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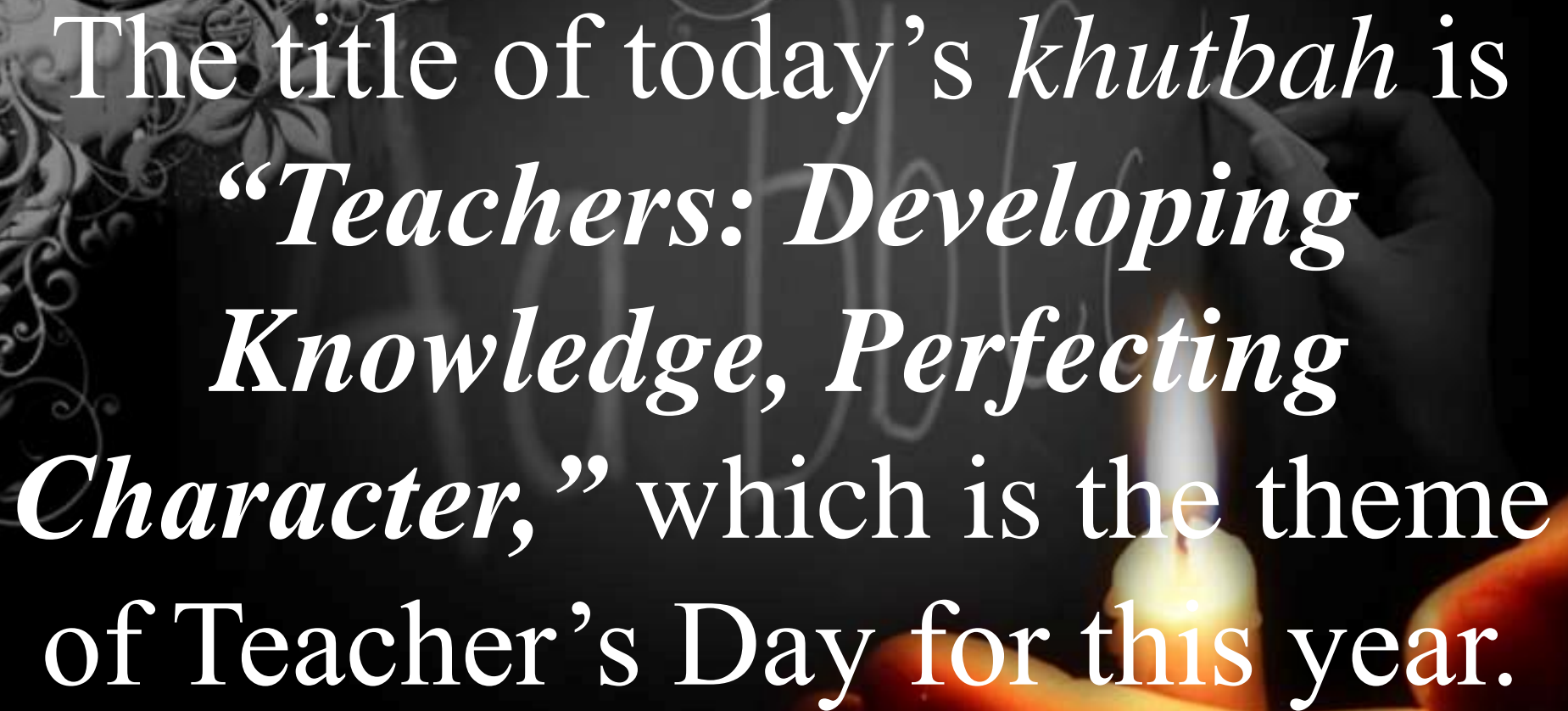
**TEACHERS:**  
**DEVELOPING**  
**KNOWLEDGE,**  
**PERFECTING**  
**CHARACTER**



Let us strive to increase our *taqwa* of Allah *Subhaanahu Wata'aala* by fulfilling all of His Commands and avoiding all of His prohibitions. May we all become among His

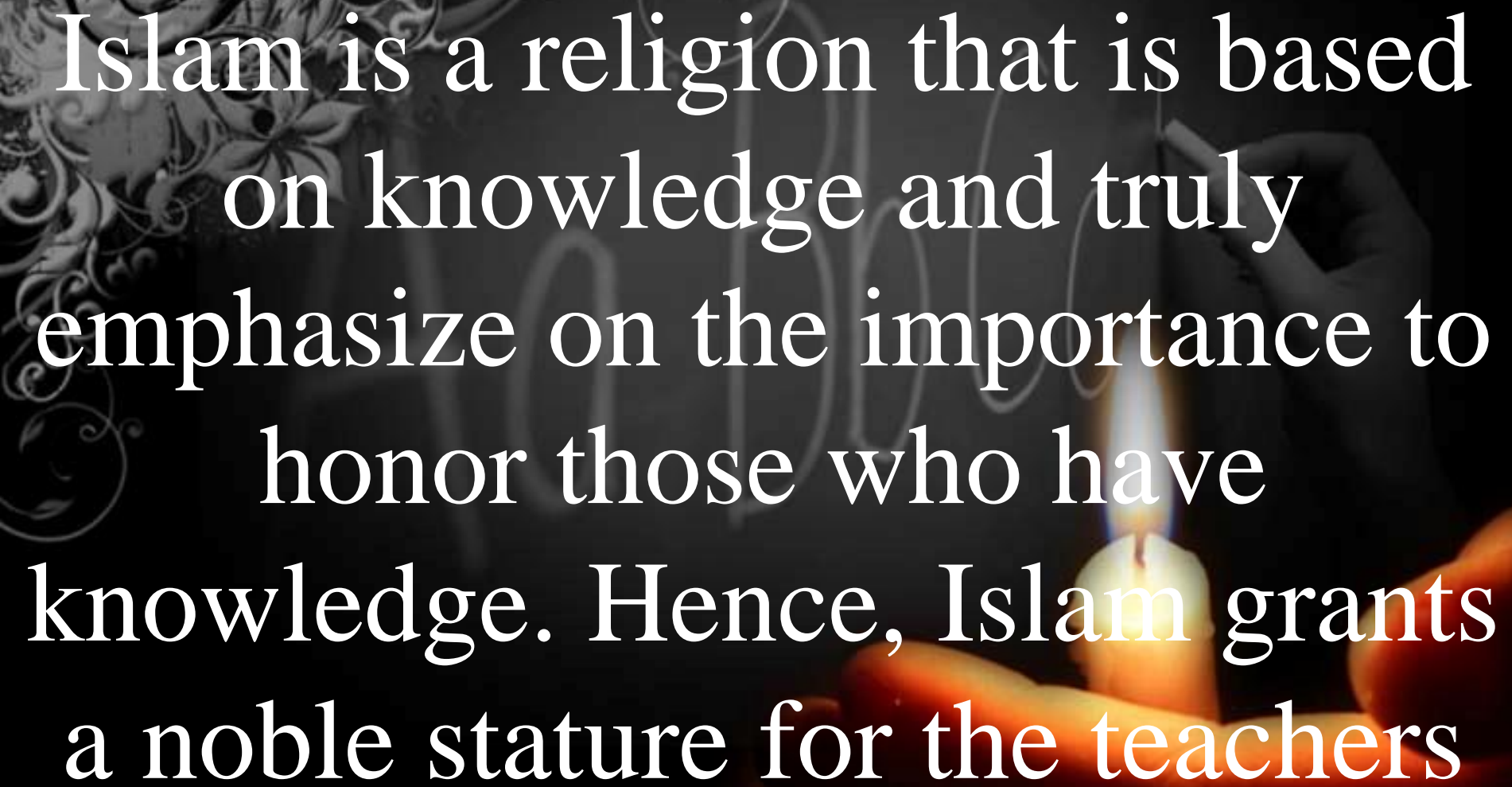
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slaves that truly attain the  
mercy, love, and protection  
of Allah *Subhaanahu*  
*Wata'aala.*

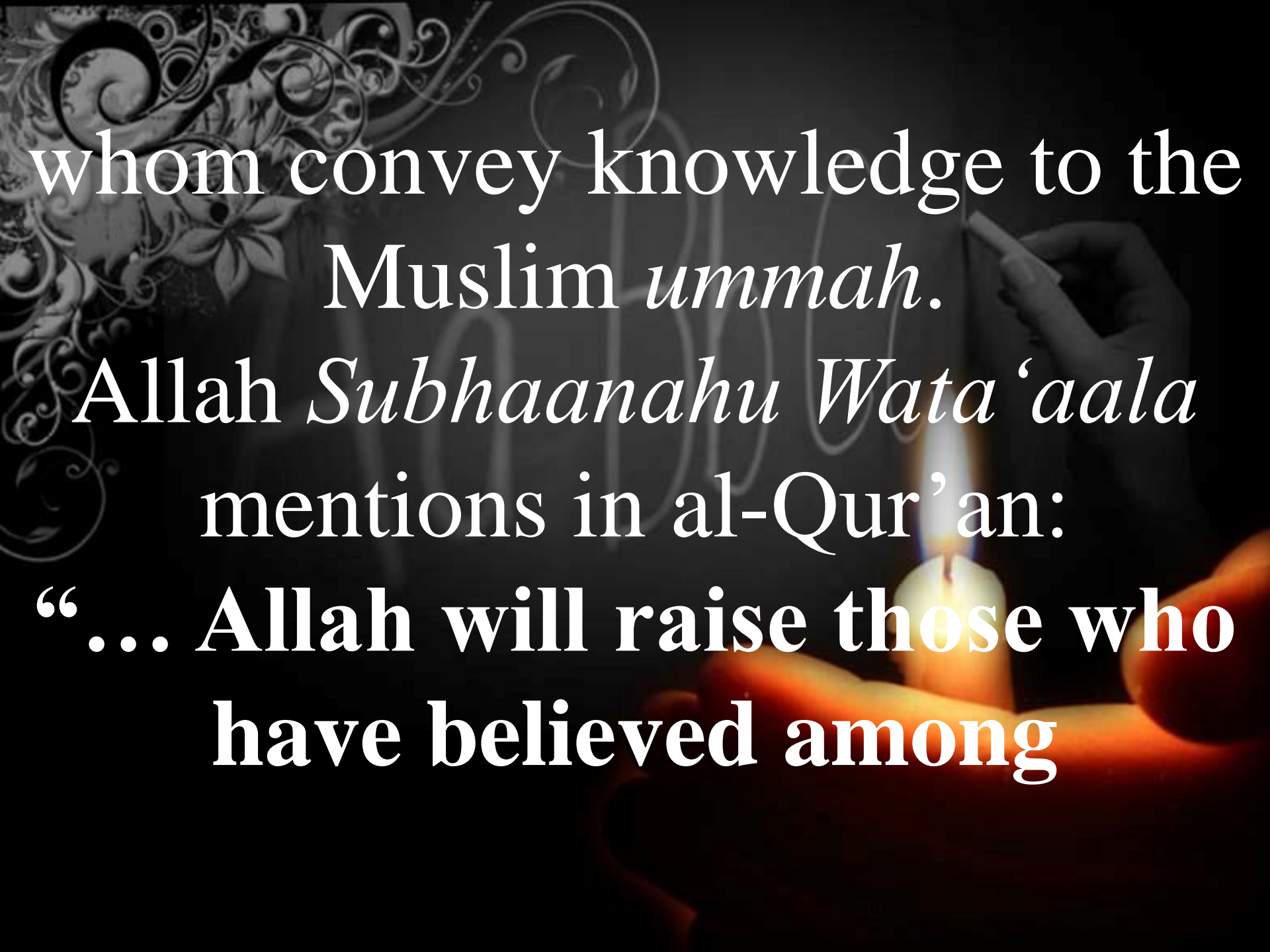
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The title of today's *khutbah* is  
*“Teachers: Developing  
Knowledge, Perfecting  
Character,”* which is the theme  
of Teacher’s Day for this year.



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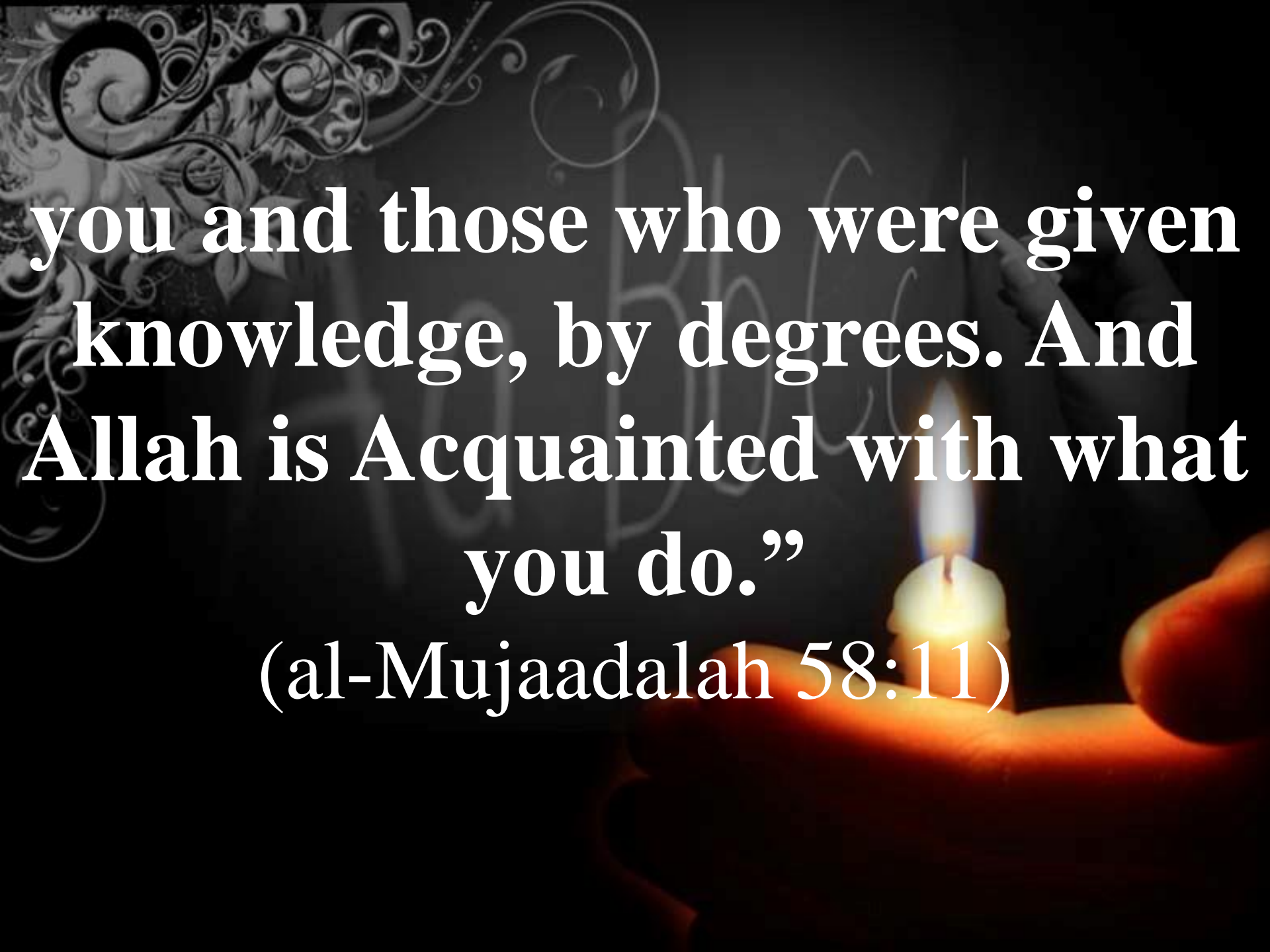
Islam is a religion that is based on knowledge and truly emphasize on the importance to honor those who have knowledge. Hence, Islam grants a noble stature for the teachers



whom convey knowledge to the  
Muslim *ummah*.

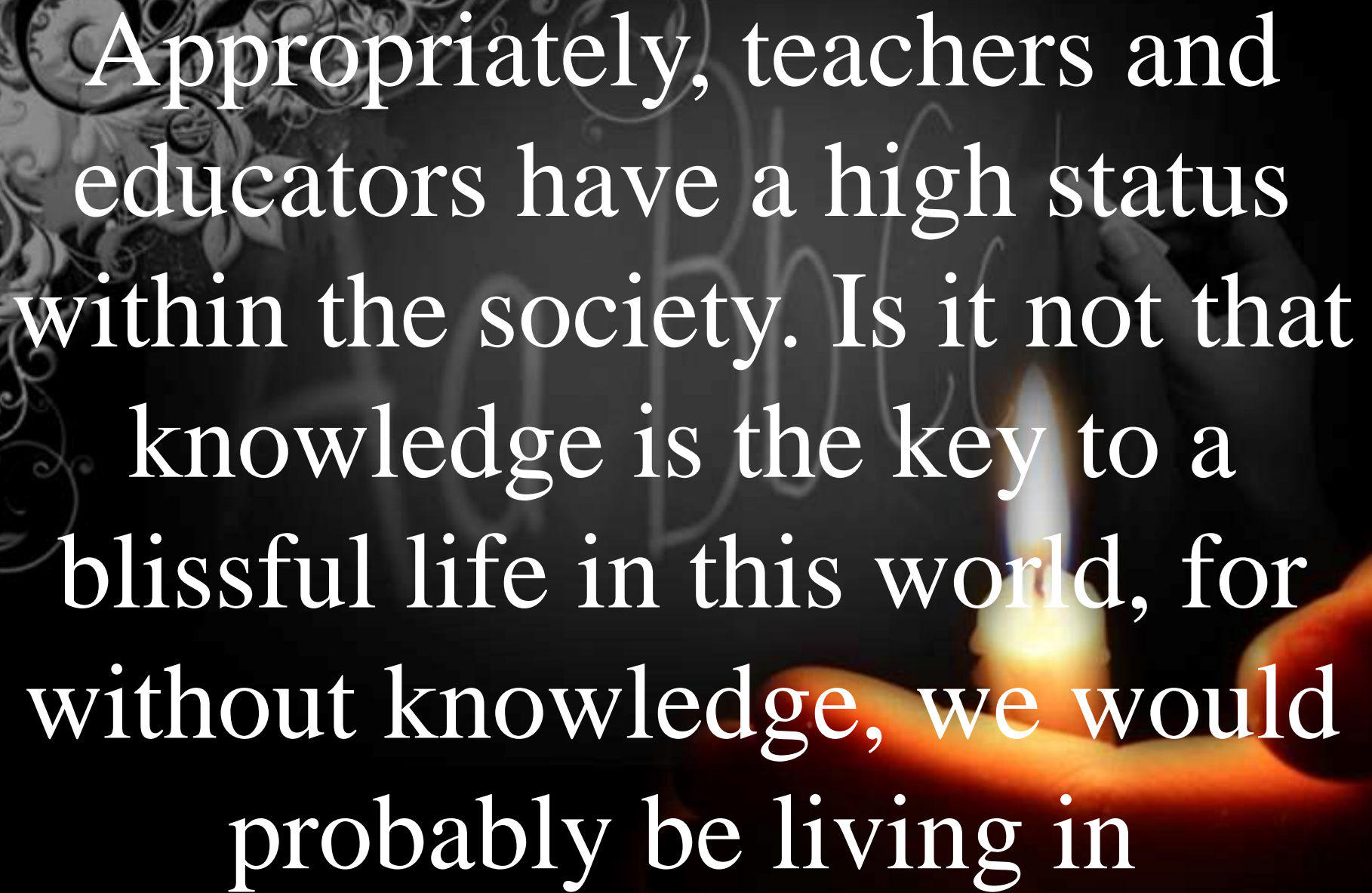
Allah *Subhaanahu Wata'aala*  
mentions in al-Qur'an:

**“... Allah will raise those who  
have believed among**

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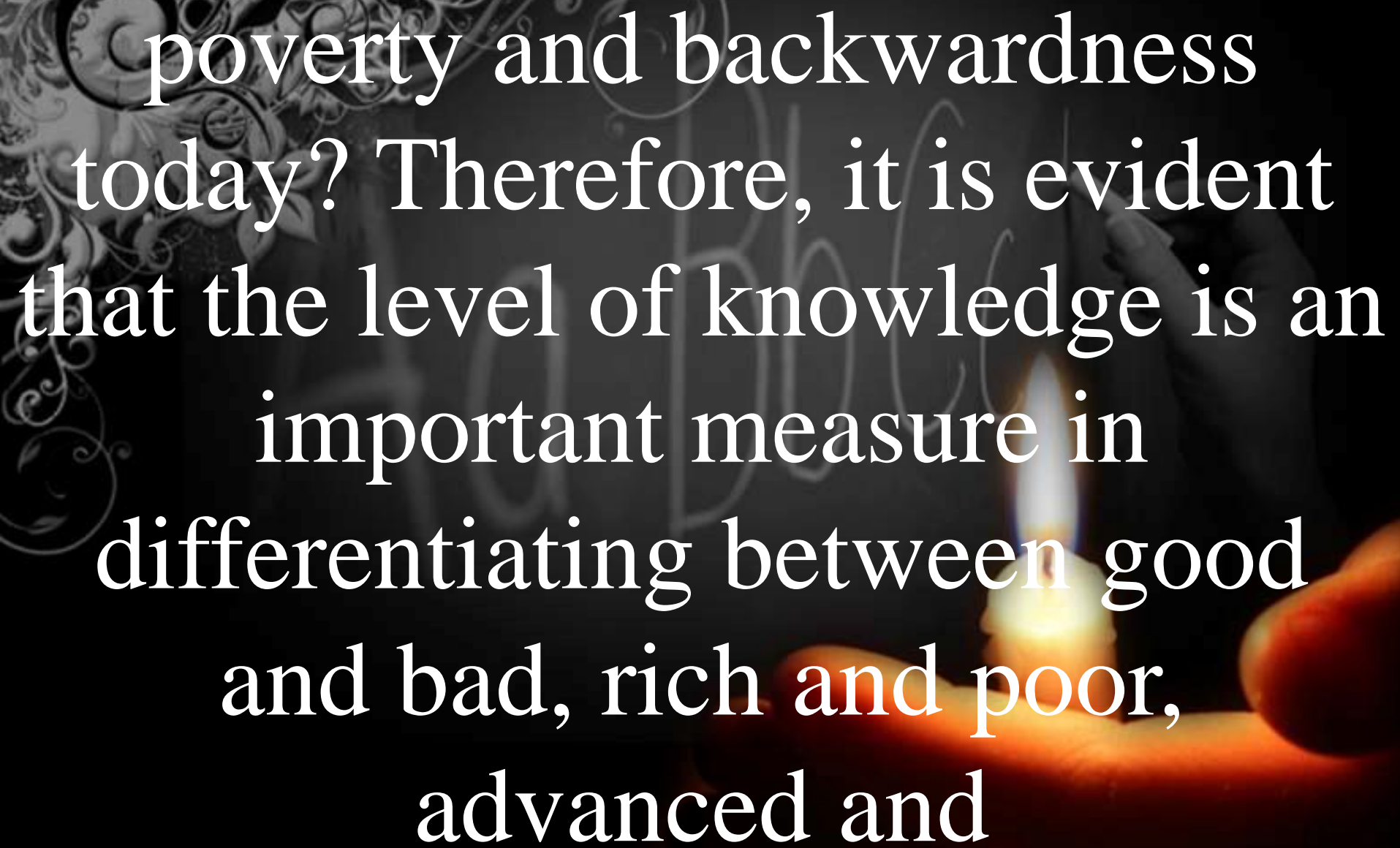
**you and those who were given  
knowledge, by degrees. And  
Allah is Acquainted with what  
you do.”**

**(al-Mujaadalah 58:11)**

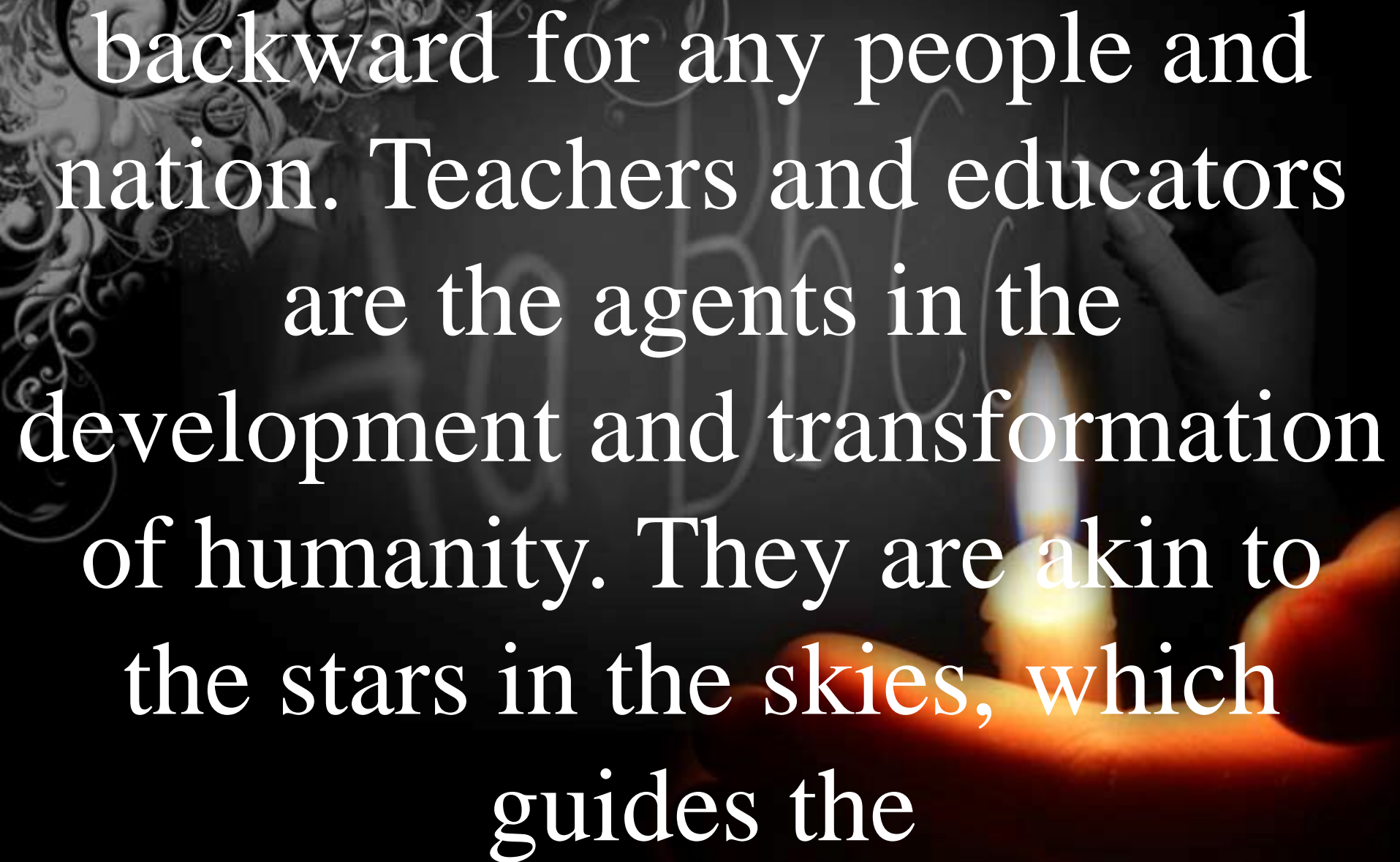


Appropriately, teachers and educators have a high status within the society. Is it not that knowledge is the key to a blissful life in this world, for without knowledge, we would probably be living in





poverty and backwardness  
today? Therefore, it is evident  
that the level of knowledge is an  
important measure in  
differentiating between good  
and bad, rich and poor,  
advanced and

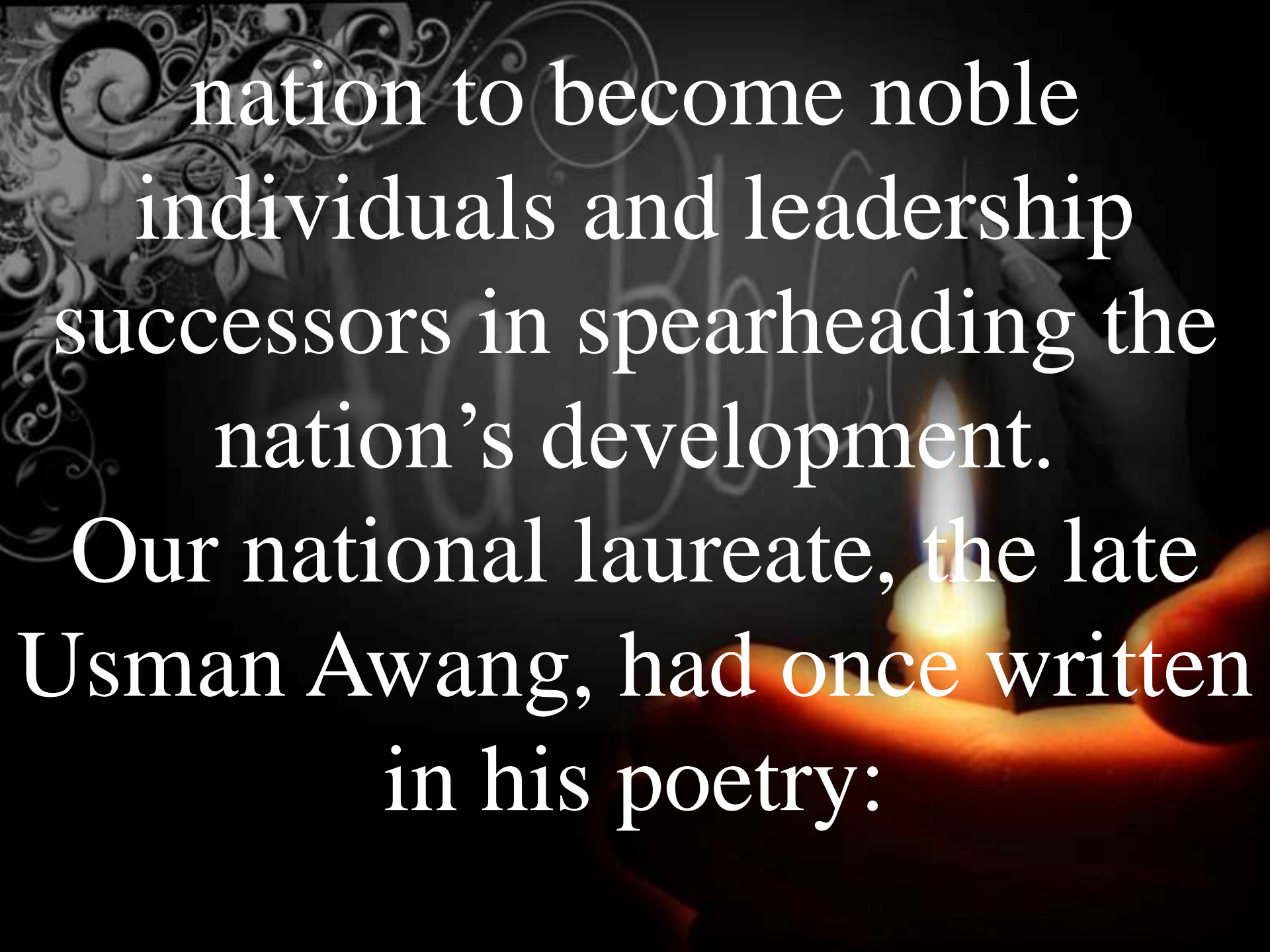


backward for any people and  
nation. Teachers and educators  
are the agents in the  
development and transformation  
of humanity. They are akin to  
the stars in the skies, which  
guides the

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sailors in the dark nights.

On the 16<sup>th</sup> of May every year,  
all teachers in our nation are  
celebrated, cherished, and  
honored for their services. They  
had educated the children of the

The background features a lit candle with a bright flame, set against a dark, textured surface. In the upper left corner, there are intricate, light-colored floral and scrollwork patterns. The overall lighting is warm, primarily from the candle's glow.

nation to become noble  
individuals and leadership  
successors in spearheading the  
nation's development.

Our national laureate, the late  
Usman Awang, had once written  
in his poetry:



The background features a dark, moody scene. In the upper left, there are intricate, light-colored floral and scrollwork patterns. On the right side, a hand is visible, holding a lit candle. The candle's flame is bright yellow and orange, casting a warm glow. The overall atmosphere is solemn and contemplative.

*If today a Prime Minister comes  
to power,*

*If today a King ascends to the  
throne,*

*If today a President of a nation,*

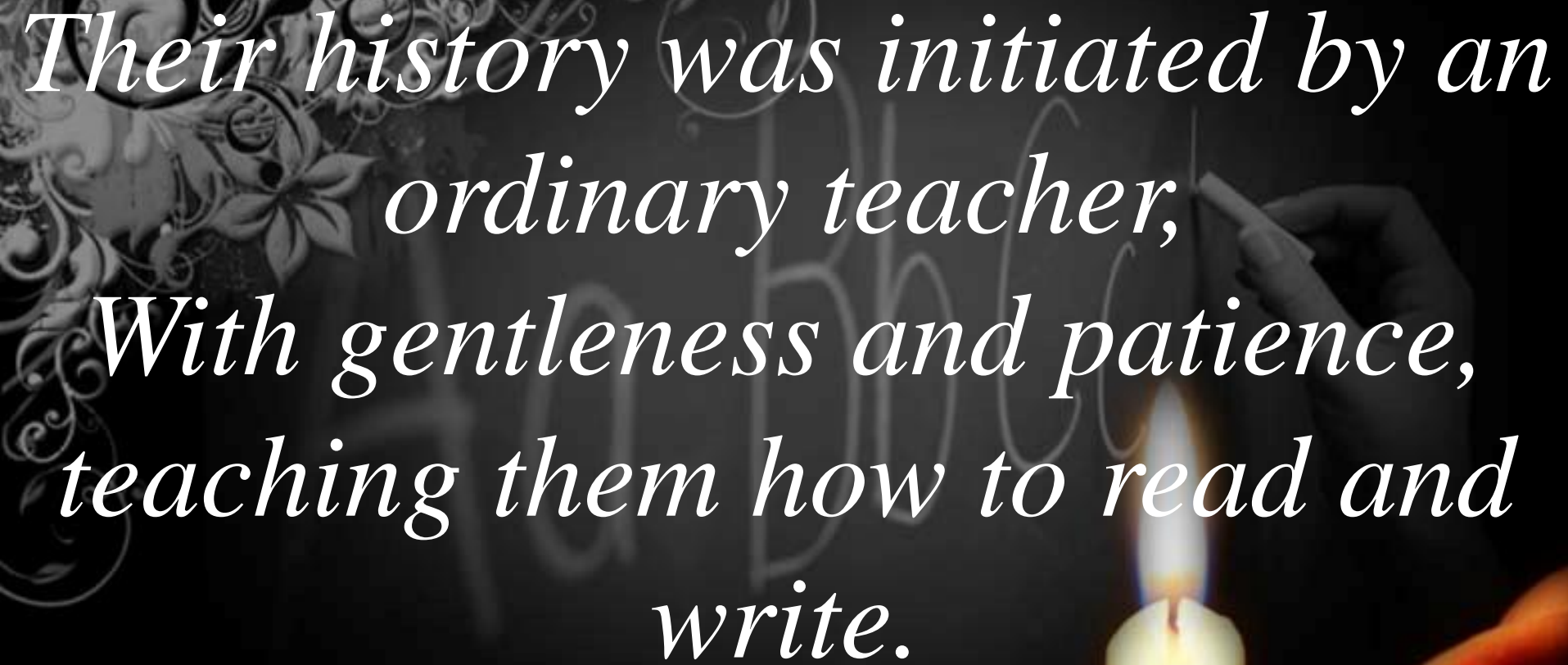
A hand holding a lit candle against a dark background with decorative floral patterns. The candle is lit, and the flame is visible. The background is dark with intricate, light-colored floral and scrollwork designs. The text is overlaid on the image in a white, serif font.

*If today an 'Ulamaa that is  
noble,*

*If today a lawyer wins a trial,*

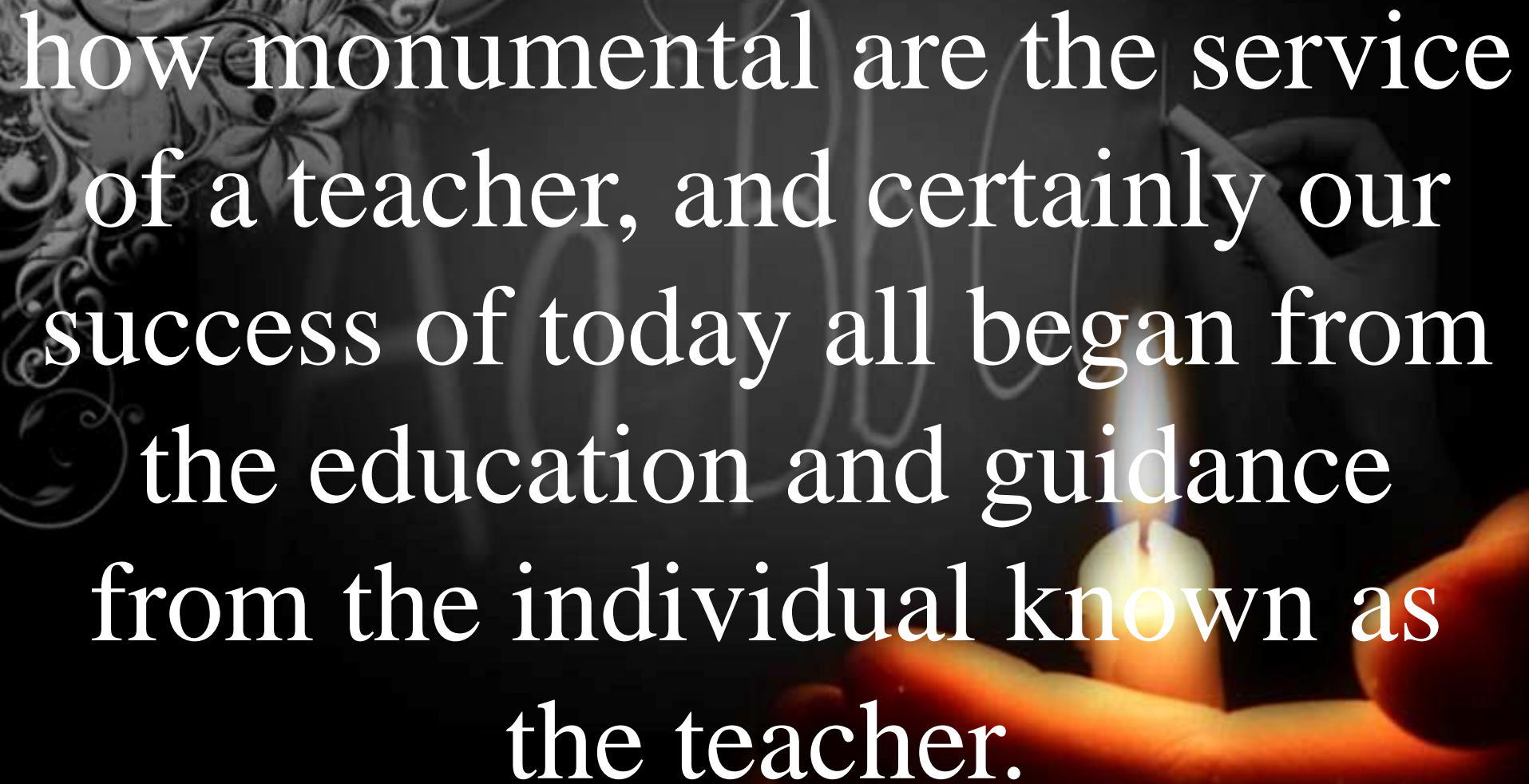
*If today a famous writer,*

*If today anyone grows into  
adulthood,*

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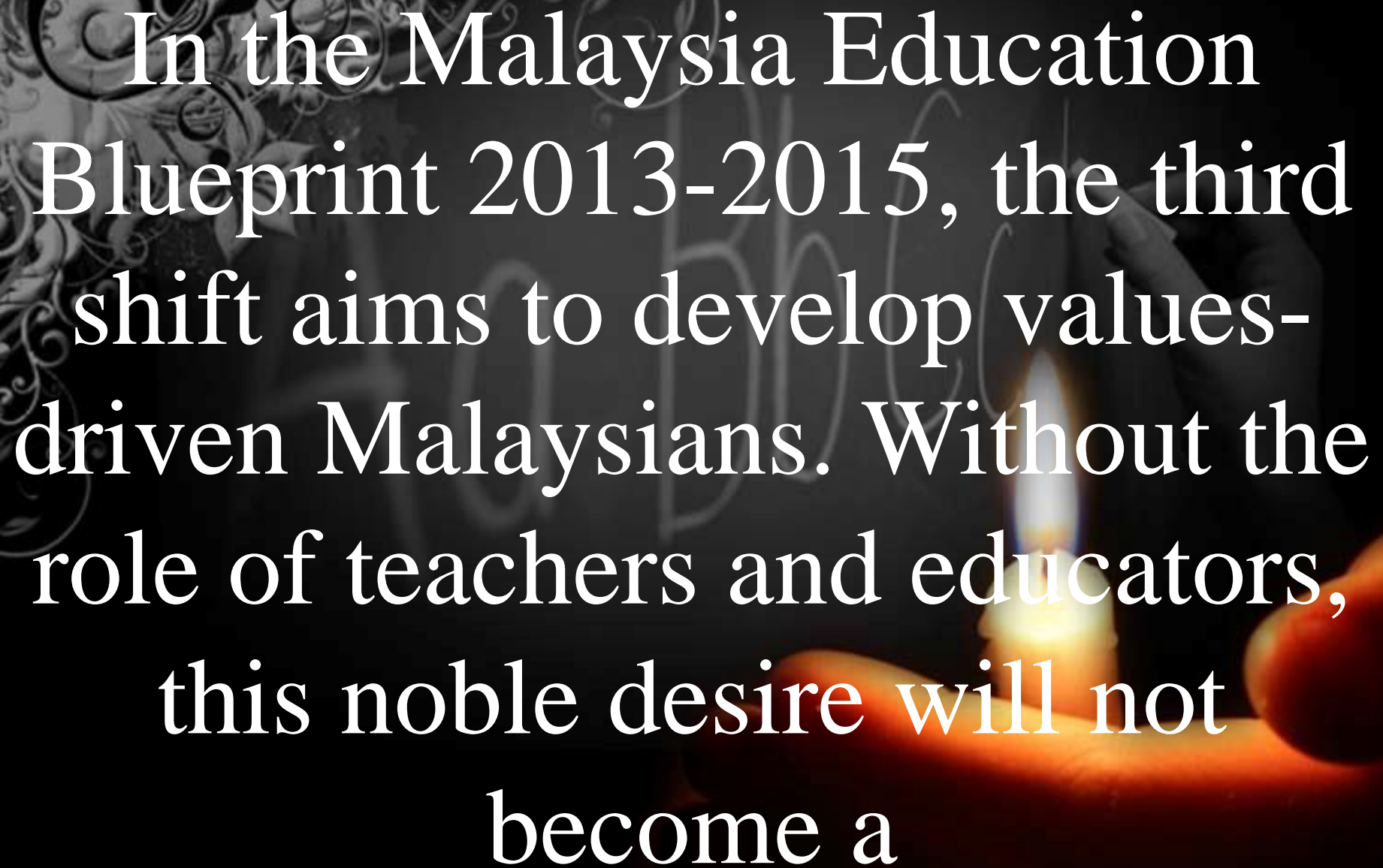
*Their history was initiated by an  
ordinary teacher,  
With gentleness and patience,  
teaching them how to read and  
write.*

Such were the phrases that can  
be expressed,

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how monumental are the service  
of a teacher, and certainly our  
success of today all began from  
the education and guidance  
from the individual known as  
the teacher.



A hand holding a lit matchstick against a dark background with decorative swirls. The matchstick is lit, with a bright yellow and orange flame. The background features intricate, light-colored swirls and patterns, possibly representing a blueprint or a decorative design. The overall scene is dimly lit, with the primary light source being the matchstick.

In the Malaysia Education  
Blueprint 2013-2015, the third  
shift aims to develop values-  
driven Malaysians. Without the  
role of teachers and educators,  
this noble desire will not  
become a

reality.

It is in line with the role of the mission of Rasulullah ﷺ, as it was mentioned in a narration by

Abu Hurayrah

*radhiyAllaahu 'anh* where

Rasulullah ﷺ said:



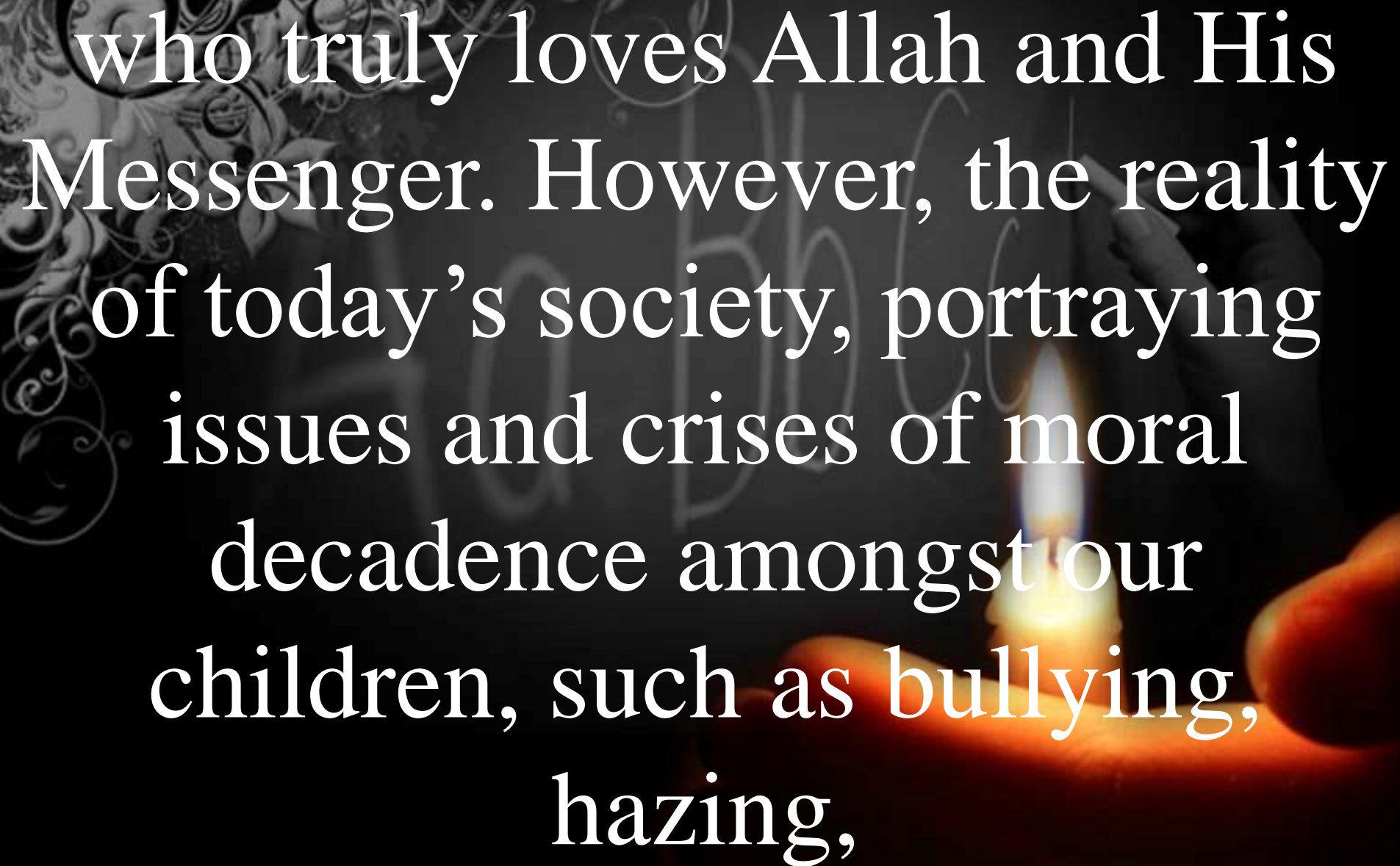
**“I have only been sent to  
perfect good moral  
character.”**

*(Ahmad and al-Bukhaari’s al-Adab al-  
Mufrad: saheeh)*



The guidance and counseling conveyed by Rasulullah ﷺ in his *tarbiyyah* has produced individuals having utmost *akhlaaq* and highly disciplined. This is the desire and ambition of everyone



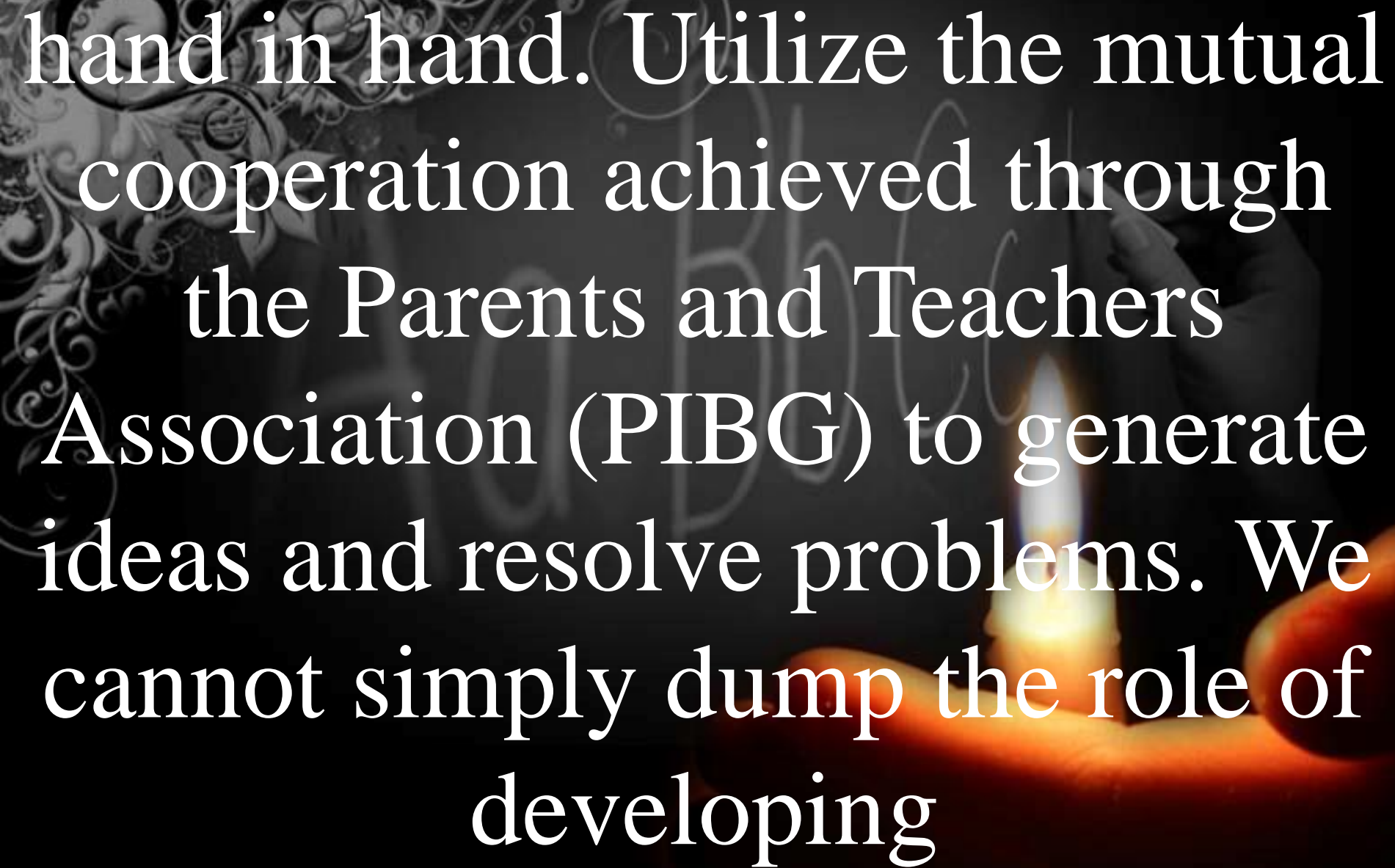
A hand is shown lighting a matchstick, with a bright flame and a glowing orange glow. The background is dark with intricate, light-colored floral and scrollwork patterns. The text is overlaid in a white, serif font.

who truly loves Allah and His  
Messenger. However, the reality  
of today's society, portraying  
issues and crises of moral  
decadence amongst our  
children, such as bullying,  
hazing,

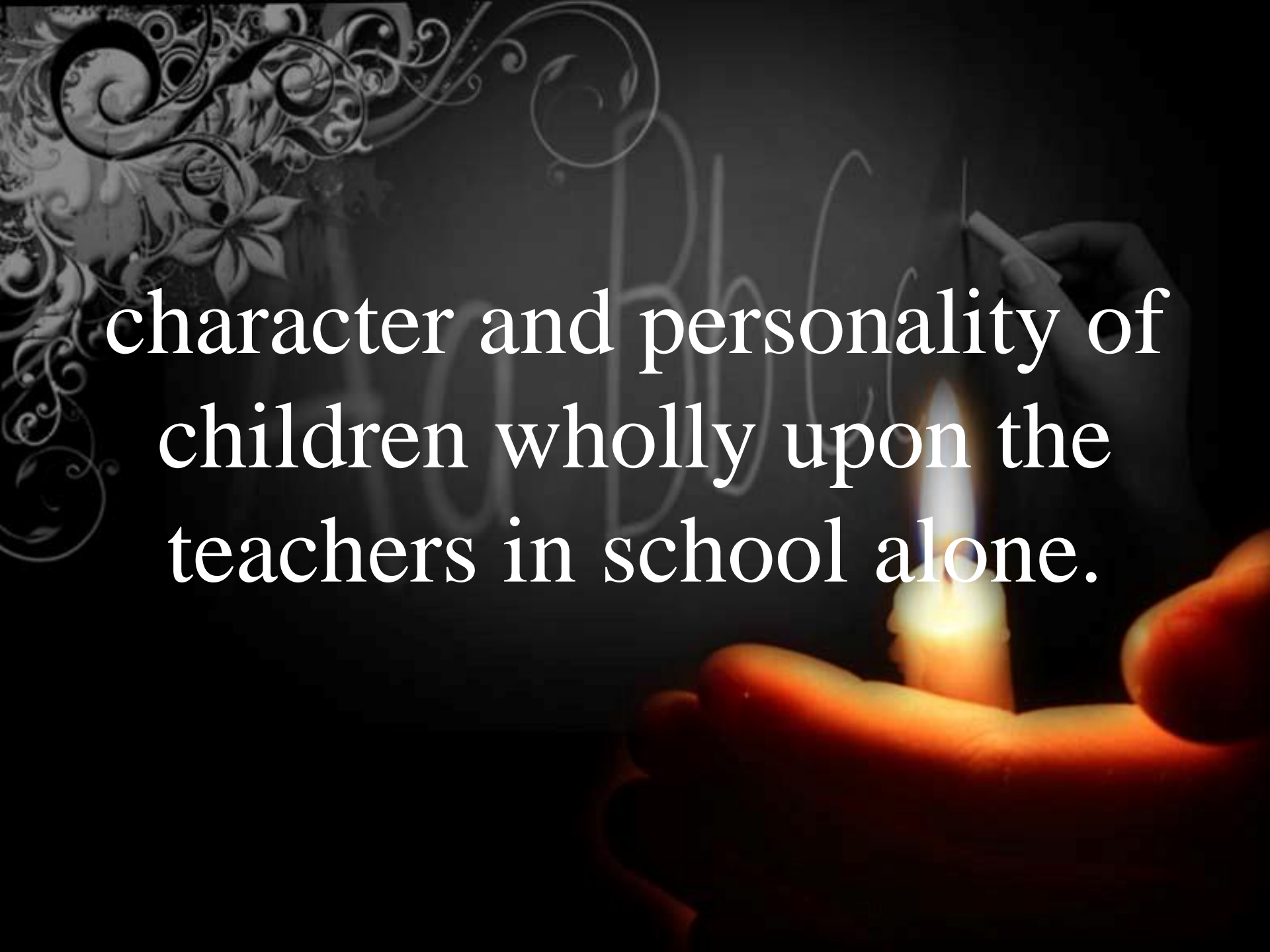


baby dumping, cybercrimes,  
endangering others, and many  
more.

Aside from teachers and  
educators, the parents and  
community members must play  
their role altogether,

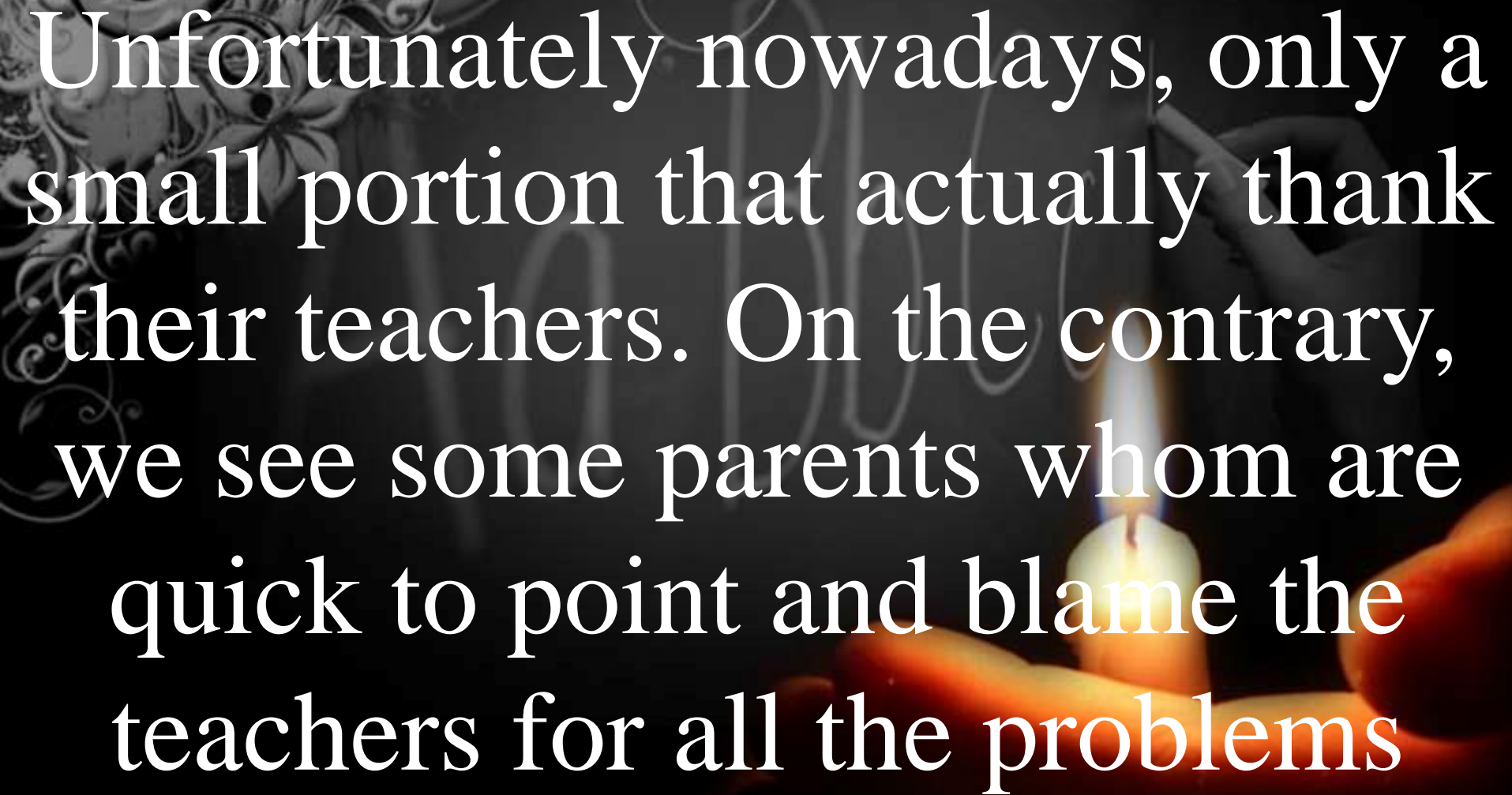
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hand in hand. Utilize the mutual cooperation achieved through the Parents and Teachers Association (PIBG) to generate ideas and resolve problems. We cannot simply dump the role of developing

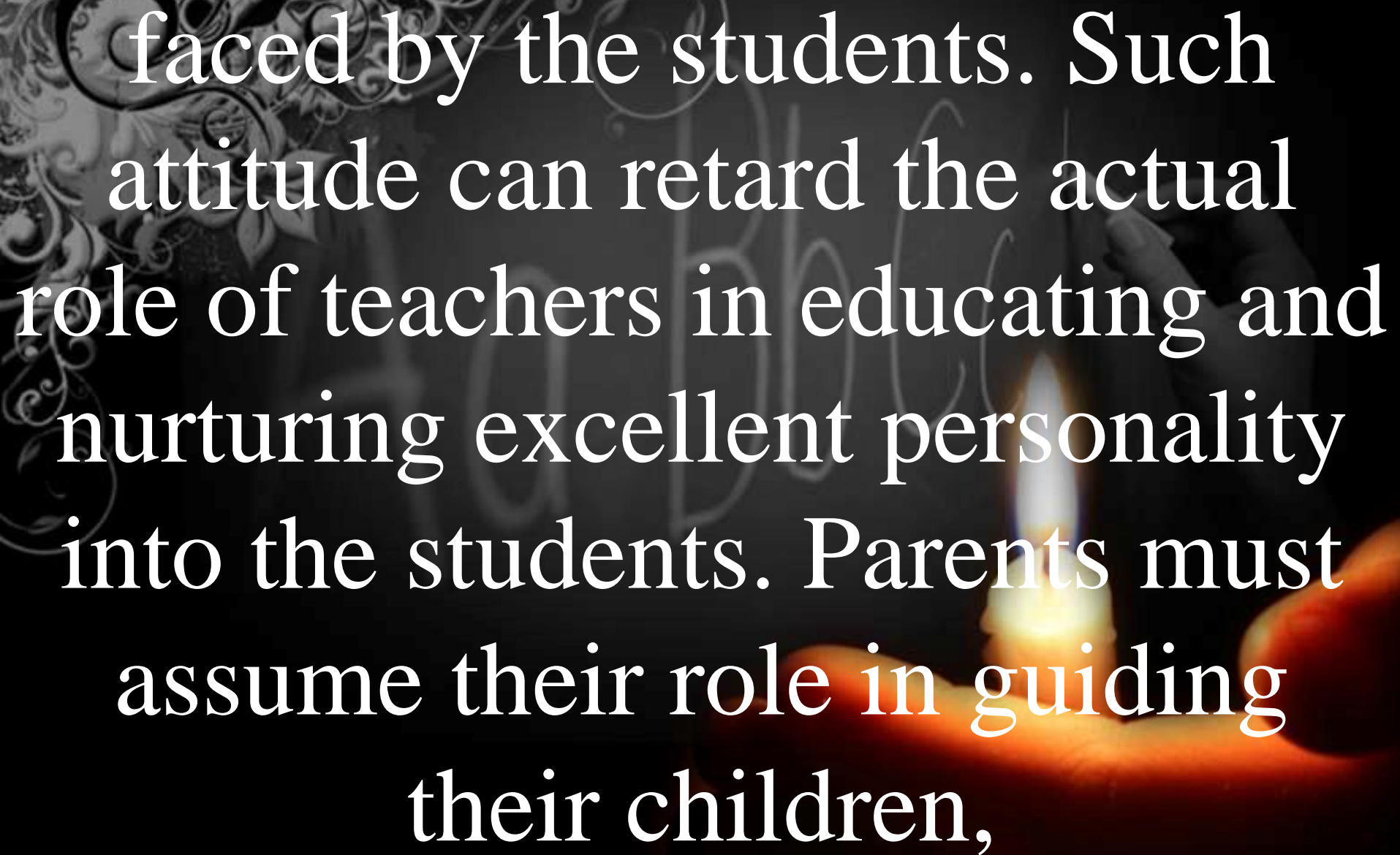
A hand holding a lit candle, with a decorative floral pattern in the top left corner. The background is dark, and the candle's flame is bright and glowing. The text is overlaid on the image in a white, serif font.

character and personality of  
children wholly upon the  
teachers in school alone.

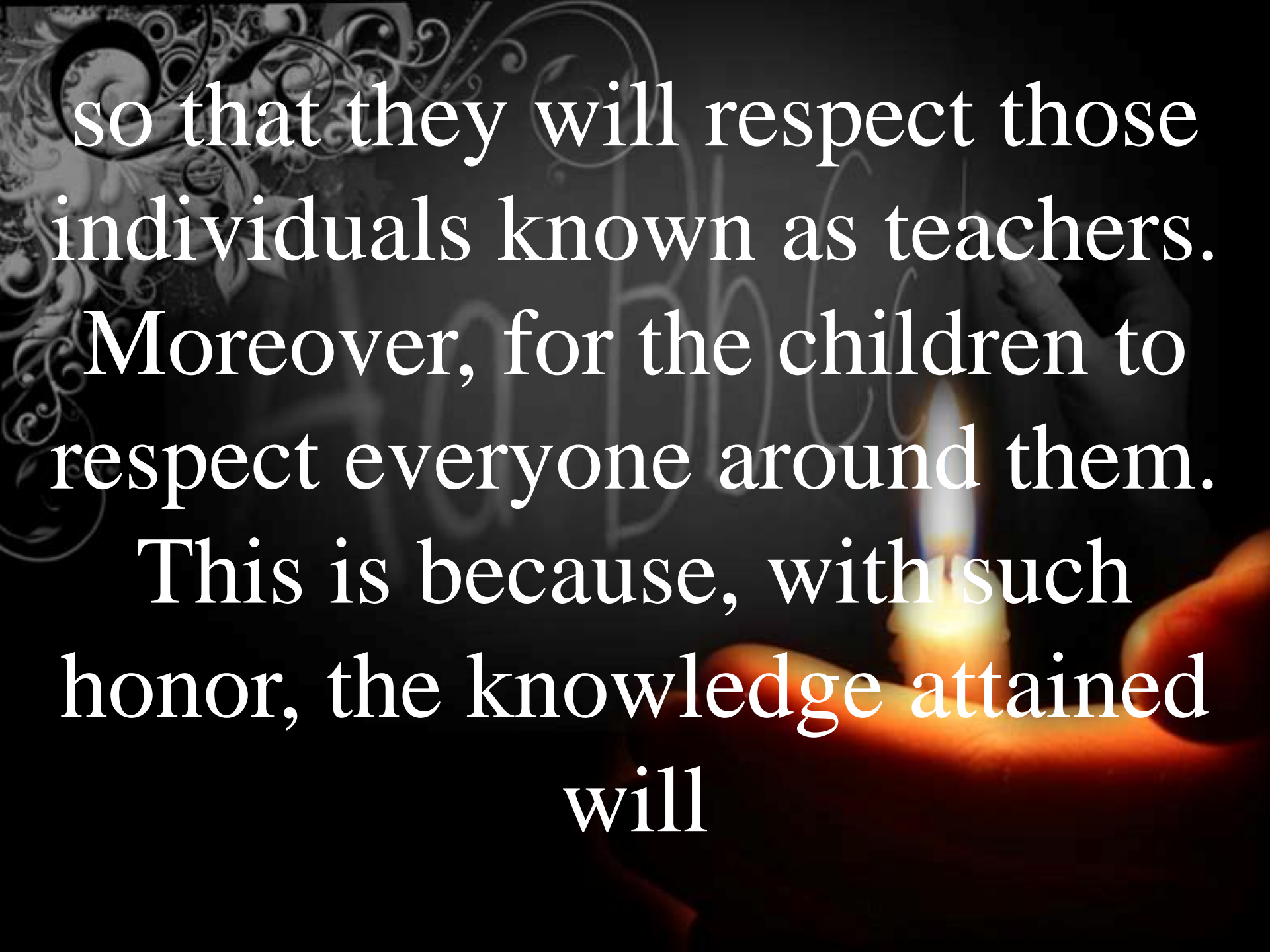


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Unfortunately nowadays, only a small portion that actually thank their teachers. On the contrary, we see some parents whom are quick to point and blame the teachers for all the problems

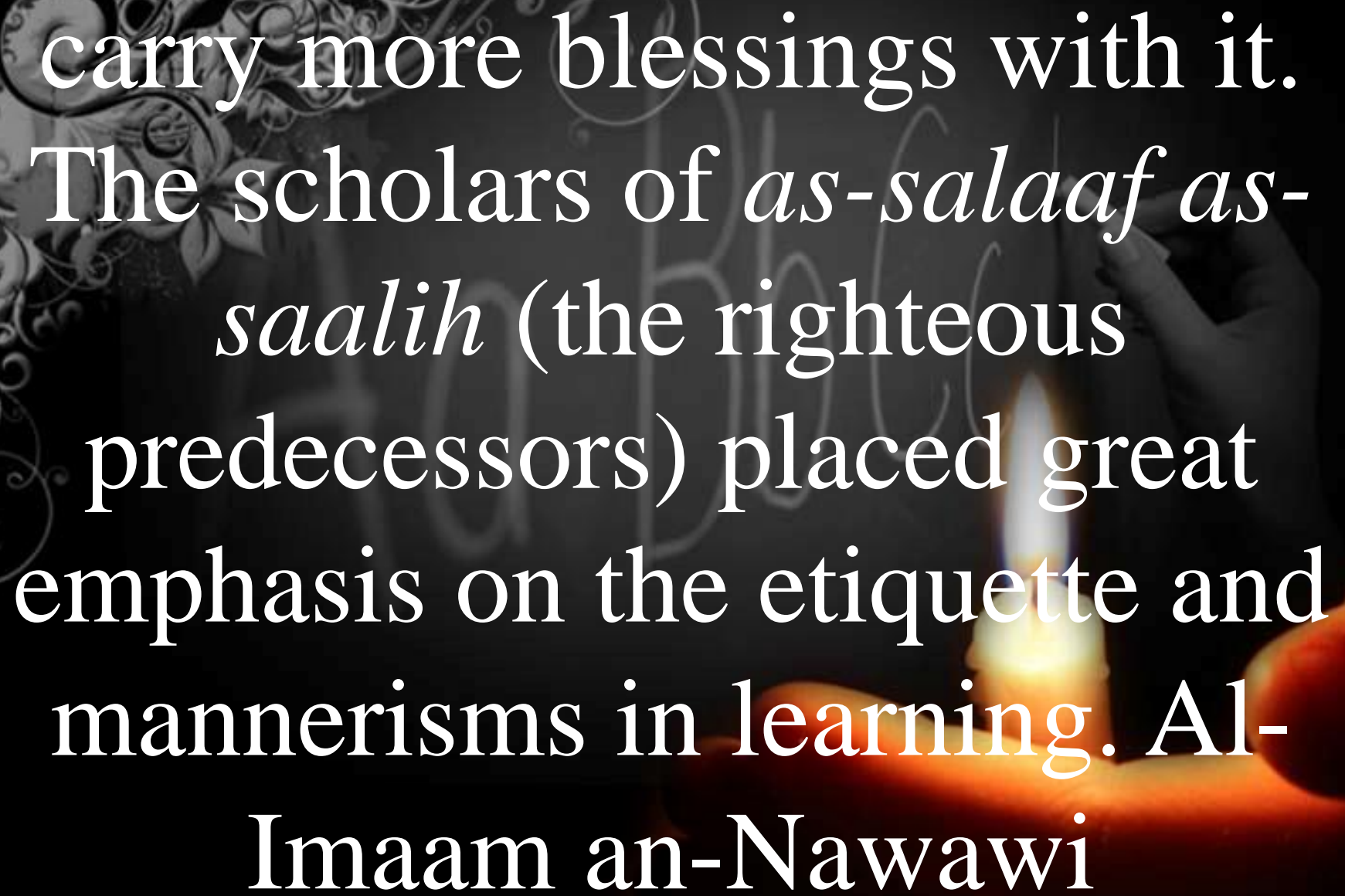


faced by the students. Such attitude can retard the actual role of teachers in educating and nurturing excellent personality into the students. Parents must assume their role in guiding their children,



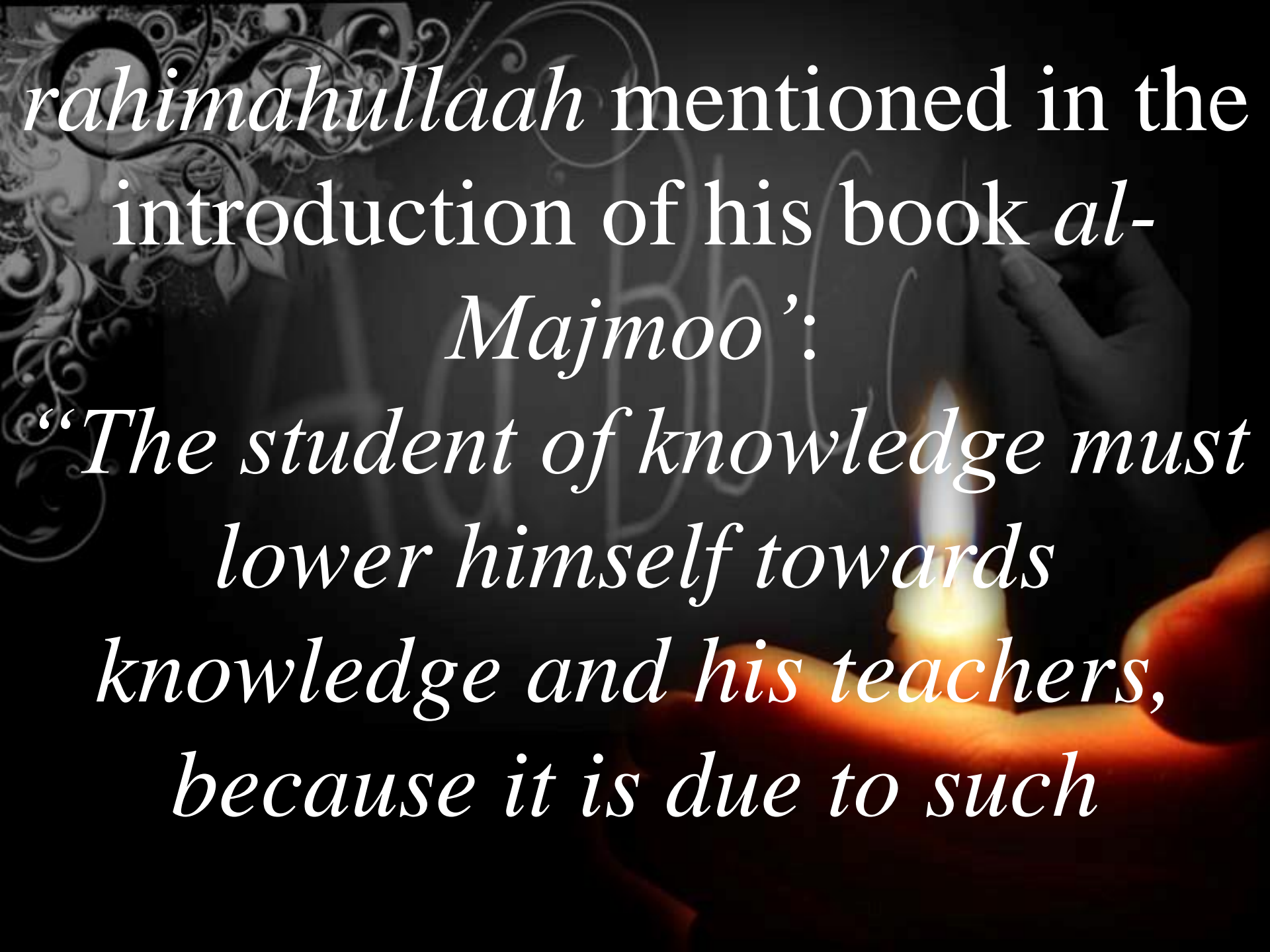
so that they will respect those individuals known as teachers. Moreover, for the children to respect everyone around them.

This is because, with such honor, the knowledge attained will

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carry more blessings with it.  
The scholars of *as-salaaf as-saalih* (the righteous predecessors) placed great emphasis on the etiquette and mannerisms in learning. Al-  
Imaam an-Nawawi

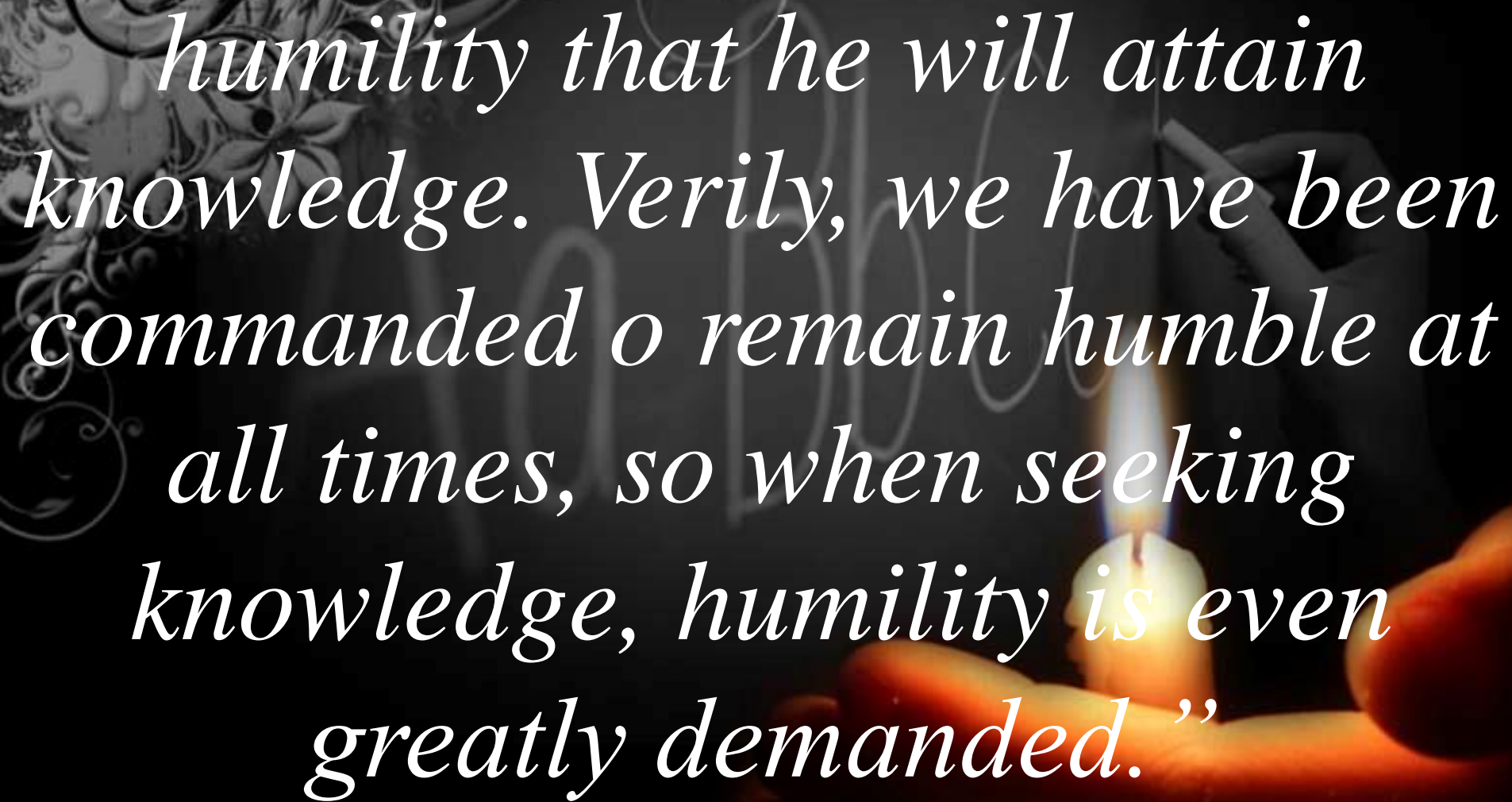


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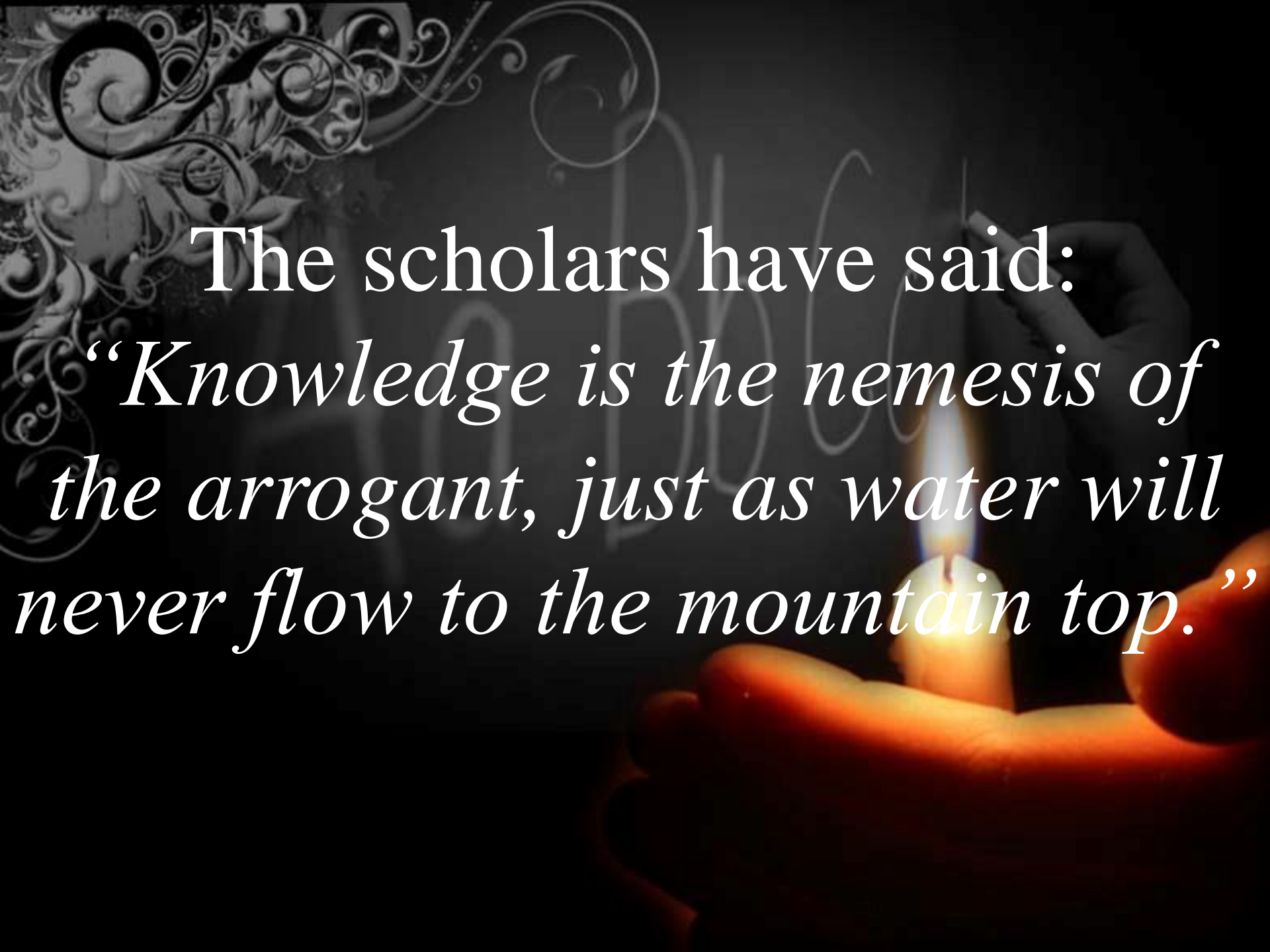
*rahimahullaah* mentioned in the  
introduction of his book *al-  
Majmoo*’:

*“The student of knowledge must  
lower himself towards  
knowledge and his teachers,  
because it is due to such*

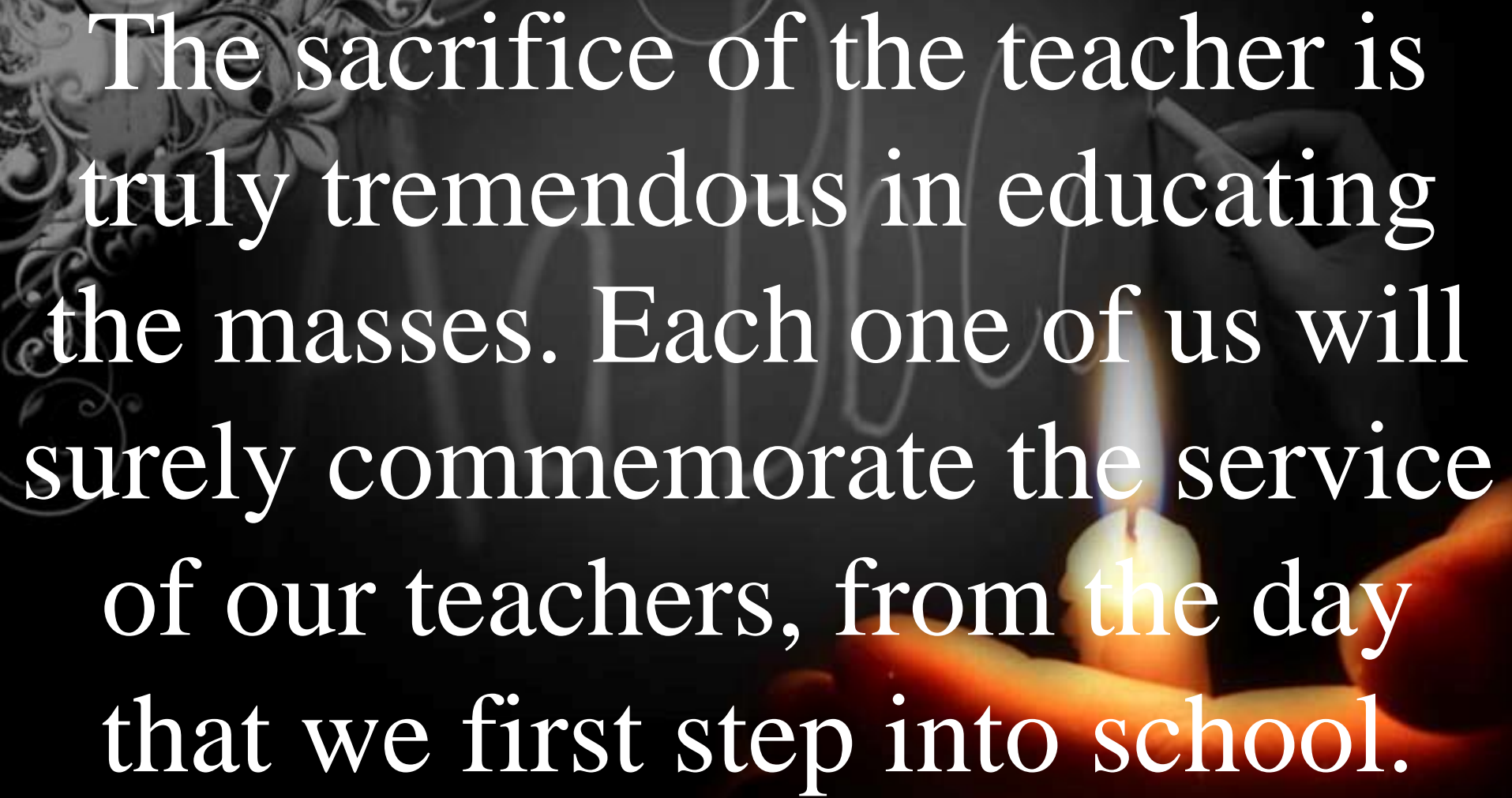




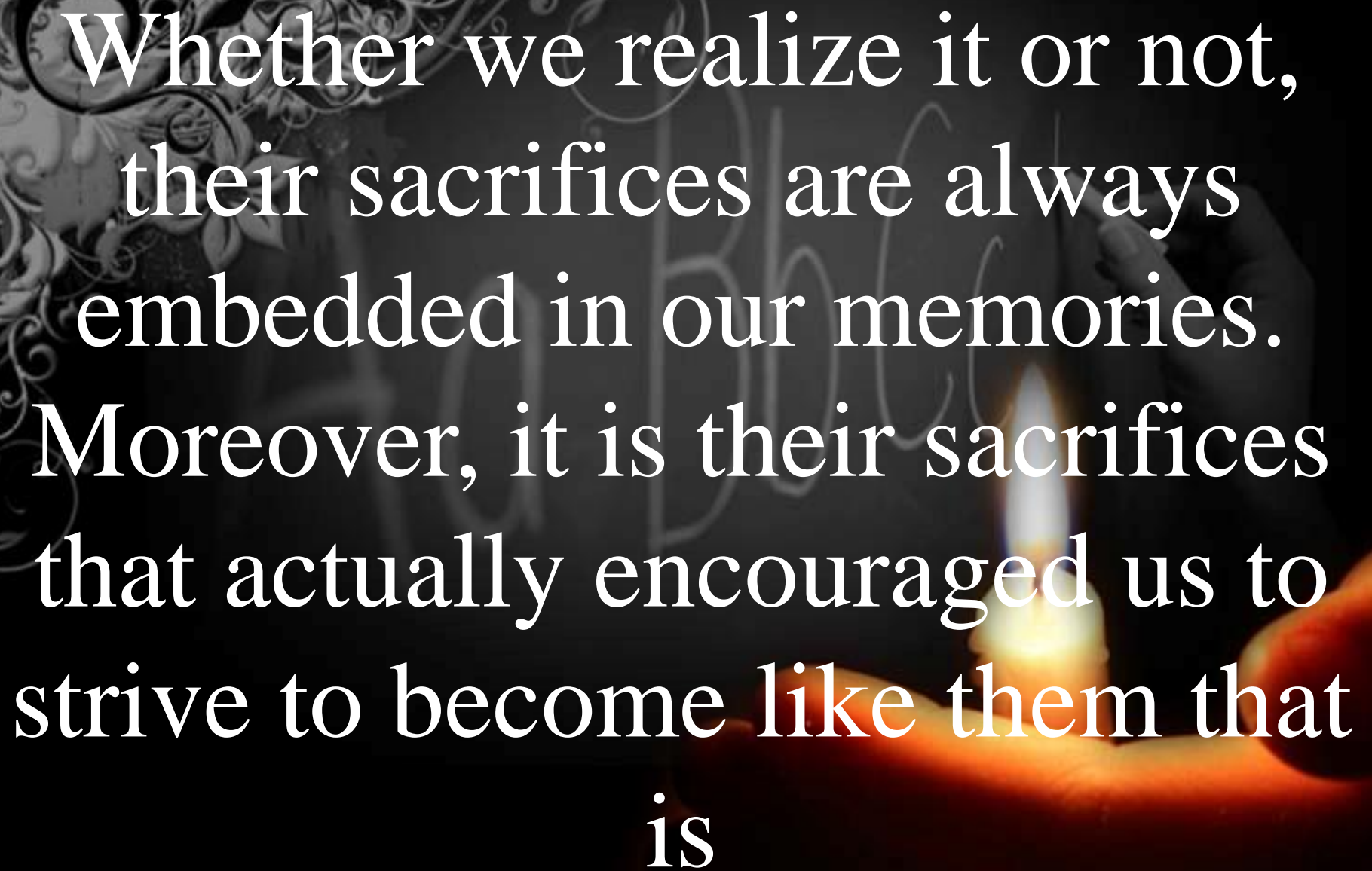
*humility that he will attain  
knowledge. Verily, we have been  
commanded o remain humble at  
all times, so when seeking  
knowledge, humility is even  
greatly demanded.”*

A hand holding a lit candle against a dark background with decorative flourishes. The candle is lit, and the flame is visible. The background features intricate, light-colored scrollwork and floral patterns in the upper left corner. The overall mood is contemplative and scholarly.

The scholars have said:  
*“Knowledge is the nemesis of  
the arrogant, just as water will  
never flow to the mountain top.”*

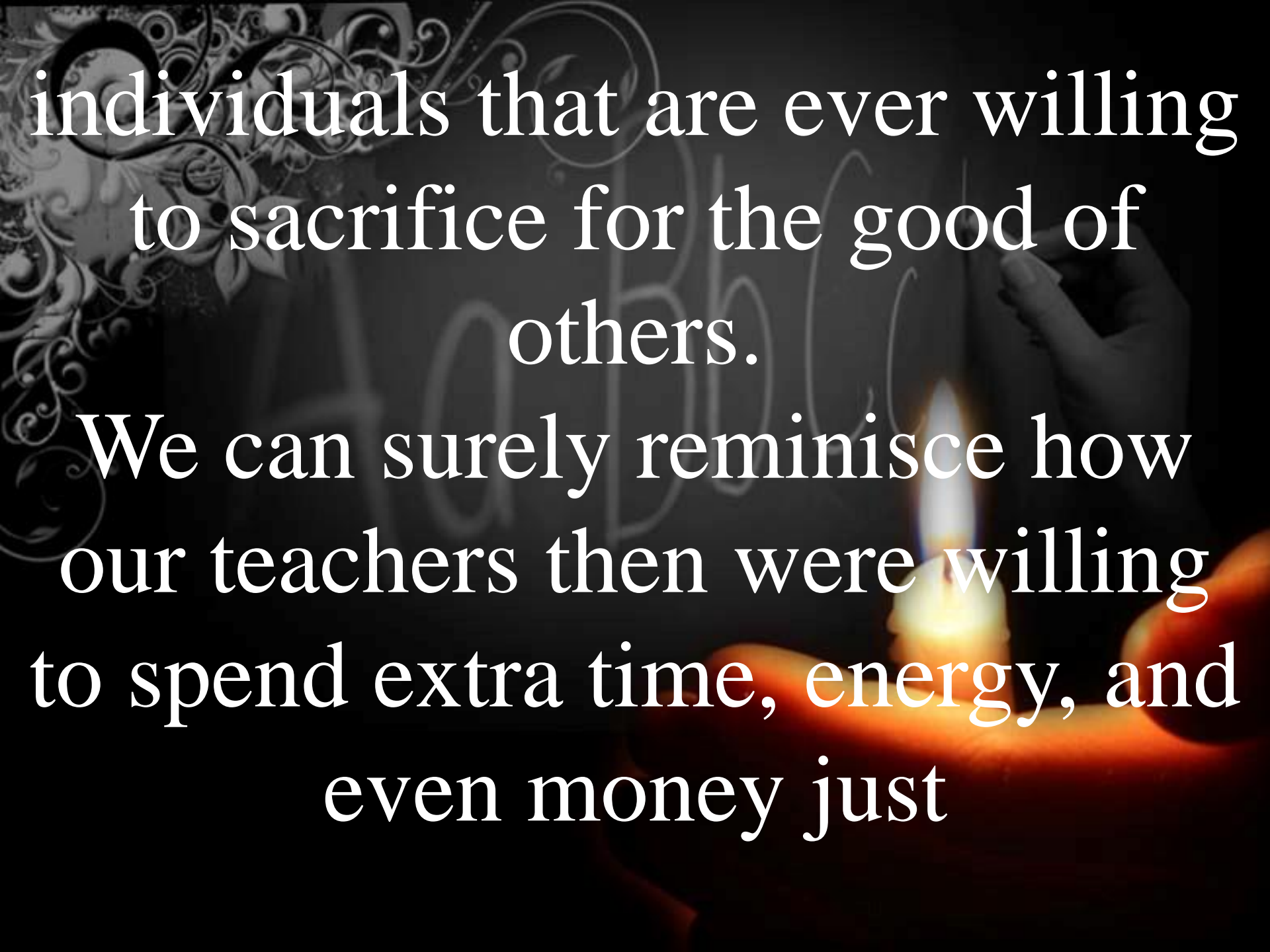
The background of the image is dark and features several elements. In the top left corner, there is a complex, light-colored floral and scrollwork pattern. On the right side, a hand is visible holding a lit candle, which casts a warm, orange glow. Below the hand, a pen is shown writing on a scroll that appears to be part of a larger document or book. The overall atmosphere is one of reverence and enlightenment.

The sacrifice of the teacher is truly tremendous in educating the masses. Each one of us will surely commemorate the service of our teachers, from the day that we first step into school.



Whether we realize it or not,  
their sacrifices are always  
embedded in our memories.  
Moreover, it is their sacrifices  
that actually encouraged us to  
strive to become like them that  
is

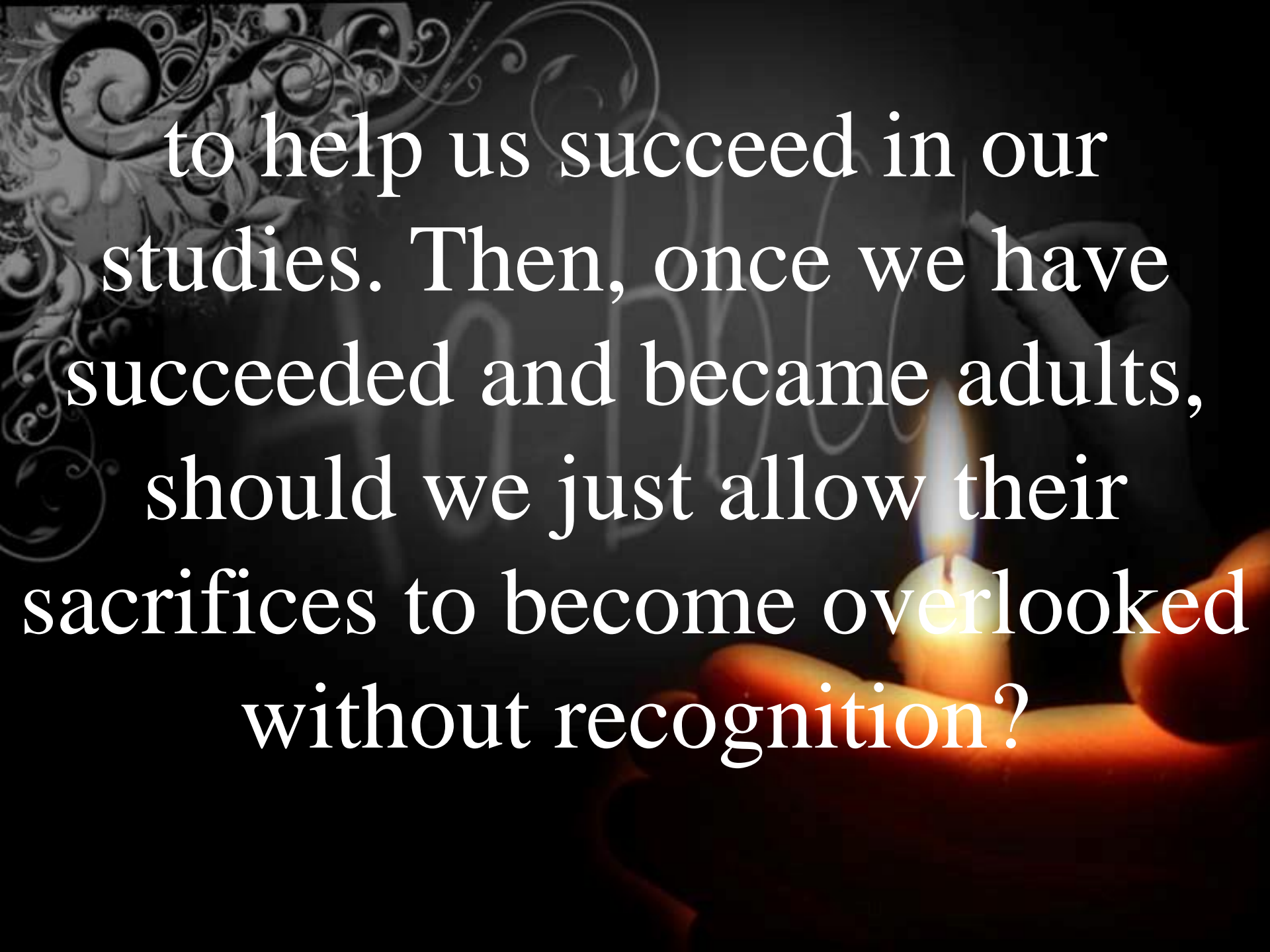


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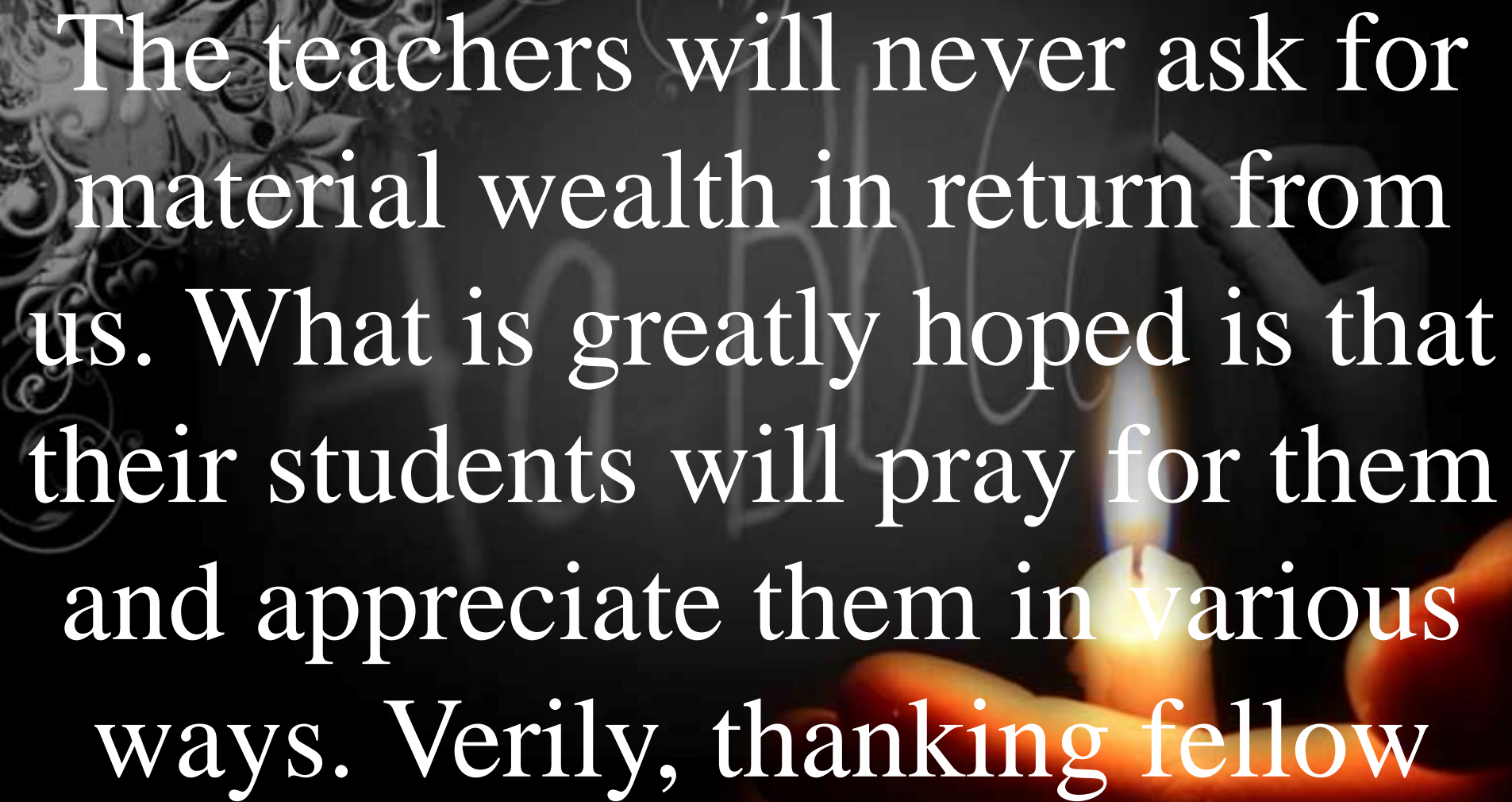
individuals that are ever willing  
to sacrifice for the good of  
others.

We can surely reminisce how  
our teachers then were willing  
to spend extra time, energy, and  
even money just





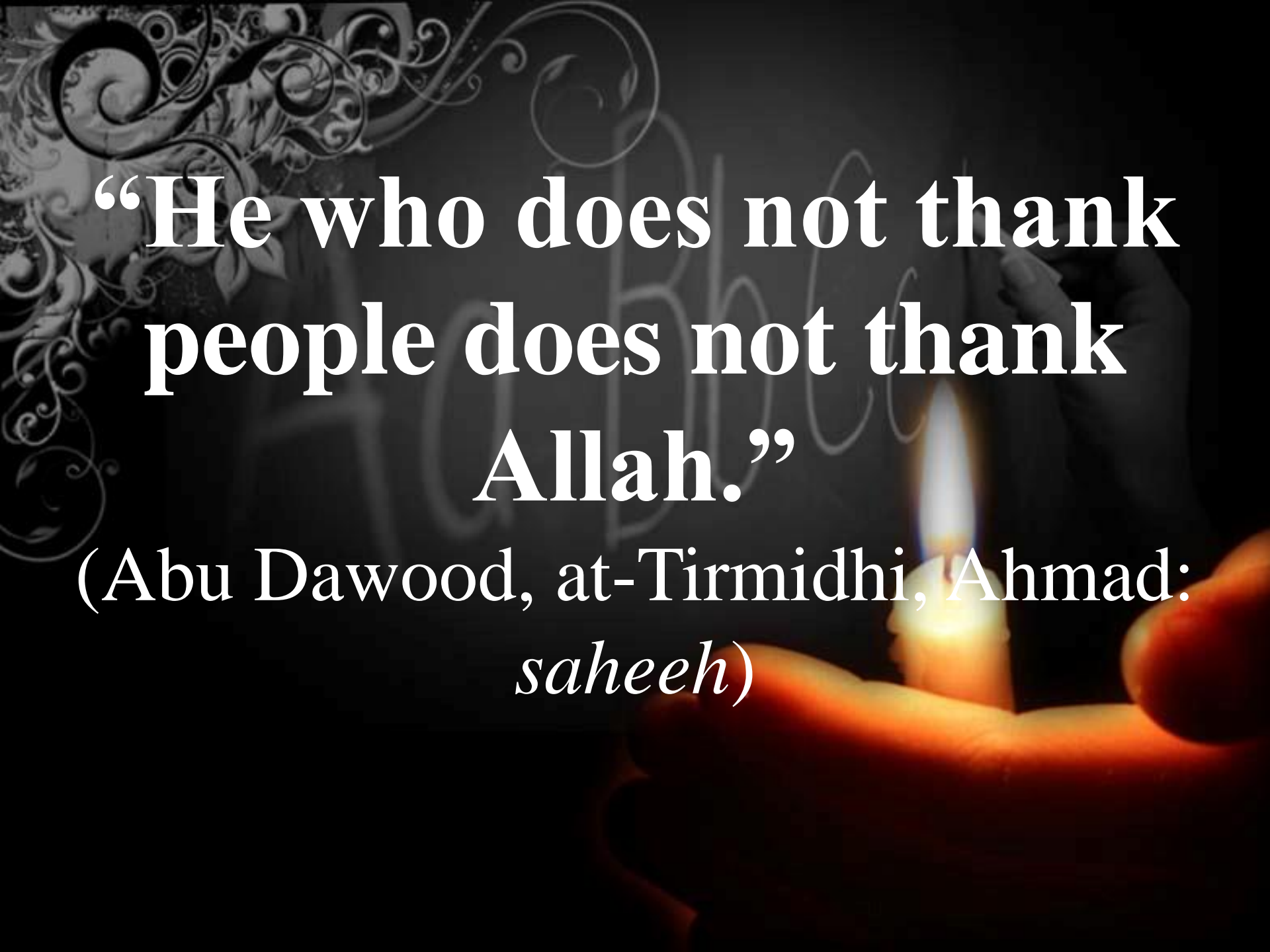
to help us succeed in our studies. Then, once we have succeeded and became adults, should we just allow their sacrifices to become overlooked without recognition?

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The teachers will never ask for material wealth in return from us. What is greatly hoped is that their students will pray for them and appreciate them in various ways. Verily, thanking fellow

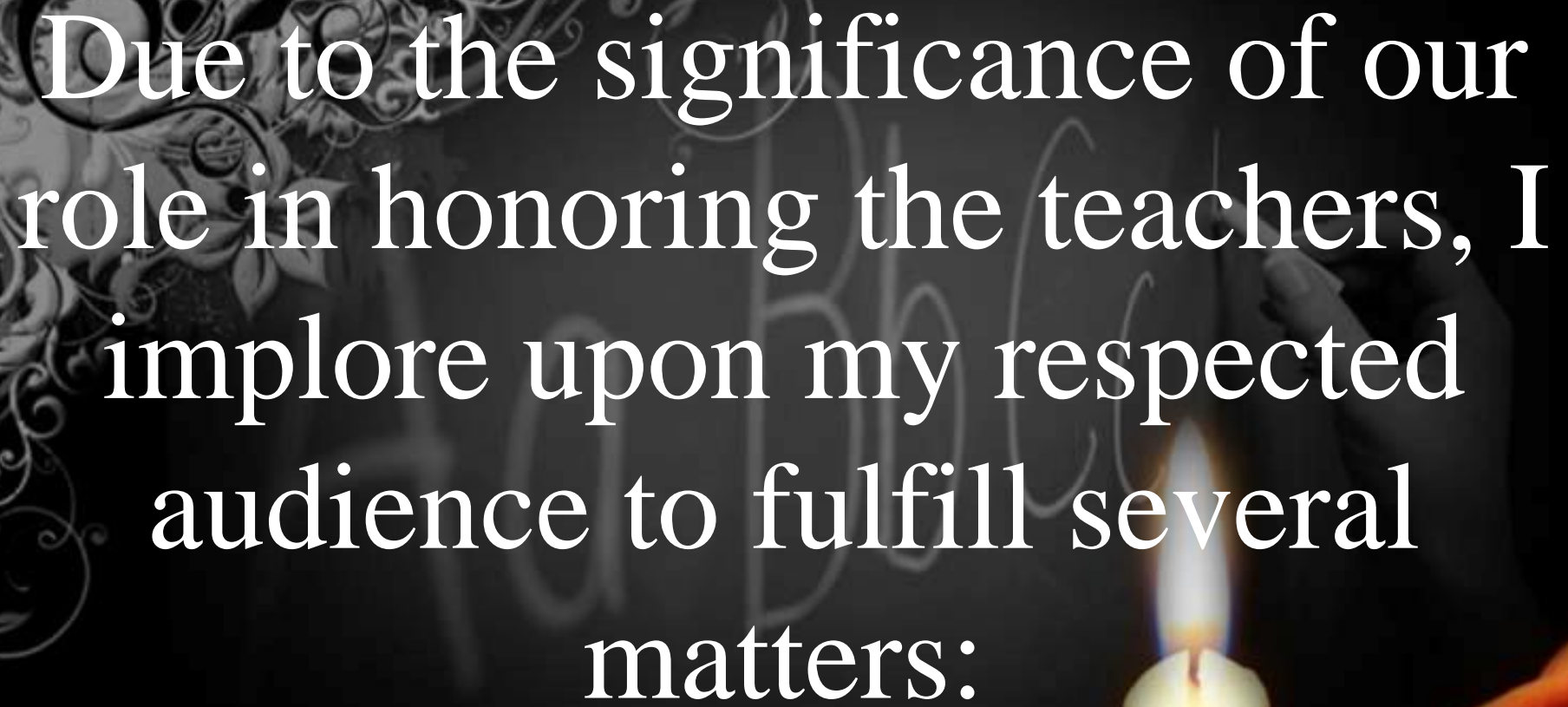
human being is also a sign of  
our gratefulness and  
thankfulness to Allah  
*Subhaanahu Wata'aala.*  
Narrated Abu Hurayrah  
*radiyAllaahu 'anh:* Rasulullah

صلى الله  
عليه وسلم said:

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**“He who does not thank  
people does not thank  
Allah.”**

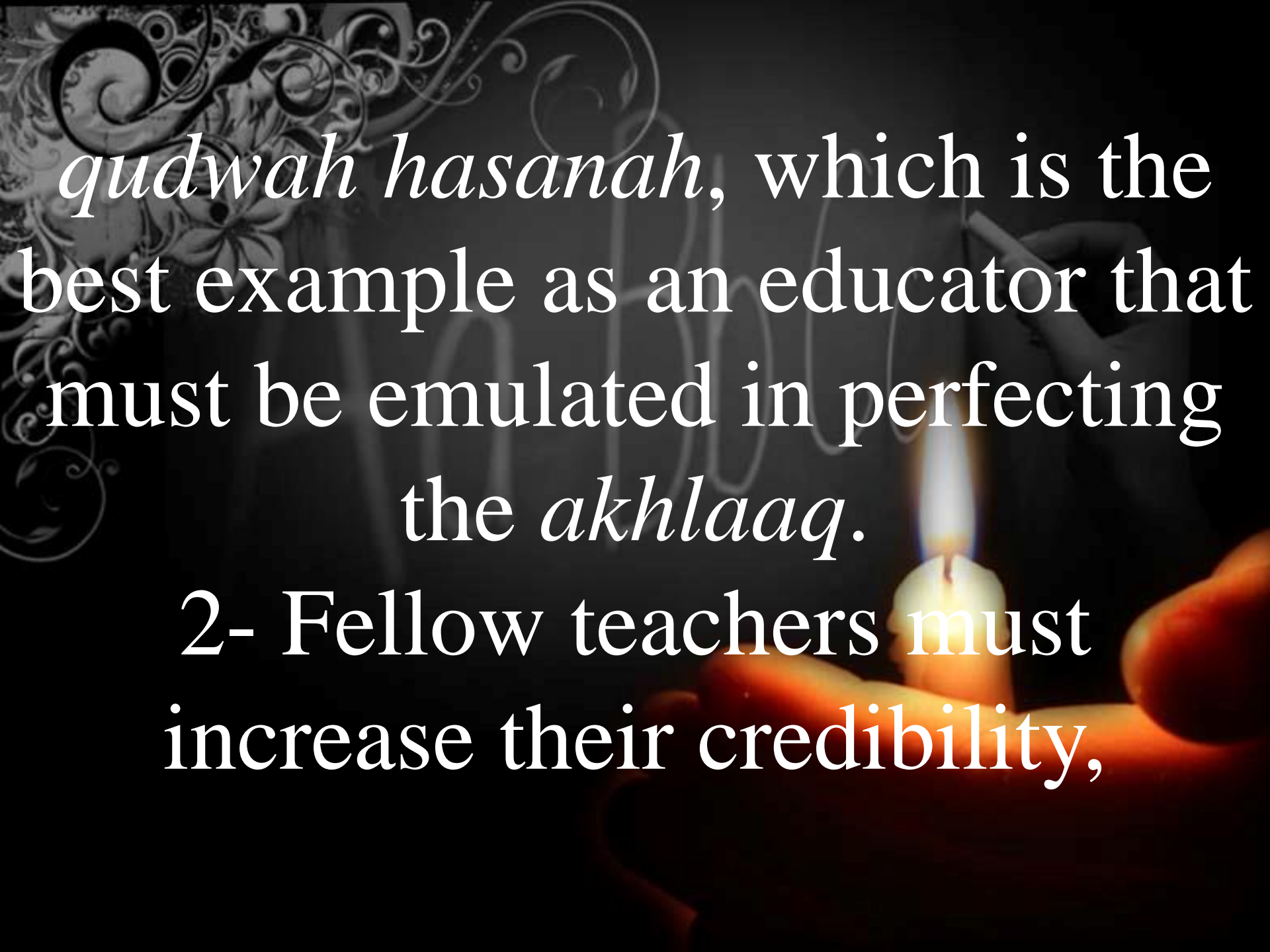
(Abu Dawood, at-Tirmidhi, Ahmad:  
*saheeh*)



Due to the significance of our  
role in honoring the teachers, I  
implore upon my respected  
audience to fulfill several  
matters:

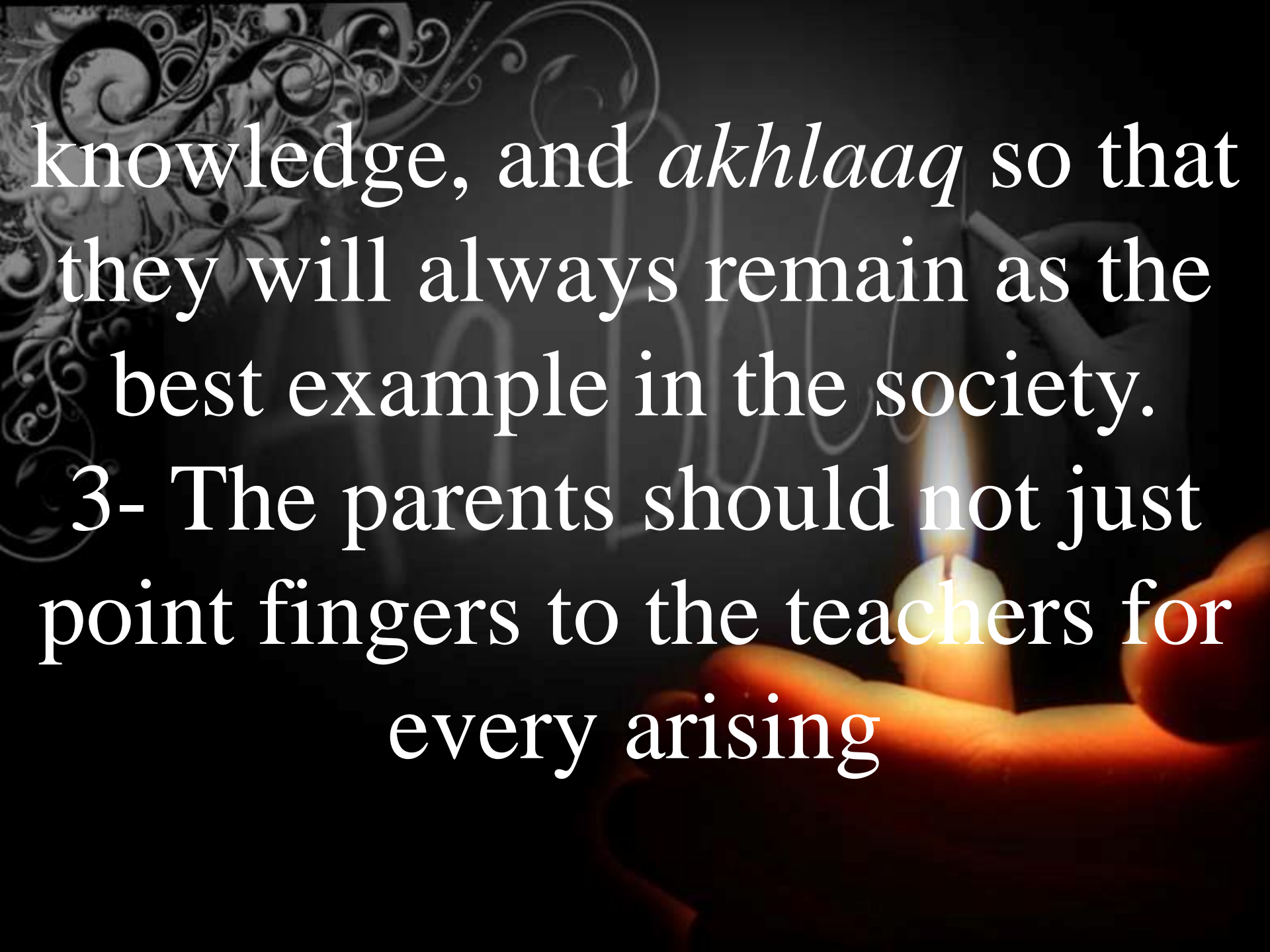
1- The Muslims must emulate  
Rasulullah ﷺ as





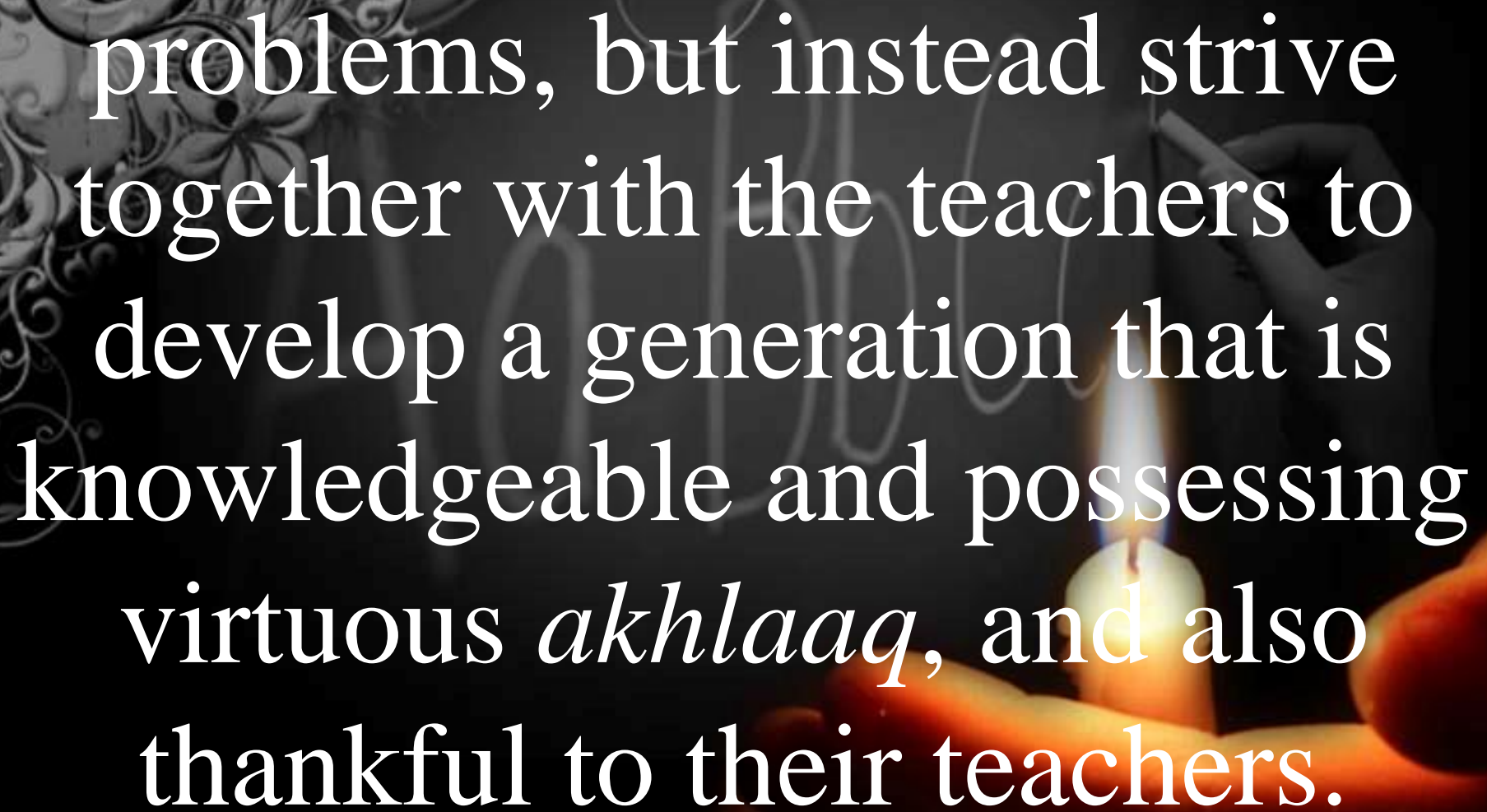
*qudwah hasanah*, which is the best example as an educator that must be emulated in perfecting the *akhlaaq*.

2- Fellow teachers must increase their credibility,

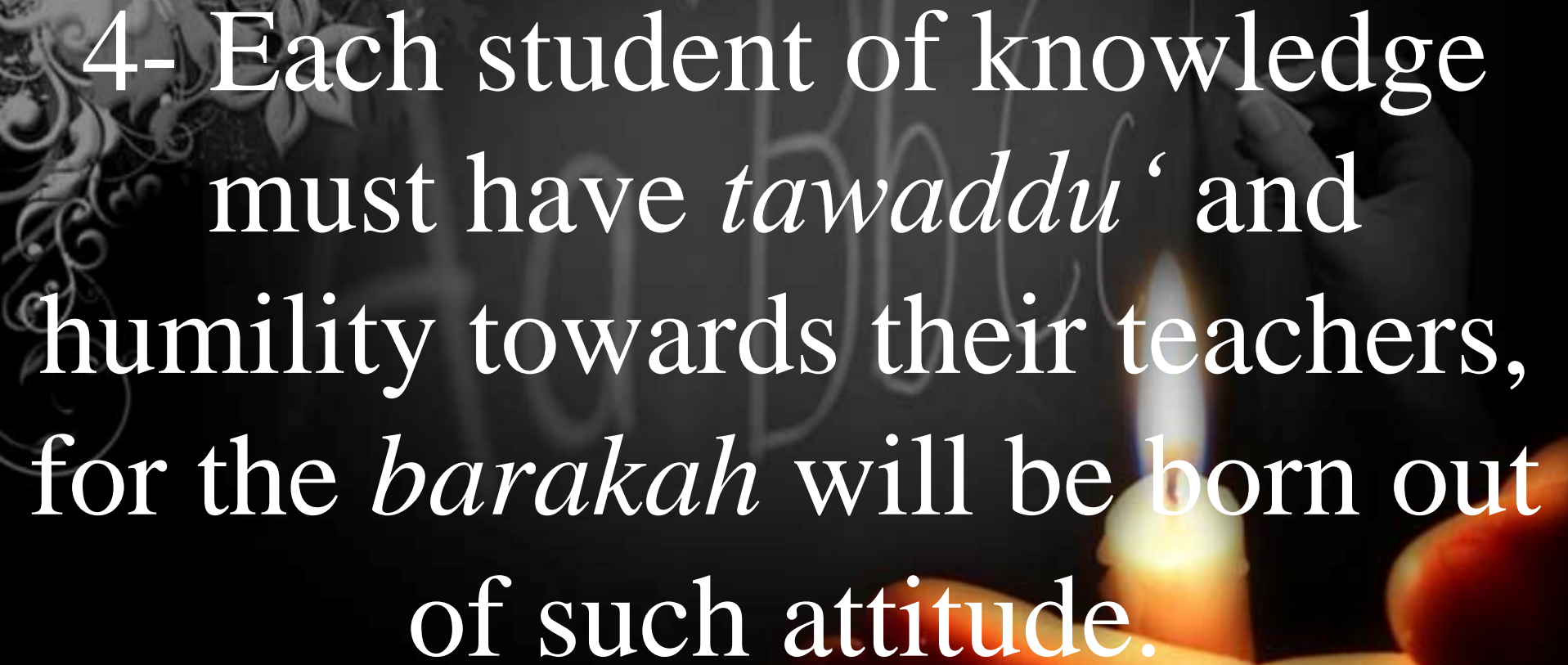
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knowledge, and *akhlaaq* so that they will always remain as the best example in the society.

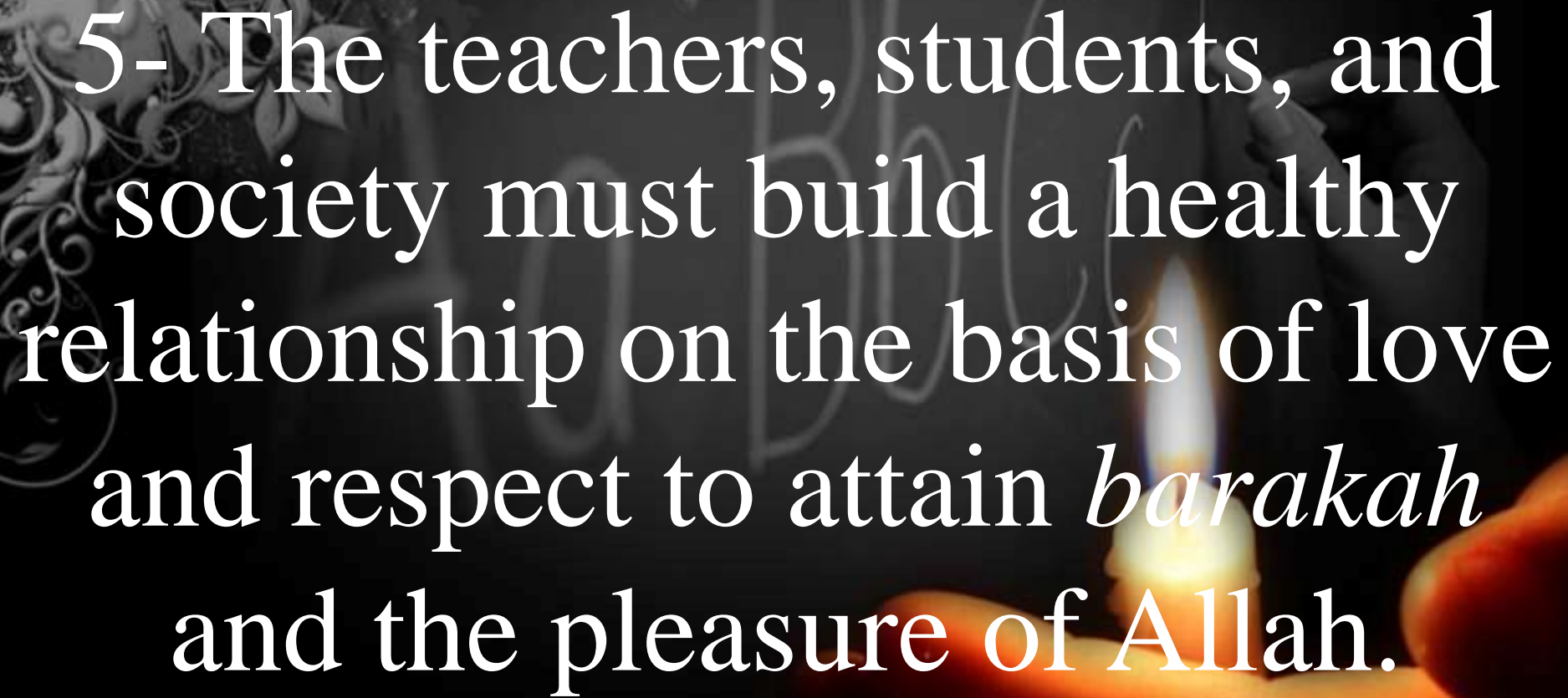
3- The parents should not just point fingers to the teachers for every arising

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problems, but instead strive together with the teachers to develop a generation that is knowledgeable and possessing virtuous *akhlaaq*, and also thankful to their teachers.

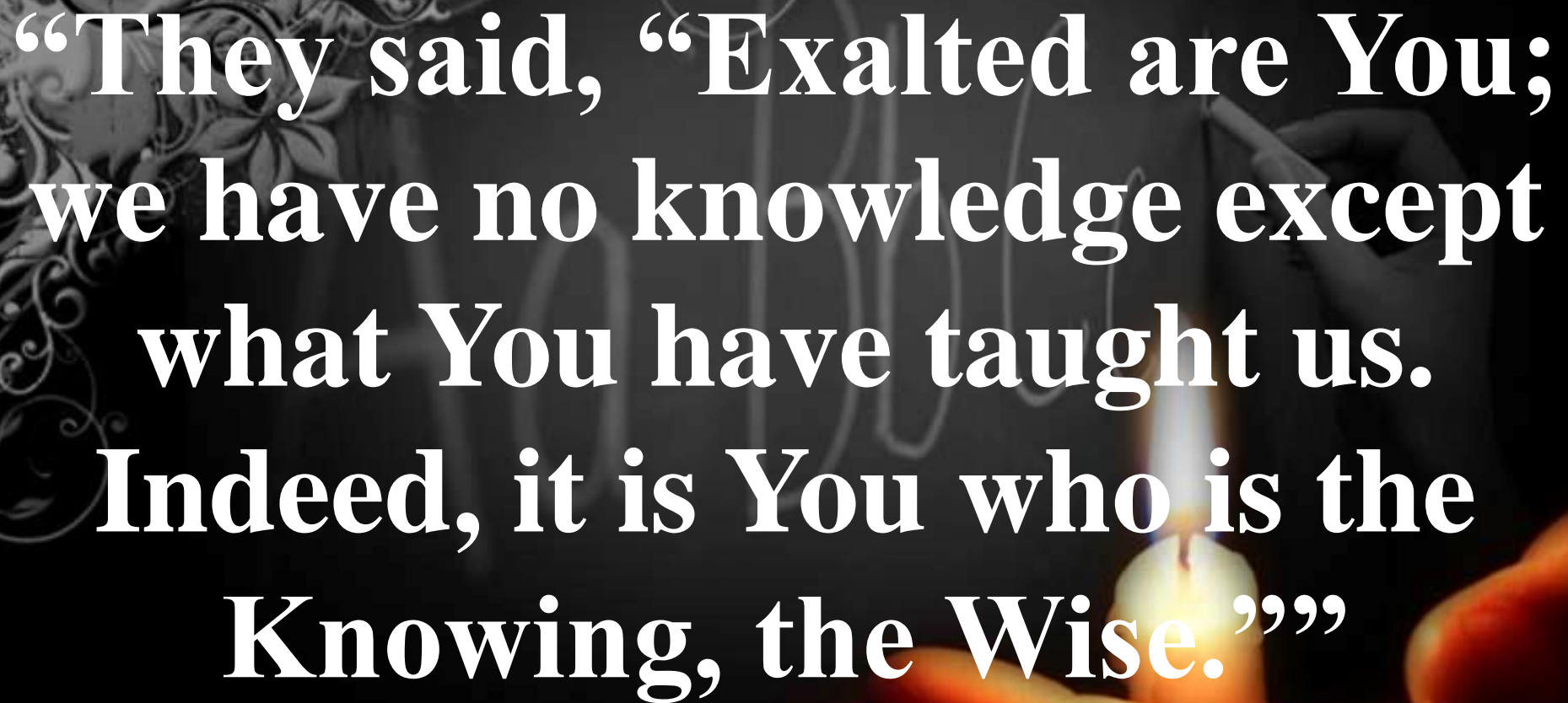
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4- Each student of knowledge must have *tawaddu'* and humility towards their teachers, for the *barakah* will be born out of such attitude.

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5- The teachers, students, and society must build a healthy relationship on the basis of love and respect to attain *barakah* and the pleasure of Allah.

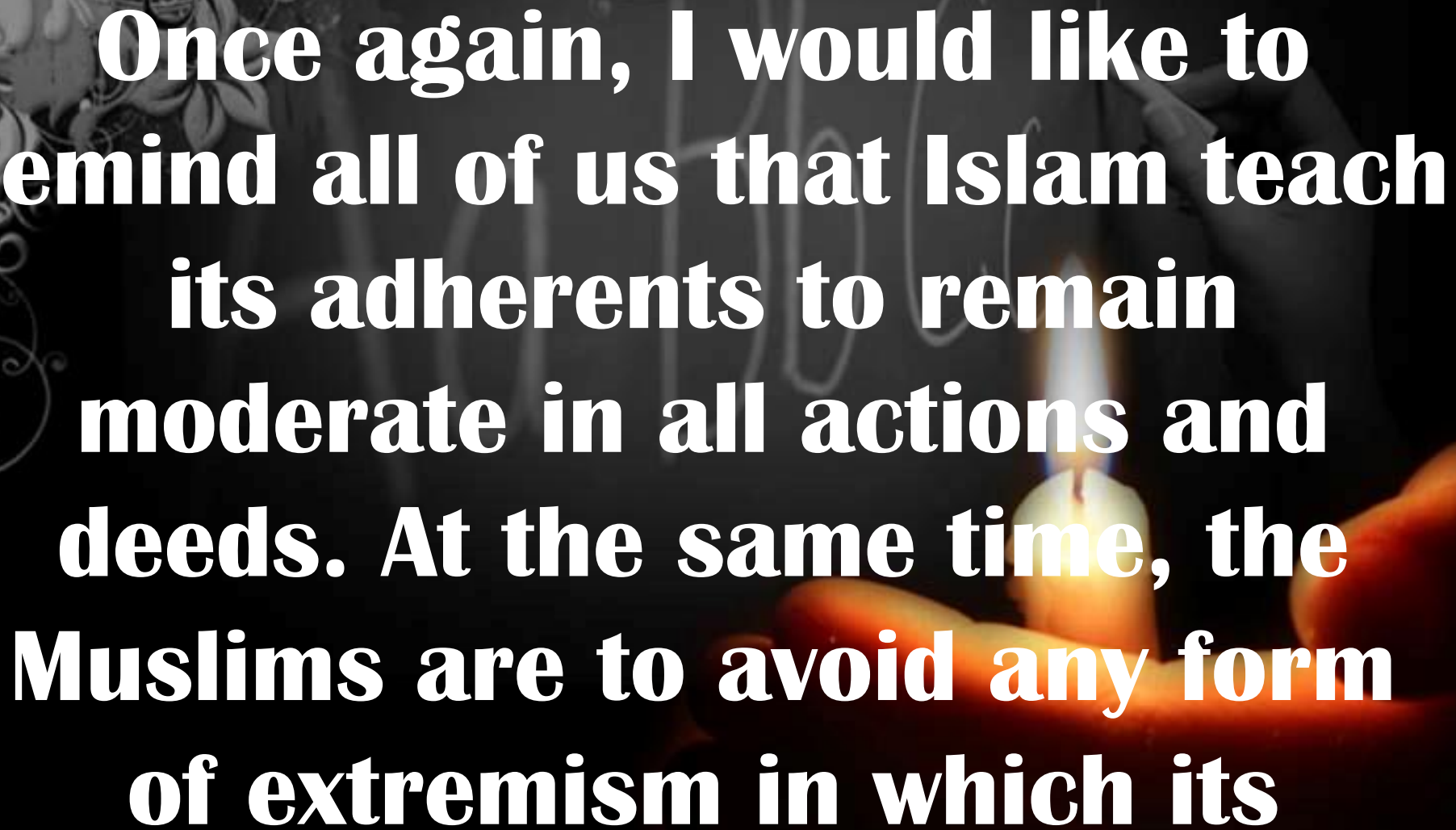


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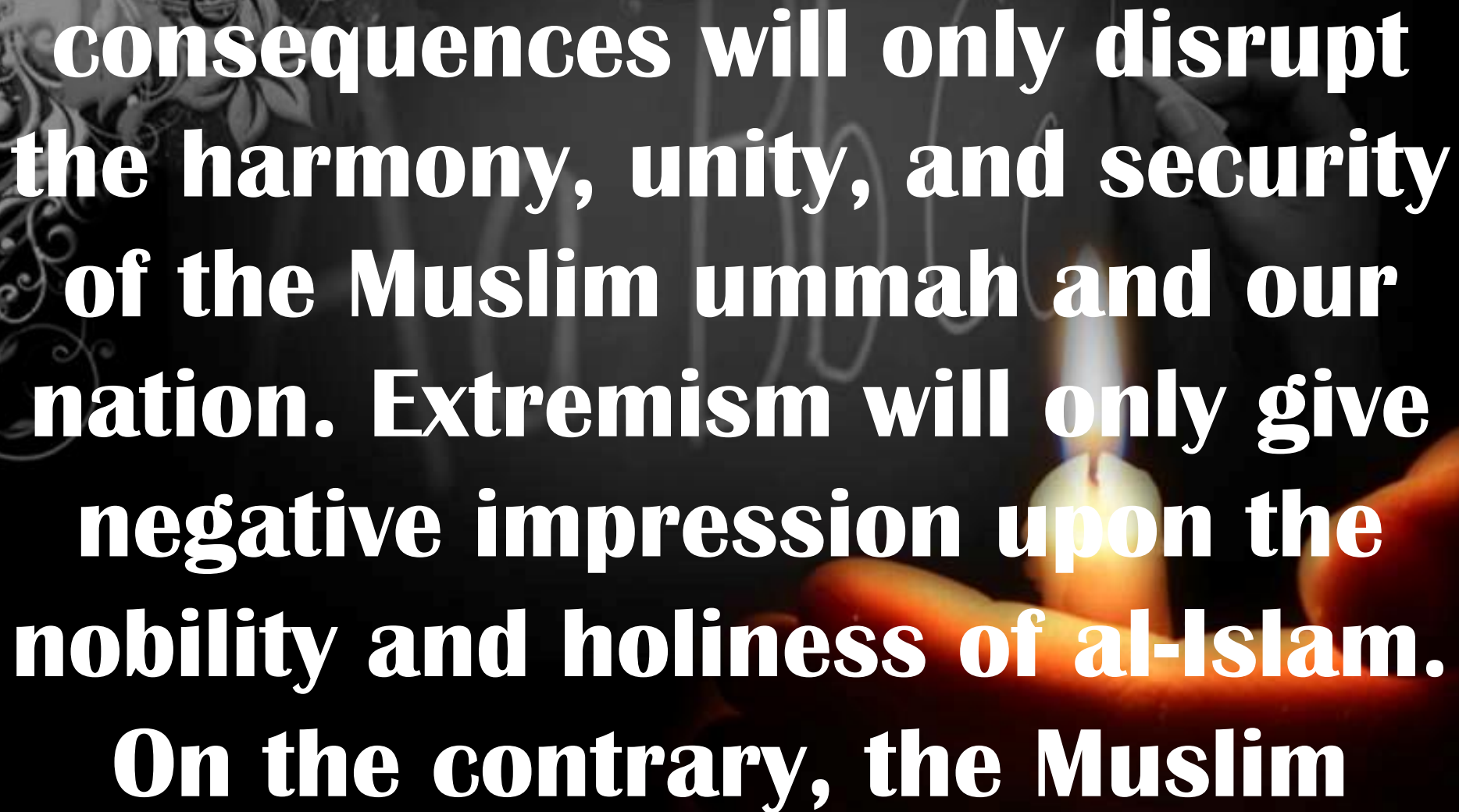
**“They said, “Exalted are You;  
we have no knowledge except  
what You have taught us.  
Indeed, it is You who is the  
Knowing, the Wise.””**

**(al-Baqarah 2:32)**

بَارَكَ اللهُ لِيْ وَ لَكُمْ فِي الْقُرْآنِ الْعَظِيْمِ وَ نَفَعَنِيْ وَ اِيَّاكُمْ  
بِمَا فِيْهِ مِنَ الْاَيَاتِ وَ الذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيْمِ وَ تَقَبَّلْ مِنِّيْ وَ مِنْكُمْ  
تِلَاوَتَهُ اِنَّهُ هُوَ السَّمِيْعُ الْعَلِيْمُ. اَقُوْلُ قَوْلِيْ هَذَا  
وَ اَسْتَغْفِرُ اللهَ الْعَظِيْمَ لِيْ وَ لَكُمْ وَ لِسَائِرِ الْمُسْلِمِيْنَ  
وَ الْمُسْلِمَاتِ وَ الْمُؤْمِنِيْنَ وَ الْمُؤْمِنَاتِ الْاَحْيَاءِ مِنْهُمْ  
وَ الْأَمْوَاتِ فَاسْتَغْفِرُوْهُ  
اِنَّهُ هُوَ الْغَفُوْرُ الرَّحِيْمُ

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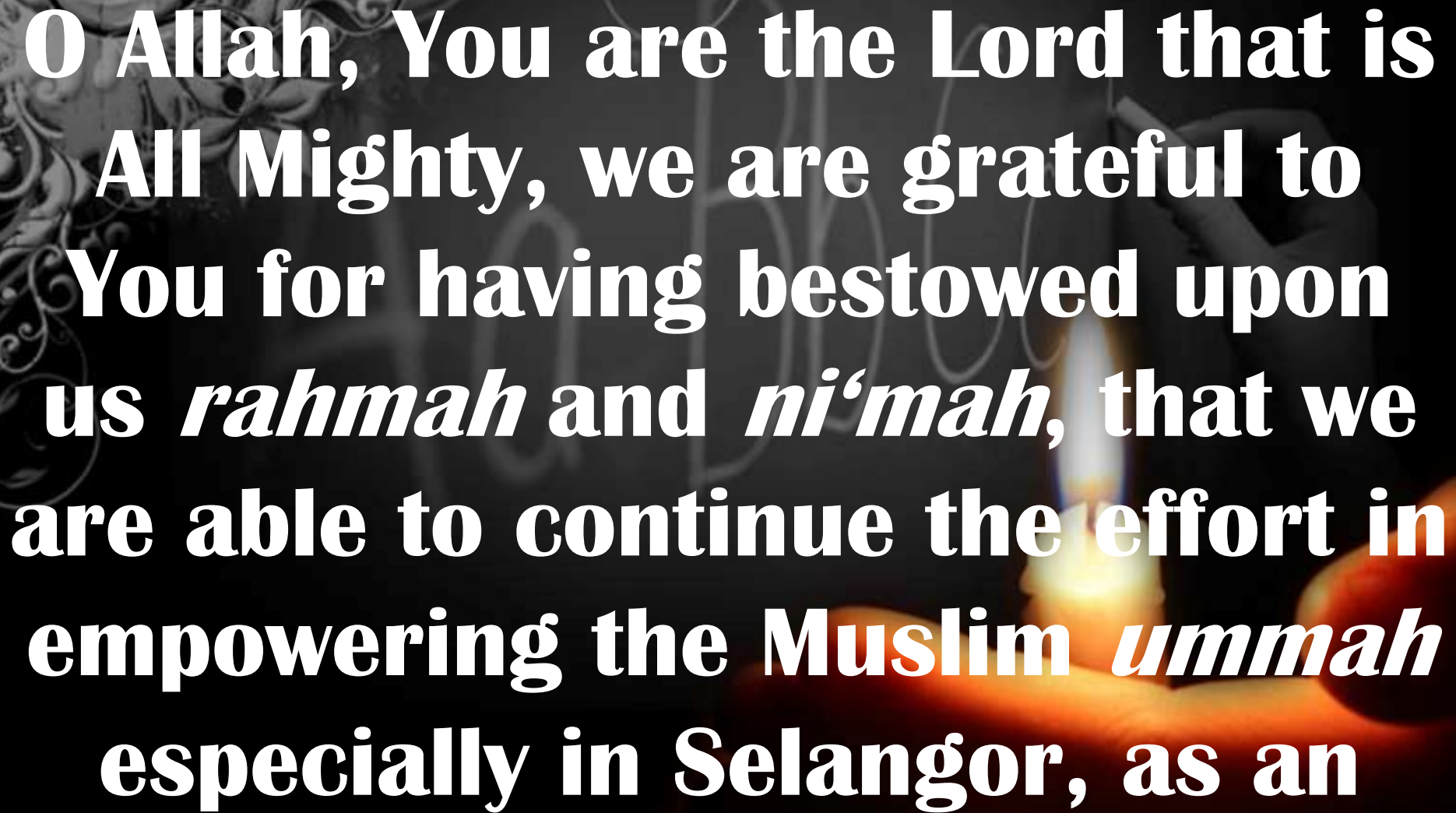
**Once again, I would like to remind all of us that Islam teaches its adherents to remain moderate in all actions and deeds. At the same time, the Muslims are to avoid any form of extremism in which its**



**consequences will only disrupt  
the harmony, unity, and security  
of the Muslim ummah and our  
nation. Extremism will only give  
negative impression upon the  
nobility and holiness of al-Islam.  
On the contrary, the Muslim**

**ummah must inculcate noble  
akhlaaq, having utmost  
personality and attitude as true  
Muslims so that the world will  
know that Rasulallah (ﷺ) was  
sent down as a messenger, and  
Islam that was revealed is mercy  
for the entire nation and  
universe.**



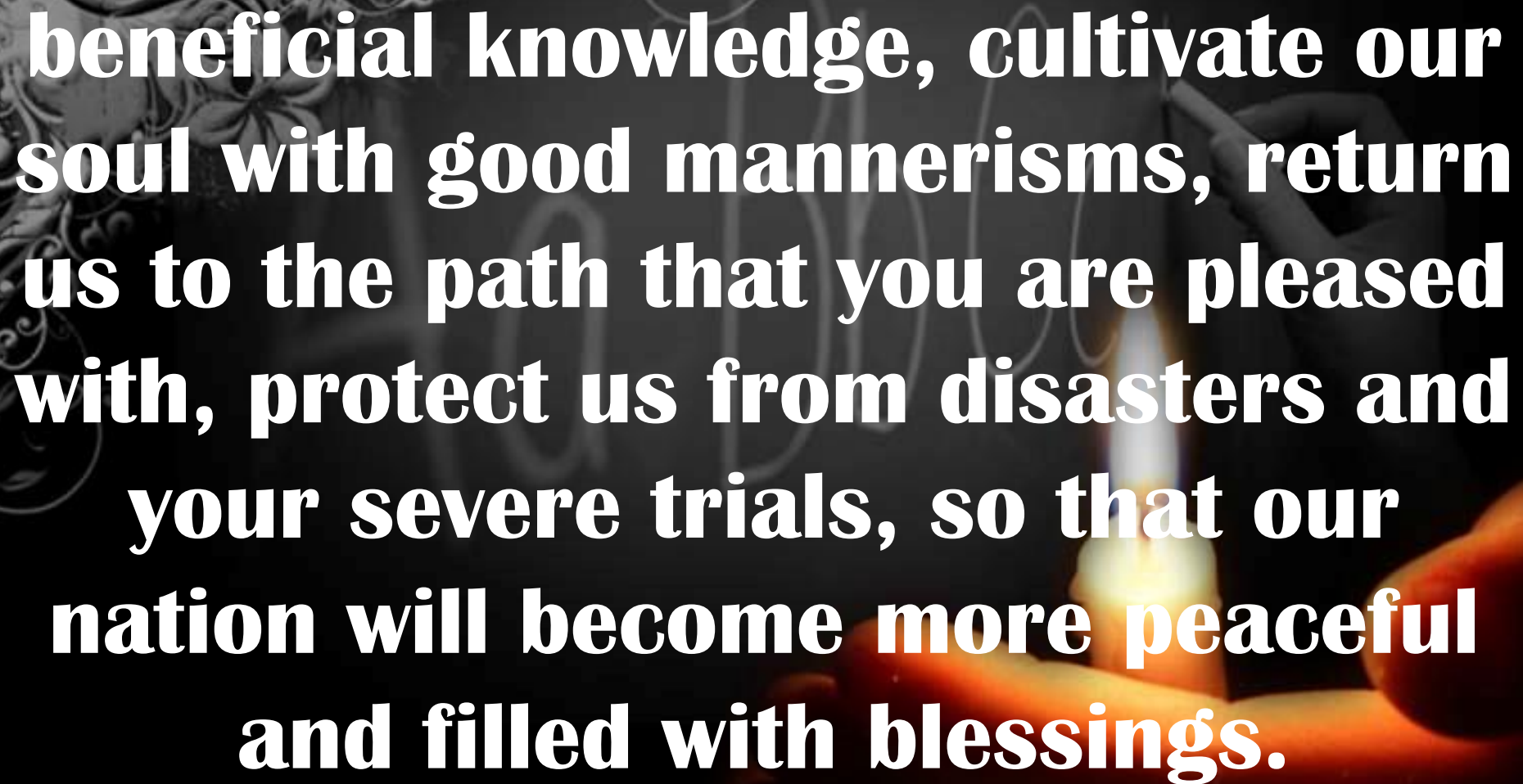


**O Allah, You are the Lord that is  
All Mighty, we are grateful to  
You for having bestowed upon  
us *rahmah* and *ni'mah*, that we  
are able to continue the effort in  
empowering the Muslim *ummah*  
especially in Selangor, as an**

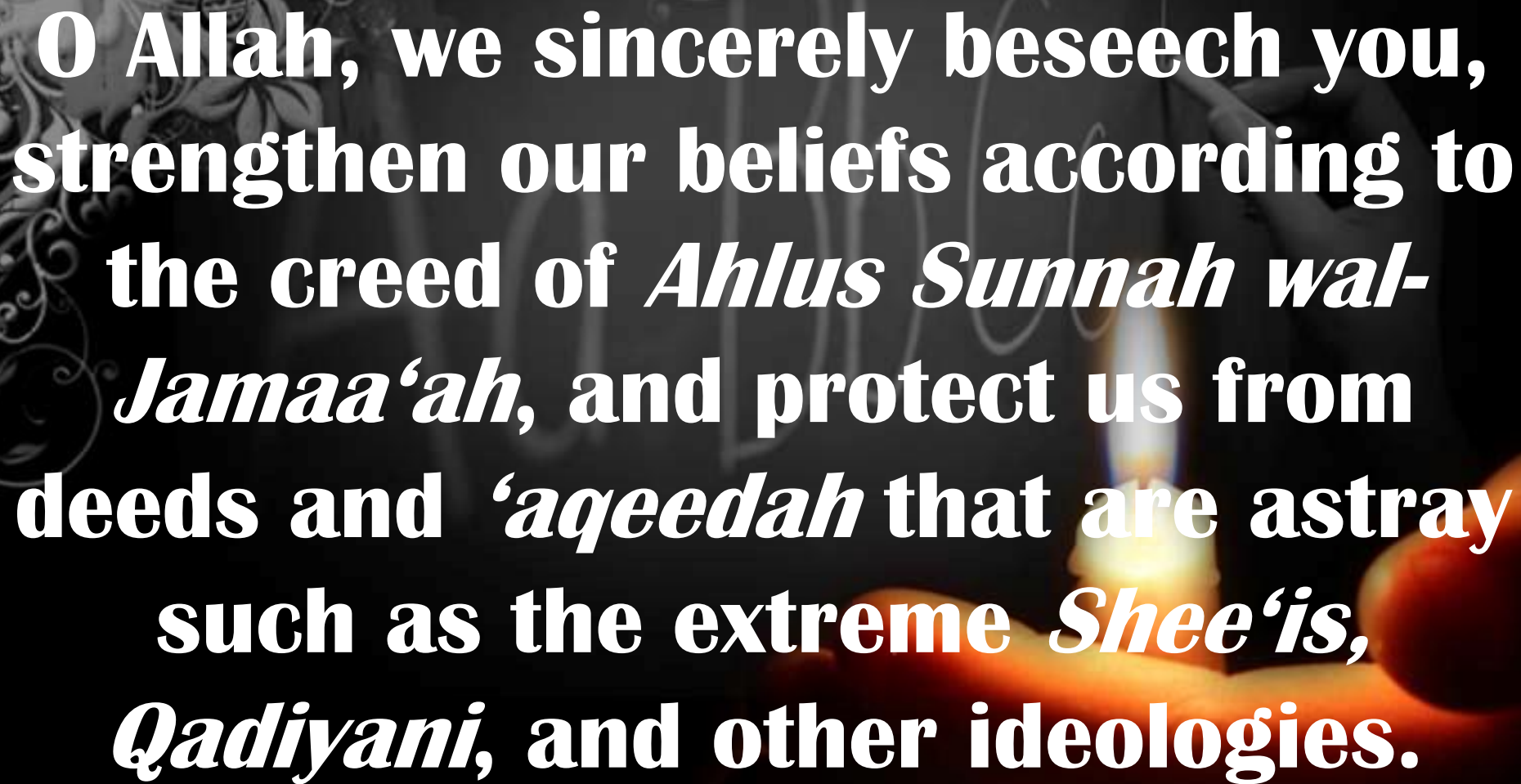


**advanced state, prosperous, and  
providing welfare.**

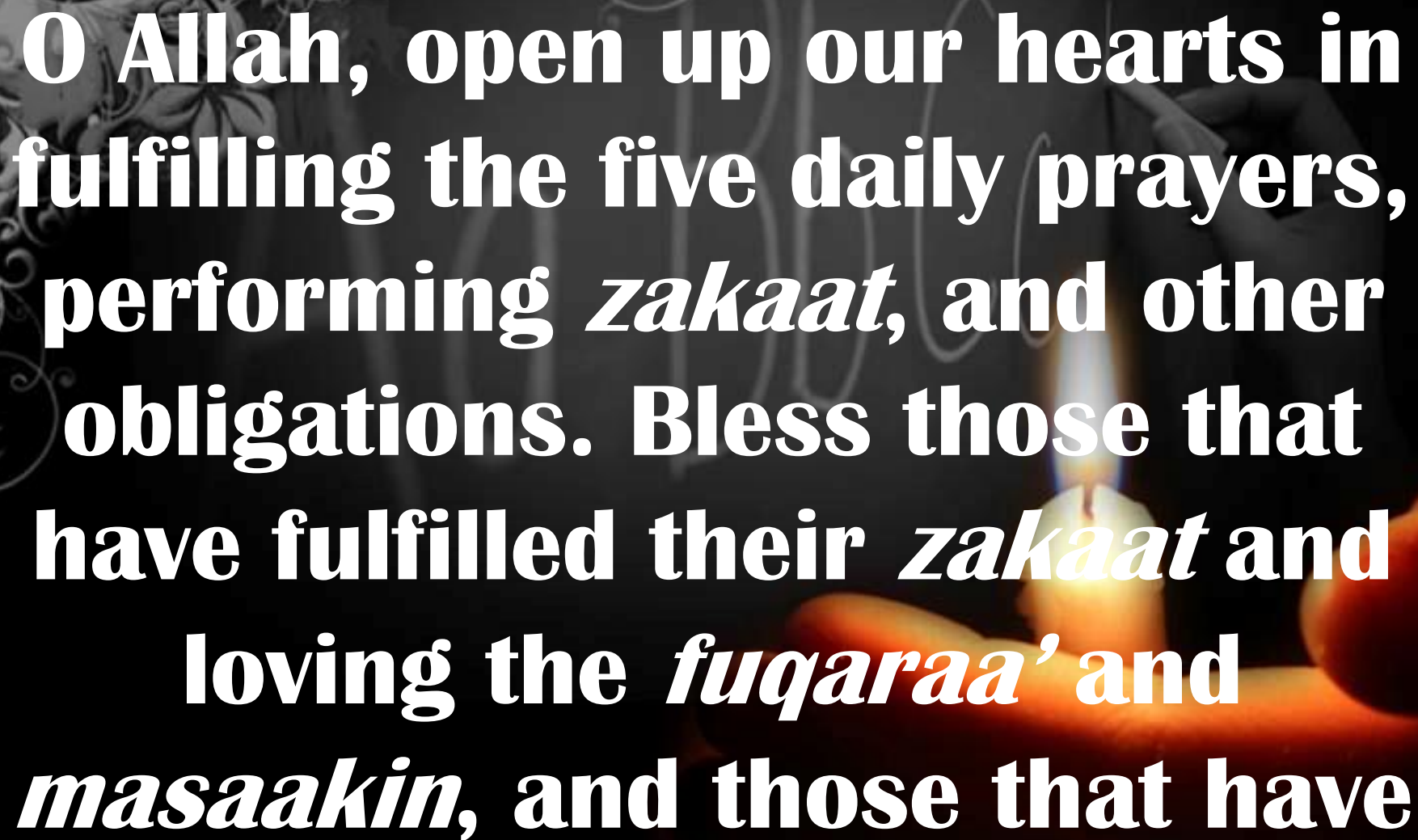
**Hence, we sincerely beseech  
you, O Allah, strengthen our  
*imaan*, accept our deeds,  
strengthen our unity, increase  
our *rizq*, enrich us with**

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**beneficial knowledge, cultivate our  
soul with good mannerisms, return  
us to the path that you are pleased  
with, protect us from disasters and  
your severe trials, so that our  
nation will become more peaceful  
and filled with blessings.**

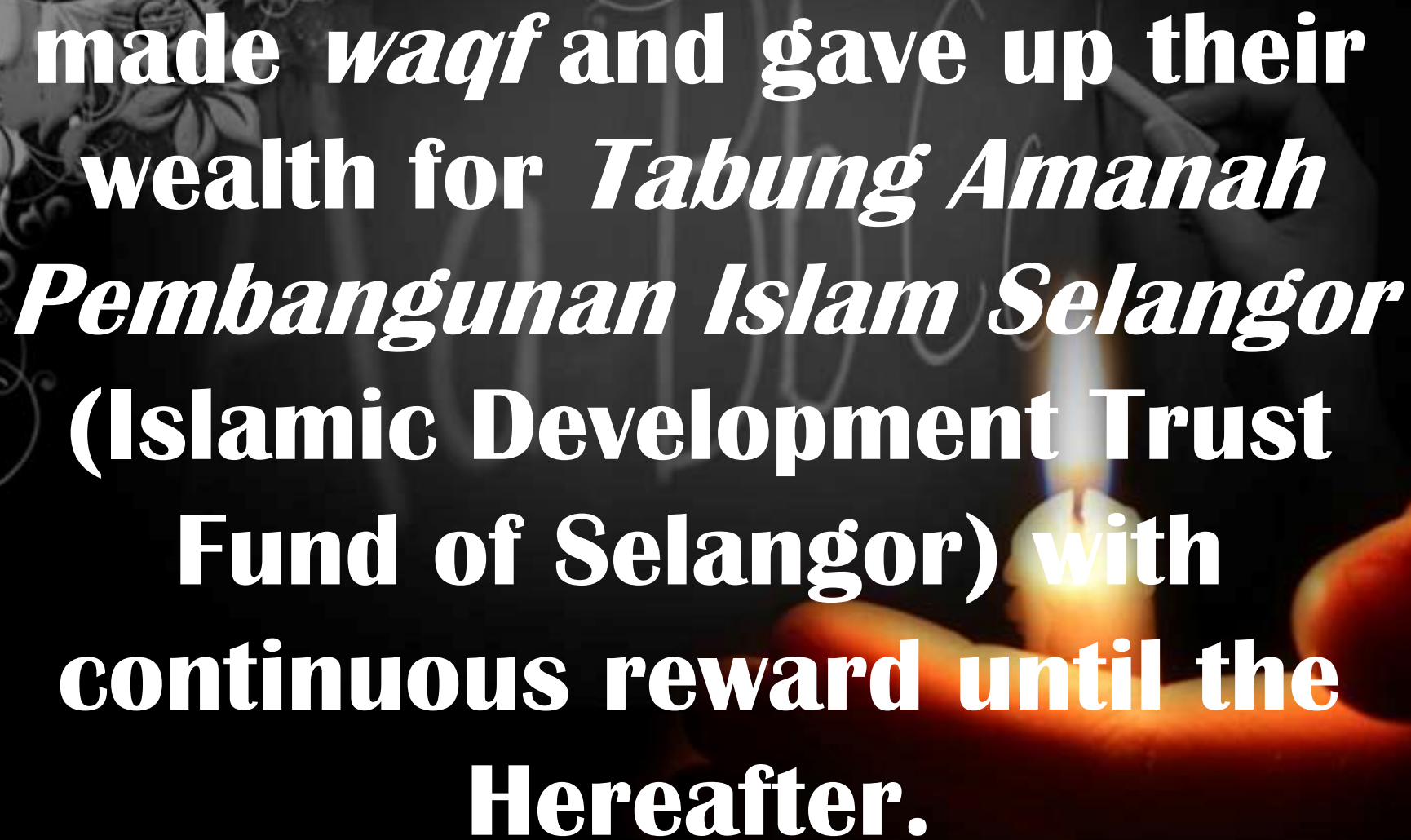


**O Allah, we sincerely beseech you,  
strengthen our beliefs according to  
the creed of *Ahlus Sunnah wal-  
Jamaa'ah*, and protect us from  
deeds and *'aqeedah* that are astray  
such as the extreme *Shee'is*,  
*Qadiyani*, and other ideologies.**



**O Allah, open up our hearts in fulfilling the five daily prayers, performing *zakaat*, and other obligations. Bless those that have fulfilled their *zakaat* and loving the *fuqaraa'* and *masaakin*, and those that have**





**made *waqf* and gave up their  
wealth for *Tabung Amanah  
Pembangunan Islam Selangor*  
(Islamic Development Trust  
Fund of Selangor) with  
continuous reward until the  
Hereafter.**



**O Allah, increase and widen the *rizq* of those that made *waqf* from their wealth with perpetual rewards until the Last Day.**



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