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بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم

Preface



All the praises be to Allah, the Lord of the Worlds. We praise Him and seek His help. We seek His forgiveness and we seek refuge in Him from the evil of our own souls and from the wickedness of our own deeds, whoever is guided by Allah, cannot be led astray, and whoever is led astray, shall find none other to guide him.

I bear witness that none has the right to be worshipped but Allah, Who has no partner and I bear witness that Prophet Muhammad (Peace be upon him) is His servant and Messenger.

Believing in Tawheed, the Oneness of Allah is very important topic and a main fundamental of the religion of Islam, This belief establishes the relationship between believers (Momin) and their Rabb. So every Muslim should believe that Allah almighty is our Creator, Sustainer and the true God. Only He has the right to be worshipped, because there is no partner or associate of Him and only He has created the Universe. Who is similar to nothing and nothing is comparable to Him.

Tawheed is one of the most important part of Islam and it is much emphasized both in Quran and Hadith of Prophet Muhammad (Peace be upon him), so that every Muslim man and woman must know and pay attention on the Tawheed.

And we should avoid from associating partners (Shirk) with Allah in worship, because Shirk is greatest sin in Islam. Allah forgives not (the sin of) setting up partners in worship with Him.

I have arranged this book for the students of "Peace Global School", so that they can memorise Islamic Doctrine (Aqeedah). I hope that this book will be useful for the students. May Allah (swt) guide us with good knowledge and show us the straight path. Aameen

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Lesson No. 1

Tawheed (Islamic Monotheism)



Tawheed in Arabic means the Oneness (of Allah)

Tawheed is to consider and believe in one Allah (the only true God) in his Oneness of Rububiyyah (lordship), His Holy names and qualities, and to believe that He is the Owning lord who only deserves to be worshipped.

Tawheed is the basis of Islam and it can be divided into three categories.

1. Tawheed ar-Rububiyyah
2. Tawheed al-Ibaadah
3. Tawheed al-Asmaa-was-Sifaat

Allah Says in the Holy Quran

رَبُّ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ وَمَا بَيْنَهُمَا فَاعْبُدْهُ وَاصْطَبِرْ لِعِبَادَتِهِ. هَلْ تَعْلَمُ لَهُ شَمِيًّا
 Lord of the heavens and the earth, and all that is between them, so worship Him (Alone) and be constant and patient in His worship. Do you know of any who is similar to Him? (of course, none is similar or coequal or comparable to Him, and He has none as partner with Him). [There is nothing like unto Him and He is the All-Hearer, the All-Seer]

(Quran Chapter 19 Verse 65)





Lesson No. 2

An Explanation of Surah Al-Ikhlâs

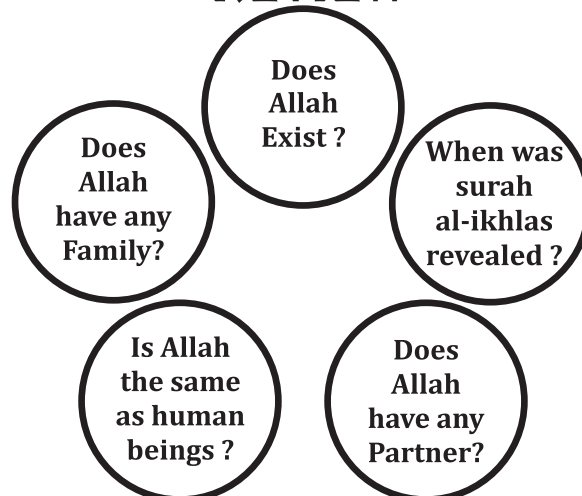
Surah Al-Ikhlâs was revealed to Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him) during the early days of Islam. The polytheists and pagans of Makkah one day approached and challenged him saying, "Give us the genealogy of your Lord." It was then that Allah revealed this surah

سُورَةُ الْإِخْلَاصِ
بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

قُلْ هُوَ اللَّهُ أَحَدٌ ۝ اللَّهُ الصَّمَدُ ۝ لَمْ يَلِدْ وَلَمْ يُولَدْ ۝ وَلَمْ يَكُنْ لَهُ كُفُوًا أَحَدٌ ۝

Say (O Muhammad ﷺ) : He is Allâh, the One.(1) Allâh the Self-Sufficient Master, Whom all creatures need, (He neither eats nor drinks). (2) He begets not, nor was He begotten (3) And there is (none co-equal or comparable unto Him. (4)

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Lesson No. 3

Do you know who Allah is?



Allah is our Lord.



He created all the humans.



**He created all the trees,
rivers and mountains.**



**He created the sky, sun,
moon and stars.**



**He created the animals,
birds even the tiny little flies.**



Allah created everything.



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Who is
our Lord?

Who
created
the humans?

Who created
the trees
and rivers?

Did Allah
create the
mountains?

Who created
the sky, sun
and moon?

Who created
the stars?

Who created
animals and
birds?

Did Allah
created
everything?





Lesson No. 4

There is no one like Allah

لَيْسَ كَمِثْلِهِ شَيْءٌ وَهُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْبَصِيرُ

There is nothing like Him and He is the All-Hearer, the All-Seer. (Quran Chapter 42 Verse 11)

Allah gave us everything



Allah created us and gave us health, eyes and ears.

Allah is above everything.

Allah gave us our fathers, mothers, brothers and sisters.



Did anyone else do that ?

No, No one do that and there is no one like Allah.

Subhan Allah!

Who gave us everything?

Who created us and gave us health, eyes and ears?

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Who gave us fathers, mothers, brothers and sisters?

Is Allah above everything?
Is anyone like Allah?

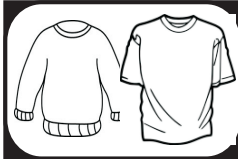


Lesson No. 5

Allah gives us every things



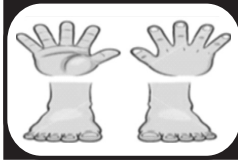
Allah gives us foods



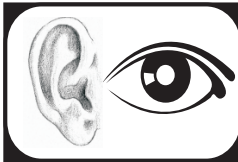
He gives us clothes.



He gives us fruits.



**Allah gave us
hands and feet.**

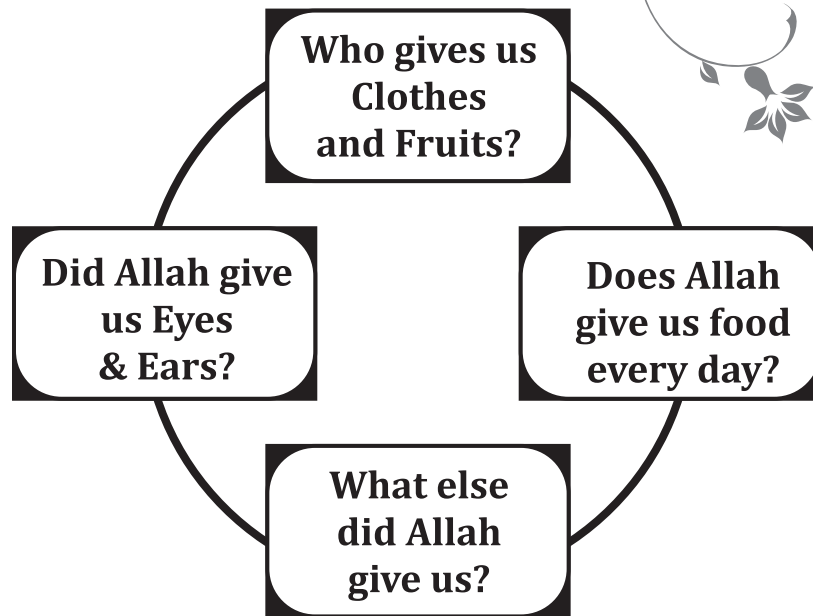


**He gave us
eyes and our ears.**

Allah gave us everything



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Please write down your answers in the following lines.

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Lesson No. 6

If someone asks you

Who is your
Lord?

مَنْ رَبُّكَ؟

مَا دِينُكَ
What is your
religion?

Who is your
Prophet ?

مَنْ نَبِيِّكَ

You Say

My Lord
is Allah

رَبِّيَ اللَّهُ

دِينِي إِسْلَامٌ

My religion
is Islam

My prophet is
Muhammad ﷺ

نَبِيِّ مُحَمَّدٍ ﷺ

Lesson No. 7

Whats is the Holy Quran?



The Holy Quran is the Last and Final Words of Allah (God) Almighty and a message to whole mankind.

It is a collection of 114 chapters (Surah) that were revealed to Prophet Muhammad (Peace be upon him) by revelation through the angel Jibreel (Peace be upon him) over a period of 23 years.

Allah almighty Says

إِنَّ هَذَا الْقُرْآنَ يَهْدِي لِلَّتِي هِيَ أَقْوَمُ وَيُبَشِّرُ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ
الَّذِينَ يَعْمَلُونَ الصَّالِحَاتِ أَنَّ لَهُمْ أَجْرًا كَبِيرًا

Verily, this Qur'ân guides to that which is most just and right and gives glad tidings to the believers (in the Oneness of Allâh and His Messenger, Muhammad ﷺ). who work deeds of righteousness, that they shall have a great reward (Paradise). (Quran Chapter : 17, Verse : 9)



Lesson No. 8

Whats is the Hadith?



The Arabic word Hadith literally means 'statement' or 'talk'. The Hadith is the statements of the Prophet Muhammad (Peace be upon him) i.e. his saying, deeds, approvals, characters etc.

Approval (Taigreer):- *It implies that while doing something in the presence of the Prophet (ﷺ) and a companion (Sahabi) acted in a particular manner and the Prophet (ﷺ) observed it and did not disapprove it.*

The Prophet of Allah is our guide and role model. The only Prophet whose details of daily life we have is Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him). We have to follow his foot steps.





Lesson No. 9

Asmaul Husna - Beautiful Names (99 Names of Allah)

And (all) the most beautiful names belong to Allâh, so call on Him by them, and leave the company of those who belie or deny (or utter impious speech against) His Names. They will be requited for what they used to do. (Surat Al-A'raf 7:180)

Narrated Abu Hurairah: The Prophet Muhammad ﷺ said, "Allah has ninety-nine names (i.e. one-hundred minus one) and whoever knows them will go to Paradise." (Sahih Al-Bukhari 50:894)

S.No.	Arabic	English Translation
1	الله	Allah
2	Ar-Rahman الرحمن	The Most Gracious
3	Ar-Rahim الرحيم	The Most Merciful
4	Al-Malik الملك	The Absolute Ruler
5	Al-Quddus القدوس	The Holy
6	As-Salam السلام	The Source of Peace
7	Al-Mu'min المؤمن	The Giver of Peace
8	Al-Muhaymin المهيمن	The Protector
9	Al-Aziz العزيز	The Strong
10	Al-Jabbar الجبار	The Compeller
11	Al-Mutakabbir المتكبر	The Majestic



12	<i>Al-Khaliq</i> الخالق	<i>The Creator</i>
13	<i>Al-Bari</i> البارئ	<i>The Maker</i>
14	<i>Al-Musawwir</i> المصور	<i>The Bestower of forms</i>
15	<i>Al-Ghaffar</i> الغفار	<i>The Great Forgiver</i>
16	<i>Al-Qahhar</i> القهار	<i>The Dominate</i>
17	<i>Al-Wahhab</i> الوهاب	<i>The Bestower</i>
18	<i>Ar-Razzaq</i> الرزاق	<i>The Sustainer</i>
19	<i>Al-Fattah</i> الفتاح	<i>The Opener</i>
20	<i>Al-Alim</i> العليم	<i>The Knower of All</i>
21	<i>Al-Qabid</i> القابض	<i>The Retainer</i>
22	<i>Al-Basit</i> الباسط	<i>The Enlarger</i>
23	<i>Al-Aalim</i> العالم	<i>The All-Knowing</i>
24	<i>Al-Hafiyy</i> الحفيى	<i>The Most Gracious (Kind)</i>
25	<i>Al-Hafiz</i> الحافظ	<i>The Protector</i>
26	<i>Al-Mubeen</i> المبين	<i>The Manifest</i>
27	<i>As-Sami</i> السميع	<i>The Hearer of All</i>
28	<i>Al-Basir</i> البصير	<i>The All- Seeing</i>
29	<i>Al-Hakam</i> الحكم	<i>The Judge</i>
30	<i>Al-Khallaq</i> الخلاق	<i>The Supreme Creator</i>
31	<i>Al-Latif</i> اللطيف	<i>The Subtle</i>
32	<i>Al-Khabir</i> الخبير	<i>The Well-Aware</i>
33	<i>Al-Halim</i> الحلیم	<i>The Clement</i>



34	العظيم Al-Azim	<i>The Magnificent</i>
35	الغفور Al-Ghafur	<i>The Forgiver and Hider of Faults</i>
36	الشكور Ash-Shakur	<i>The Rewarder of Thankfulness</i>
37	العلی Al-Aliyy	<i>The Highest</i>
38	الكبير Al-Kabir	<i>The Greatest</i>
39	الحفيظ Al-Hafiz	<i>The Protector</i>
40	المقيت Al-Muqit	<i>The Sustainer</i>
41	الحسيب Al-Hasib	<i>The Reckoner</i>
42	الأعلى Al-Ala	<i>The Most High</i>
43	الكریم Al-Karim	<i>The Bountiful</i>
44	الرقیب Ar-Raqib	<i>The Watchful One</i>
45	المجيب Al-Mujib	<i>The Responder to Prayer</i>
46	الواسع Al-Wasi	<i>The All-Comprehending</i>
47	الحكيم Al-Hakim	<i>The Perfectly Wise</i>
48	الودود Al-Wadud	<i>The Loving</i>
49	المجيد Al-Majid	<i>The Glorious</i>
50	الشاکر Ash-Shakir	<i>The Appreciative</i>
51	الشهيد Ash-Shahid	<i>The Witness</i>
52	الحق Al-Haqq	<i>The Truth</i>
53	الوكيل Al-Wakil	<i>The Trustee</i>
54	القوى Al-Qawiyy	<i>The Possessor of All Strength</i>
55	المتين Al-Matin	<i>The Firm</i>



56	الولى <i>Al-Waliyy</i>	<i>The Governor</i>
57	الحميد <i>Al-Hamid</i>	<i>The Worthy of all praise</i>
58	الوارث <i>Al-Warith</i>	<i>The Inheritor of all</i>
59	القاهر <i>Al-Qahir</i>	<i>The Irresistible (supreme)</i>
60	القدير <i>Al-Qadeer</i>	<i>The All-Able</i>
61	الإله <i>Al-Ilah</i>	<i>The Worshipped</i>
62	القريب <i>Al-Qareeb</i>	<i>The Near (By His Knowledge)</i>
63	الحي <i>Al-Hayy</i>	<i>The Ever Living One</i>
64	القيوم <i>Al-Qayyum</i>	<i>The Self-Subsisting</i>
65	المحيط <i>Al-Muheet</i>	<i>The All-Encompassing</i>
66	المولى <i>Al-Mawla</i>	<i>The Patron</i>
67	الواحد <i>Al-Wahid</i>	<i>The Unique, The Single</i>
68	الاحد <i>Al-Ahad</i>	<i>The One, The Indivisible</i>
69	الصمد <i>As-Samad</i>	<i>The Satisfier of All Needs</i>
70	القادر <i>Al-Qadir</i>	<i>The All Powerful</i>
71	المقتدر <i>Al-Muqtadir</i>	<i>The Creator of All Power</i>
72	المقدم <i>Al-Muqaddim</i>	<i>The Expediter</i>
73	المؤخر <i>Al-Mu'akhkhir</i>	<i>The Delayer</i>
74	الأول <i>Al-Awwal</i>	<i>The First</i>
75	الأخر <i>Al-Akhir</i>	<i>The Last</i>
76	الظاهر <i>Az-Zahir</i>	<i>The Manifest</i>
77	الباطن <i>Al-Batin</i>	<i>The Hidden</i>



78	An-Naseer الناصر	The Helper
89	Al-Muta'ali المتعالي	The High Exalted
80	Al-Barr البر	The Righteous
81	At-Tawwab التواب	The Guide to Repentance
82	Al-Jawad الجواد	The Most Bounteous
83	Al-'Afuww العفو	The Forgiver
84	Ar-Ra'uf الرؤوف	The Clement
85	Al-Maleek المليك	The King
86	Al-Ikram الأكرم	The Most Generous
87	Al-Jameel الجميل	The Most Beautiful
88	Al-Hayeey الحيي	The Shy
89	Al-Ghani الغنى	The Rich One
90	Ar-Rafeeq الرفيق	The King (Lenient)
91	Ar-Rabb الرب	The Lord
92	As-Sayyid السيد	The Supreme Master
93	As-Subbooh السبوح	The Exalted
94	At-Tayyib الطيب	The Good and Pure
95	Ash-Shafi الشافي	The Healer
96	Al-Mu'ti المعطى	The All-Giving
97	Al-Muhsin المحسن	The Doer of Good
98	Al-Mannan المنان	The Benefactor
99	Al-Witr الوتر	The One

Lesson No. 10

The Five Pillars of Islam



SHAHADAH
(The Creed)



SALAT
(Prayer)



ZAKAT
(Almsgiving)



SAWM
(Fasting)



HAJJ
(Pilgrimage)



1. Faith or belief in the Oneness of God (Allah) and the finality of the Prophethood of Muhammad, (ﷺ)



2. Establishment of the 5 times daily prayers



3. Giving Zakah (charity) to poor and the needy



4. Self-purification through fasting in the month of Ramadan.



5. The pilgrimage to Makkah for those who are able.





Lesson No. 11

Why has Allah almighty created the mankind?

Allah says in the holy Quran that He did not create all the things without any purpose while He created whole the mankind for the purpose of worshipping Him alone, and without any partner.

Allah almighty Says

وَمَا خَلَقْتُ الْجِنَّ وَالْإِنْسَ إِلَّا لِيَعْبُدُونِ

And I did not create the jinn and humans except they should worship Me. [Quran Chapter 51: Verse 56]

The prophet Muhammad ﷺ said:

حَقُّ اللَّهِ عَلَى الْعِبَادِ أَنْ يَعْبُدُوهُ، وَلَا يُشْرِكُوا بِهِ شَيْئًا

Allah's right on His slaves is that they should worship Him (Alone) and should not worship anyone besides Him. (Sahih al-Bukhari 2856)

Allah has created whole the mankind, He created the universe for us. This is not our final destination. Allah Says : Who has created death and life, that He may test you which of you is best in deed. (Quran Chapter 67 Verse 2)



Lesson No. 12

Why Allah almighty Sent Prophets and Messengers ?

Allah had been sending Prophets and Messengers to His devotees in order to invite them to the worship him alone, to order them not to ascribe partners unto Him and bring them out of the darkness of polytheism and into the light of Monotheism. All the Prophets preached regarding the belief in the Oneness of Allah.

Allah almighty Says

وَلَقَدْ بَعَثْنَا فِي كُلِّ أُمَّةٍ رَسُولًا أَنِ اعْبُدُوا اللَّهَ وَاجْتَنِبُوا الطَّاغُوتَ

And verily, We have sent among every Ummah (community-nation) a Messenger (proclaiming): Worship Allah (Alone) and avoid (or keep away from) Taaghoot (all false deities etc. do not worship Taaghoots besides Allah. (Quran Chapter 16 Verse 36)

The prophet Muhammad ﷺ said:

إِنَّهُ لَمْ يَكُنْ نَبِيٌّ قَبْلِي إِلَّا كَانَ حَقًّا عَلَيْهِ أَنْ يَدُلَّ أُمَّتَهُ عَلَى خَيْرٍ
مَا يَعْلَمُهُ لَهُمْ وَيُنْذِرَهُمْ شَرًّا مَا يَعْلَمُهُ لَهُمْ

It was the duty of every Prophet that has gone before me to guide his followers to what he knew was good for them and warn them against what he knew was bad for them. (Sahih Muslim 1844)

وَلَا شَخْصَ أَحَبُّ إِلَيْهِ الْعُذْرُ مِنَ اللَّهِ مِنْ أَجْلِ ذَلِكَ
بَعَثَ اللَّهُ الْمُرْسَلِينَ مُبَشِّرِينَ وَمُنْذِرِينَ

And no persons, is more fond of accepting an excuse than Allah, on account of which He has sent messengers, announcers of gladdidings and warners. (Sahih Muslim : 1499)



Lesson No. 13

Where is Allah?

It is proven in the holy Quran and Hadith (prophetic teachings) that Allah is above His heavens over His Throne (as befits His Majesty) and that He is the Exalted, Most High. He is above all things, and there is nothing that is above Him. Allah almighty says

الرَّحْمَنُ عَلَى الْعَرْشِ اسْتَوَىٰ

*The Most Gracious (Allâh) rose over (Istawâ) the (Mighty) Throne (in a manner that suits His Majesty).
[Quran Chapter 20: Verse 5]*

The prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم said:

أَلَا تَأْمَنُونِي وَأَنَا أَمِينٌ مَنْ فِي السَّمَاءِ يَأْتِينِي خَبَرُ السَّمَاءِ صَبَاحًا وَمَسَاءً

Don't you trust me though I am the truth worthy man of the One in the Heavens and I receive the news of Heaven (i.e. Divine Inspiration) both in the morning and in the evening? (Sahih al-Bukhari 4351)



Lesson No. 14

What is polytheism (Shirk) ?

The Arabic word "shirk (شِرْك)" means "to be partners"

It means to believe that there is one who shares with Allah almighty in his acts, or to believe that the source of power, harm or blessings is from others besides Allah. Such as partners in worship, supplication, invocation, sacrifice etc.

Shirk is the greatest sin. Allah says that He will not forgive the sin of shirk.

Allah almighty says

إِنَّهُ مَنْ يُشْرِكْ بِاللَّهِ فَقَدْ حَرَّمَ اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ الْجَنَّةَ وَمَأْوَاهُ النَّارُ وَمَا لِلظَّالِمِينَ مِنْ أَنْصَارٍ

Verily, whosoever sets up partners (in worship) with Allâh, then Allâh has forbidden Paradise to him, and the Fire will be his abode. (Quran Chapter 5 Verse 72)

The prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم said:

عَنْ أَبِي هُرَيْرَةَ رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُ، قَالَ: قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ "قَالَ اللَّهُ تَبَارَكَ وَتَعَالَى أَنَا أَعْنَى الشُّرَكَاءِ عَنِ الشُّرْكِ مَنْ عَمِلَ عَمَلًا أَشْرَكَ فِيهِ مَعِيَ غَيْرِي تَرَكْتُهُ وَشُرْكَهُ"

Abu Hurairah رضي الله عنه reported Allah's Messenger (Peace be upon him) as stating that Allah the Most High and Exalted said:

I am the One; One Who does not stand in need of a partner. If anyone does anything in which he associates anyone else with Me, I shall abandon him with one whom he associates with Allah.

(Sahih Muslim 2985)



Lesson No. 15

Is it permissible to sacrifice for anyone besides Allah?

It is not permissible to sacrifice for anyone besides Allah. Whoever sacrifice on anyone's name other than Allah or associated someones else with Him, committed major Shirk (Shirk Akbar).

Allah almighty says

قُلْ إِنَّ صَلَاتِي وَنُسُكِي وَمَحْيَايَ وَمَمَاتِي لِلَّهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ

Say (O Muhammad Peace be upon him): "Verily, my Salât (prayer), my sacrifice, my living, and my dying are for Allâh, the Lord of the 'Alamîn (mankind, jinn and all that exists) (Quran Chapter 6 Verse 162)

The prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم said:

لَعَنَ اللَّهُ مَنْ ذَبَحَ لِغَيْرِ اللَّهِ

Allah cursed him who sacrificed for anyone besides Allah (Sahih Muslim 1978)



May Allah guide us to the straight Path Aameen.