants it to be known
That His chosen prophet never will be left all alone
He chooses Hamza to give victory, and through him gives a sign
That I'm the only One with power and all triumph will be Mine

Then to reinforce
His victory is still in force
An unexpected series of events brings Omar to your door
A man of power from Quraish, he's had a sudden change of heart
Everyone's about to witness one heavenly work of art

Thirteen years you can count
Since that day up on the mount
You've been calling, guiding and refining, now it's time to go
After taking every measure, trying every single tribe
It's the people of Madinah, that God's chosen to revive

Now you're at the door
All your friends had left before
It's your turn now to leave this place and head to the unknown
It's the only home you've ever known the memories rush by
You take a step in the name of God and head into the night

Madinah's now in sight
AbuBakr to your right
You're about to take a step inside and alter history
You see the crowds running to you, they're all chanting joyfully
It's a moment of true joy echoing eternally

طلع البدر علينا
من ثنيات الوداع
وجب الشكر علينا ... ما دعا لله داع
أيها المبعوث فينا ... جئت بالأمر المطاع
جئت شرفت المدينة ... مرحبا يا خير داع

Your first advice is peace
To spread the peace with words of ease
To share their meals, and strengthen their connections with their families
To stand up during the night while other people lay asleep
A peaceful entrance to the heavens is the fruit that they will reap

Community of love
Protected from above
Each companion could believe that he's the one most loved by you
A blend of love and devotion curing every single heart
There's no other man in history producing better art

Creating brotherhoods
Brotherhoods and sisterhoods
Real relationships rooted in faith, dissolving enmity
Had it not been for you, they'd still be fighting endlessly
Prisoners in the jail of vengeance, no end to be seen

You came and broke the door
And prison walls down to the floor
Their souls roam freely now, expressing love, the barriers have come down
Those once opposed right now are brothers, sharing everything they own
A newfound feeling of belonging based on love for God alone

Their purposes unite
To end all darkness through your light
They each find meaning now, the way is clear, each one can see his fight
The rich through giving, strong through building, and the glue that holds it all
Are the weak ones in prostration to the One who knows it all
Are the ones in desperation, facing Him who knows it all

This life they all transcend
Knowing it all one day will end
They see beyond their needs, themselves, and turn to you, their only friend
They give it all to you, and in return, with love, He turns to them
Their lives flash by, right there before their eyes, they see, it all makes sense

Their sorrows disappear
Joy and hope replacing fear
Each sees their story now, how it became, a chapter in your book
They're your companions and have always been the ones there by your side
Standing there by you all witnessing the turning of the tide

Then your final smile
Right before you close this file
Your work is finally done, it's time to rest, the wait is over now
You choose to go to Him. The way is clear. The trust you have passed on
Your students now have learned to hold it up, the banner of the One







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