Dua before the Eid Prayer

The supplication recited before the Eid prayers, binding the festival's joy to God's praise and forgiveness.

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اللَّهُمَّ مَنْ تَهَيّا فِي هٰذَا ٱلْيَوْمِ

allahumma man tahayya'a fe hadha alyawmi

O Allah, if one, on this day, prepares oneself,

2

اوْ تَعَبَّا اوْ اعَدَّ وَٱسْتَعَدَّ

aw ta`abba'a aw a`adda wa ista`adda

takes pains, gets ready, or prepares oneself

3

لِوِفَادَةٍ إِلَىٰ مَخْلُوقٍ

liwifadatin ila makhluqin

to visit another one,

4

رَجَاءَ رِفْدِهِ وَنَوَافِلِهِ

raja'a rifdihe wa nawafilihe

hoping for his aid, gifts,

5

وَفَوَاضِلِهِ وَعَطَايَاهُ

wa fawazilihe wa `atayahu

benefits, and grants;

6

فَإِنَّ إِلَيْكَ يَاسَيِّدِي تَهْيِئَتِي وَتَعْبِئَتِي

fa inna ilayka ya sayyide tahyi'ate wa ta`bi'ate

for You alone, my Lord, is my readiness, preparations,

7

وَإِعْدَادِي وَٱسْتِعْدَادِي

wa i`dade wa isti`dade

taking pains, training, and inclination

8

رَجَاءَ رِفْدِكَ وَجَوَائِزِكَ

raja'a rifdika wa jawa'izika

in the hope of gaining Your aid, gifts,

9

وَنَوَافِلِكَ وَفَوَاضِلِكَ

wa nawafilika wa fawazilika

grants, benefits,

10

وَفَضَائِلِكَ وَعَطَايَاكَ

wa faza'ilika wa `atayaka

bounties, and donations.

11

وَقَدْ غَدَوْتُ إِلَىٰ عِيدٍ مِنْ اعْيَادِ امَّةِ نَبِيِّكَ مُحَمَّدٍ

wa qad ghadawtu ila `edin min a`yadi ummati nabiyyika muhammadin

I find myself celebrating one of the feasts commemorated by the nation of Your Prophet, Muhammad,

12

صَلَوَاتُ ٱللَّهِ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَىٰ آلِهِ

salawatu allahi `alayhi wa `ala alihe

blessings of Allah be upon him and his Household.

13

وَلَمْ افِدْ إِلَيْكَ ٱلْيَوْمَ بِعَمَلٍ صَالِحٍ

wa lam afid ilayka alyawma bi`amalin salihin

I have not come to You, today, carrying a righteous deeds

14

اثِقُ بِهِ قَدَّمْتُهُ

athiqu bihe qaddamtuhu

that I may trust to present before You

15

وَلاَ تَوَجَّهْتُ بِمَخْلُوقٍ امَّلْتُهُ

wa la tawajjahtu bimakhluqin ammaltuhu

nor have I introduced a creature as my interceder before You;

16

وَلكِنْ اتَيْتُكَ خَاضِعاً

wa lakin ataytuka khazi`an

rather, I submissively draw near You

17

مُقِرّاً بِذُنُوبِي وَإِسَاءَتِي إِلَىٰ نَفْسِي

muqiran bidhunube wa isa'ate ila nafse

confessing of my wrongdoings and my offenses to myself.

18

فَيَا عَظِيمُ يَا عَظِيمُ يَا عَظِيمُ

faya `azemu ya `azemu ya `azemu

So, O All-great, O All-great, O All-great,

19

ٱغْفِرْ لِيَ ٱلْعَظِيمَ مِنْ ذُنُوبِي

ighfir liya al`azema min dhunube

(please) forgive my grave wrongdoings,

20

فَإِنَّهُ لاَ يَغْفِرُ ٱلذُّنُوبَ ٱلْعِظَامَ إِلاَّ انْتَ

fa innahu la yaghfiru aldhdhunuba al`izama illa anta

for, verily, no one can forgive serious transgressions save You.

21

يَا لاَ إِلٰهَ إِلاَّ انْتَ

ya la ilaha alla anta

O He save Whom there is no god!

22

يَا ارْحَمَ ٱلرَّاحِمِينَ

ya arhama alrrahimena

O most Merciful of all the merciful!