

# "THIS IS MY SACRIFICE, ACCEPT IT, O ALLAH"

اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ

اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَاللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ، اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ وَلِلَّهِ الْحَمْدُ

اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ كَبِيْرًا، وَالْحَمْدِ لِلَّهِ كَثِيْرًا، وَسُبْحَانَ اللَّهِ بُكْرَةً وَاصِيْلًا.

اَلْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ الَّذِيْ أَكْرَمَنَا بِنِعْمِةِ الْإسلام، وَفَضَّلَنَا عَلَى كَثِيْرٍ مَنَ الْأُمَمِ. أَشْهَدُ اَنْ لَا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لاَ شَرِيْكَ لَهُ، لَهُ الْمُلْكُ وَلَهُ الْحَمْدُ وَهُوَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيْرٌ. وَأَشْهَدُ اَنَّ سَيّدَنَا مُحَمَّدًا عَبْدُهُ وَرَسُوْلُهُ.

اَللَّهُمَّ صَلَّ وَسَلَّمْ وَبَارِكْ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا وَحَبِيْبِنَا وَقُدْوَتِنَا وَإِمَامِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ، نَبِيُّ الرَّحْمَةِ وَشَفِيْعُ الأُمَّةِ، وَعَلَى اللهِ وَصَحْبِهِ وَمَنْ تَبِعَهُ وَنَصَرَهُ وَوَالاَهُ.

فَيَا عِبَادَ اللهِ، أُوْصِيْكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللهِ، فَقَدْ فَازَ الْمُتَّقُوْنَ.

قَالَ اللّهُ تَعَالَى: يَآيُّهَا الَّذِيْنَ ءَامَنُوْا اتَّقُوْا اللهَ حَقَّ تُقَاتِهِ وَلَا تَمُوْتُنَّ اِلَّ وَاَنْتُمْ مُسْلِمُوْنَ مُسْلِمُوْنَ

اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، وَلِلَّهِ الْحَمْدُ

Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, and all praise be to Allah

#### Dear blessed Muslimeen and Muslimaat,

I remind myself and respected *muslimeen* and *muslimaat* that are present on this blessed morning of 'Eid al-Adha to strive in increasing our taqwa of Allah Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala, by fulfilling all of the commands of Allah Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala with diligence and avoiding all of His prohibitions. May we all become among the slaves of Allah having utmost taqwa and those whom He is pleased with in this world until the Hereafter.

On this morning of 'Eid al-Adha, I implore fellow muslimeen and muslimaat to ponder upon the 'Eid al-Adha khutbah titled "THIS IS MY SACRIFICE, ACCEPT IT, O ALLAH."

اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، وَلِلَّهِ الْحَمْدُ

labatan Aaama Islam Selanaor



Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, and all praise be to Allah

## Respected Muslimeen and Muslimaat,

Today is the 10<sup>th</sup> of Dhul-Hijjah, and the Muslims that are performing hajj in Makkah are completing their hajj rituals in fulfilling the fifth pillar of Islam.

While the Muslims here in Malaysia, after performing the *'Eid al-Adha* prayer, will soon altogether proceed to slaughter the animals, in fulfilling the *'ibaadah* of *qurbaani* (*ud-hiyah*). This *'ibaadah* (act of worship) is done purely to attain the pleasure of Allah and its tremendous reward. Narrated Zayd bin al-Argam: Rasulullah acid: said:

"A human does no action from the actions on the Day of Nahr (Sacrifice) more beloved to Allah than spilling blood. On the Day of Judgment, it will appear with its horns, and hair, and hooves, and indeed the blood will be accepted by Allah from where it is received before it even falls upon earth, so let your heart delight in it."

(at-Tirmidhi)

Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, and all praise be to Allah

#### Dear respected Muslimeen and Muslimaat,

Slaughtering the animals of *qurbaani* is an *'ibaadah* that offers great rewards. The *'ibaadah* of *ud-hiyah* is a *shi'aar* (symbol) of Islam and a symbol of great sacrifice by Prophet Ibraaheem *'Alayhis-Salaam* in manifesting his unwavering adherence to Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* and obedience that is unparalleled. Prophet Ibraaheem *'Alayhis-Salaam* was willing to accept, wholeheartedly, the very command to slaughter his beloved son Prophet Ismaa'eel *'Alayhis-Salaam* in upholding and abiding by the command of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala*. Furthermore, his son, Prophet Ismaa'eel, had willingly accepted the request of his father, which was a command from Allah, without objection. The willingness of both the father and the son was clearly mentioned by Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* in verse 102 of soorah as-Saaffaat:

"And when he reached with him [the age of] exertion, he said, "O my son, indeed I have seen in a dream that I [must] sacrifice you, so see what you think." He

labatan Aaama Islam Selanaor



said, "O my father, do as you are commanded. You will find me, if Allah wills, of the steadfast.""

Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, and all praise be to Allah

#### Dearest Muslimeen and Muslimaat,

Allah Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala has commanded His slaves to perform the 'ibaadah of qurbaani every year. Allah has legislated the 'ibaadah of qurbaani as a supererogatory act (sunnah) that is highly recommended in attaining taqwa and ikhlaas (sincerity) in the Sight of Allah Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala, just as it was done by Prophet Ibraaheem and Prophet Ismaa'eel 'Alayhim as-Salaam as true manifestation of their love for Allah Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala, which far exceeds their love for this world, wealth, children, and self-interest. Allah Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala mentions in verse 37 of soorah al-Hajj:

"Their meat will not reach Allah, nor will their blood, but what reaches Him is piety from you. Thus have We subjected them to you that you may glorify Allah for that [to] which He has guided you; and give good tidings to the doers of good."

Indeed, our entire lives necessitates sacrifice, where a father must sacrifice his energy, time, and money in raising his children, preparing food and drinks for them, provide clothing, safeguarding their health and safety, educating and guiding them unto becoming individuals that are upright in this world and excellent in the Hereafter.

A leader, whether within the family, society, at the state or even the national level, must sacrifice through his intellect, energy, time, and even money, so as to manage, administer, and organize all forms of duties entrusted upon him.

Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, and all praise be to Allah

# Respected Muslimeen and Muslimaat,

Sacrifice is a necessity in life, for without it, survivability in this life will not be attained completely. While such favor is a privilege that is bestowed by Allah upon His slaves whom are willing to strive with diligence and sacrifice with full sincerity, purely for the sake of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala*. Such is the teaching and *'ibrah* (lesson) that can be internalized from the *'ibaadah* of *ud-hiyah* performed by the Muslim *ummah*, specifically the sacrifice of Prophet Ibraaheem and his son Prophet Ismaa'eel *'Alayhim as-Salaam.* 



Verily, the 'ibaadah of qurbaani is not just merely to enjoy the slaughtered meat that is distributed. Such distribution is hoped to further nourish the bond of brotherhood within the Muslim *ummah*. The value of such slaughtering lies within its purely divine sacrifice, lofty symbol of worship, and full submission to Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala*. In which it is proclaimed that this is my sacrifice, this is the purity of my worship, this is from my cleansed and sincerity of heart that I willingly surrender to You, O Allah! So accept it, O Allah!

O Allah! Verily this is my 'ibaadah of sacrifice that is from the blessings of Your bounties, and it is purely for Your sake that I perform this deed, so accept this 'ibaadah of mine.

Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, Allah is Most Great, and all praise be to Allah

#### Dear noble Muslimeen and Muslimaat,

In concluding the *khutbah* of *'Eid al-Adha* on this blessed morning, let us derive several lessons and guidelines as in the following:

- 1. It is *waajib* (obligatory) upon the Muslim *ummah* to have belief and full certainty that fulfilling the commands of Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala* is proof of one's *imaan* (faith).
- 2. The Muslim *ummah* must have *ikhlaas* in performing all of the *'ibaadah* decreed by Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala*.
- 3. The Muslims must preserve and strengthen its ties of brotherhood amongst Muslims, in addition to mutual cooperation, aiding one another, being kind and accepting of one another, and placing the interest of others before one's own self.
- 4. The Muslim *ummah* must always sacrifice so as to attain victory and salvation in this world and the Hereafter.

"And for all religion We have appointed a rite [of sacrifice] that they may mention the name of Allah over what He has provided for them of [sacrificial] animals. For your god is one God, so to Him submit. And, [O Muhammad], give good tidings to the humble [before their Lord]."



(al-Hajj 22:34)

بَارَكَ اللهُ لِيْ وَلَكُمْ فِي الْقُرْآنِ الْعَظِيْمِ، وَنَفَعَنِيْ وَإِيَّاكُمْ بِمَا فِيْهِ مِنَ الآيَاتِ وَالذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيْمِ وَتَقَبَّلَ مِنِيْ وَمِنْكُمْ تِلَاوَتَهُو، إِنَّهُو هُوَ السَّمِيْعُ الْعَلِيْمُ. وَالذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيْمِ وَتَقَبَّلَ مِنِيْ وَمِنْكُمْ تِلَاوَتَهُو، إِنَّهُو هُوَ السَّمِيْعُ الْعَلِيْمُ. أَقُولُ قَوْلِيْ هَذَا وَأَسْتَغْفِرُ اللهَ الْعَظِيْمَ لِيْ وَلَكُمْ وَلِسَآئِرِ الْمُسْلِمِيْنَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ، فَاسْتَغْفِرُوهُ إِنَّهُ وَهُو الْعَفُورُ الرَّحِيْمُ.

اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، وَلِلَّهِ الْحَمْدُ



### THE SECOND KHUTBAH

اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ

اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ

اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ اللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَاللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ، اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ وَللَّهِ الْحَمْدُ

اَللَّهُ اَكْبَرُ كَبِيْرًا، وَالْحَمْدِ لِلَّهِ كَثِيْرًا، وَسُبْحَانَ اللَّهِ بُكْرَةً وَاصِيْلًا

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ، صَدَقَ وَعْدَهُ، وَنَصَرَ عَبْدَهُ وَأَعَزَّ جُنَّدَهُ، وَهَزَمَ الْأَحْزَابَ

اَلْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ الَّذِيْ أَكْرَمَنَا بِنِعْمِةِ الْإِسْلاَمِ، وَفَضَّلَنَا عَلَى كَثِيْرٍ مَنَ الْأُمَمِ. اَشْهَدُ اَنْ لَا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لاَ شَرِيْكَ لَهُ، لَهُ الْمُلْكُ وَلَهُ الْحَمْدُ وَهُوَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيْرٌ. وَاَشْهَدُ اَنَّ سَيّدَنَا مُحَمَّدًا عَبْدُهُ وَرَسُوْلُهُ.

ٱللَّهُمَّ صَلَّ وَسَلَّمْ عَلَى سَيْدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَى آلِهِ وَصَحْبِهِ أَجْمَعِيْنَ

اَمَّابَعْد، فَيَا أَيُّهَا الْمُسْلِمُوْنَ، اِتَّقُوْا الله، أُوْصِيْكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللهِ، فَقَدْ فَازَ الْمُتَّقُوْنَ.

قَالَ اللَّهُ تَعَالَى: يَآيُّهَا الَّذِيْنَ ءَامَنُوْا اتَّقُوْا اللهَ حَقَّ تُقَاتِهِ وَلَا تَمُوْتُنَّ اِلَّا وَاَنْتُمْ مُسْلِمُوْنَ مُسْلِمُوْنَ

اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، اللهُ أَكْبَرُ، وَلِلَّهِ الْحَمْدُ

#### Honorable Muslimeen and Muslimaat,

Beginning from the dawn (*subh*) of the 9<sup>th</sup> of Dhul-Hijjah yesterday, the *sunnah* is for us to increase in making *takbeer* to glorify Allah *Subhaanahu Wa Ta'aala*, especially every time after completing the obligatory (*fard*) or supererogatory prayers throughout the days of *Tashreeq*, which ends after the '*Asr* prayer on the 13<sup>th</sup> of Dhul-Hijjah. In addition, we are to increase our *salawaat* upon our beloved Prophet as a manifestation of our love for him, who has rendered tremendous service in conveying the *risaalah* (message) of Islam, faced with multitudes of sacrifices and *jihaad*.



اَللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ وَسَلِّمْ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا وَمَوْلاَنَا مُحَمَّدٍ سَيِّدِ الْمُرْسَلِينَ وَارْضَ اللَّهُمَّ عَنْ أَصْحَابِهِ وَقَرَابَتِهِ وَأَزْوَاجِهِ وَذُرِّيَّاتِهِ أَجْمَعِيْنَ.

اَللَّهُمَّ اغْفِرْ لِلْمُسْلِمِیْنَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ وَالْمُؤْمِنِیْنَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ الأَحْیَاءِ مِنْهُمْ وَالأَمْوَات، إِنَّكَ سَمِیْعٌ قَرِیْبٌ مُجِیْبُ الدَّعَوَاتِ وَیَا قَاضِيَ الْحَاجَاتِ. اَللَّهُمَّ أَعِزَّ اِلإسلامَ وَالْمُسْلِمِیْنَ، وَأَهْلِكِ الْكَفَرَةَ وَالْمُبْتَدِعَةَ وَالْمُشْرِكِیْنَ وَدَمِّرْ اَعْدَاءَكَ اَعْدَاءَ الدِّیْن. وَانْصُرْنَا عَلَی الْقَوْمِ الْكَافِرِیْنَ.

اَللّهُمَّ إِنَّا نَسْأَلُكَ وَنَتَوَسَّلُ إِلَيْكَ بِنَبِيِّكَ الأَمْيْنِ، وَنَسْأَلُكَ بِأَسْمَآئِكَ الْحُسْنَ، وَصِفَاتِكَ الْعُظْمَى، أَنْ تَحْفَظَ بِعَيْنِ عِنَايَتِكَ الرَّبَّانِيَّةِ، وَبِحِفْظِ وِقَايَتِكَ الصَّمَدَانِيَّةِ، جَلاَلَةَ مَلِكِنَا الْمُعَظَّمِ، سُلْطَان سلاغُور، سُلْطَان شَرَفُ الدِّين إدريس شاه الحاج ابن المرحوم سُلْطَان صَلاَحُ الدِّين عبد العزيز شاه الحاج. اَللَّهُمَّ أَدِمِ الْعَوْنَ وَالْهِدَايَةَ وَالسَّلامَةَ مِنْكَ، لِوَلِيِّ عَهْدِ سلاغُور، تَعْكُو أَمِير شَاه إبْنِ السُّلْطَان شَرَفُ الدِّين إدريس شاه الحاج، فِيْ أَمْنٍ وَصَلاَحٍ وَعَافِيَةٍ بِمَنِّكَ وَكَرَمِكَ يَا السُّلْطَان شَرَفُ الدِّين إدريس شاه الحاج، فِيْ أَمْنٍ وَصَلاَحٍ وَعَافِيَةٍ بِمَنِّكَ وَكَرَمِكَ يَا ذَاالْجَلالِ وَالإِكْرَامِ. اَللَّهُمَّ أَطِلْ عُمْرَهُمَا مُصْلِحَيْنِ لِلْمُوَظَّفِيْنَ وَالرَّعِيَّةِ وَالْبِلاَدِ، وَبلِغُ مَقَاصِدَهُمَا لِطَرِيق الْهُدَى وَالرَّشَادِ.

رَبَّنَا ءَاتِنَا فِي الدُّنْيَا حَسَنَةً وَفِي الْأَخِرَةِ حَسَنَةً وَقِنَا عَذَابَ النَّارِ.

عِبَادَ الله! إِنَّ اللهَ يَأْمُرُ بِالْعَدْلِ وَالْإِحْسَانِ وَإِيْتَاءِ ذِى الْقُرْبَى وَيَنْهَى عَنِ الْفَحْشَاءِ وَالْمُنْكَرِ وَالْبَغْي يَعِظُكُمْ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَذَكَّرُوْنَ. فَاذْكُرُوا اللهَ الْعَظِيْمَ يَذْكُرُكُمْ وَاشْكُرُوْهُ عَلَى نِعَمِهِ يَزِدْكُمْ، وَاسْأَلُوْهُ مِنْ فَضْلِهِ يُعْطِكُمْ وَلَذِكْرُ اللهِ أَكْبَرُ، وَاللهُ يَعْلَمُ مَا تَصْنَعُوْنَ.

الله أَكْبَرُ، الله أَكْبَرُ، الله أَكْبَرُ، الله أَكْبَرُ، الله أَكْبَرُ وَلِلّهِ الْحَمْدُ. لاَ إِلَهَ إِلاَّ الله وَالله أَكْبَرُ وَلِلَّهِ الْحَمْدُ. مِنَ الْعَائِدِيْنِ وَالْفَائِزِيْنَ، وَكُلُّ عَامٍ وَأَنْتُمْ بِخَيْرٍ مَنَ الْعَائِدِيْنِ وَالْفَائِزِيْنَ، وَكُلُّ عَامٍ وَأَنْتُمْ بِخَيْرٍ مَنَ الله مِنَّا وَمِنْكُمْ صَالِحَ الْأَعْمَال