

Opening Supplications

حَدَّثَنَا أَبُو هُرَيْرَةَ، قَالَ كَانَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ يَسْكُتُ
بَيْنَ التَّكْبِيرِ وَبَيْنَ الْقِرَاءَةِ إِسْكَاتَةً - قَالَ أَحْسِبُهُ قَالَ هُنَيْيَةَ - فَقُلْتُ بِأَبِي
وَأُمِّي يَا رَسُولَ اللَّهِ، إِسْكَاتُكَ بَيْنَ التَّكْبِيرِ وَالْقِرَاءَةِ مَا تَقُولُ قَالَ " أَقُولُ
اللَّهُمَّ بَاعِدْ بَيْنِي وَبَيْنَ خَطَايَايَ كَمَا بَاعَدْتَ بَيْنَ الْمَشْرِقِ وَالْمَغْرِبِ،
اللَّهُمَّ نَقِّنِي مِنَ الْخَطَايَا كَمَا يُنَقَّى الثَّوْبُ الْأَبْيَضُ مِنَ الدَّنَسِ، اللَّهُمَّ
اغْسِلْ خَطَايَايَ بِالْمَاءِ وَالثَّلْجِ وَالْبَرَدِ ". البخاري ٧٤٤

Narrated Abu Huraira:

Allah's Messenger ﷺ used to keep silent between the Takbir and the recitation of Qur'an and that interval of silence used to be a short one. I said to the Prophet ﷺ "May my parents be sacrificed for you! What do you say in the pause between Takbir and recitation?" The Prophet ﷺ said, "I say, 'Allahumma, baa'id baini wa baina khatayaya kama baa`adta baina l-mashriqi wa l-maghrib. Allahumma, naqqini min khatayayakamayunaqqath-thawbu l-abyadu mina d-danas. Allahumma, ighsil khatayaya bi l-maa'iwath-thaljiwa l-barad (O Allah! Set me apart from my sins (faults) as the East and West are set apart from each other and clean me from sins as a white garment is cleaned of dirt (after thorough washing). O Allah! Wash off my sins with water, snow and hail.)"





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وَالْمَغْرِبِ، اللَّهُمَّ نَقِّنِي مِنْ خَطَايَايَ، كَمَا يُنَقَّى الثَّوْبُ

الْأَبْيَضُ مِنَ الدَّنَسِ، اللَّهُمَّ اغْسِلْنِي مِنْ خَطَايَايَ بِالثَّلْجِ

وَالْمَاءِ وَالْبَرَدِ

(O Allaah! Set me apart from my sins (faults) as the East and West are set apart from each other and clean me from sins as a white garment is cleaned of dirt (after thorough washing). O Allaah! Wash off my sins with water, snow and hail.)"



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اللَّهُمَّ Oh Allaah

بَاعِدْ Separate / Make me far from

بَيْنِي Between me

خَطَايَايَ My sins/transgressions

كَمَا As

بَاعَدْتَ You have separated / made far

بَيْنَ الْمَشْرِقِ Between the East

وَالْمَغْرِبِ And the West



اللَّهُمَّ نَقِّنِي مِنْ خَطَايَايَ، كَمَا يُنَقِّي الثَّوْبُ
الْأَبْيَضُ مِنَ الدَّنَسِ

نَقِّنِي Cleanse me/purify me

مِنْ خَطَايَايَ From my
sins/transgressions

كَمَا AS

يُنَقِّي الثَّوْبُ الْأَبْيَضُ A white garment is
cleansed/purified

مِنَ الدَّنَسِ From stains



اغسلني

cleanse me

مِنَ خَطَايَايَ

Of/from my sins

بِالْتَّلْجِ

With snow

وَالْمَاءِ

And water

وَالْبَرْدِ

And frost/hail

اللَّهُمَّ اغْسِلْنِي مِنْ خَطَايَايَ بِالتَّلْجِ
وَالْمَاءِ وَالْبَرْدِ