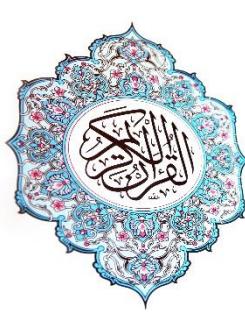




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Holy Qur'an 110: 1-4 Surah An- Nasr

*"In the name of Allah, the Gracious, the Merciful.
When the help of Allah comes, and the victory,
And thou seest men entering the religion of Allah in troops,
Glorify thy Lord, with His praise, and seek forgiveness of
Him. Surely, He is Oft-Returning with compassion."*



Message from 'National Additional Secretary Tarbiyyat & Waqf-e-Jadid for New Ahmadis'

Assalaamu Alaikum Wa RahmatAllahi Wa Barakatahu,

It is our great pleasure to bring you another edition of the New Ahmadi Muslim Newsletter. We hope and pray that this newsletter is of value to all new Ahmadis and helps you to strengthen your faith, come close to Allah Almighty, and follow the beautiful practice (sunnah) of the Holy Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him).

The theme of this month's newsletter is 'The

Early Converts to Islam Ahmadiyya.' This edition has many features including, quizzes and online videos.

If you have any comments or feedback, please send them via the email provided at the bottom of this newsletter. May Allah Almighty bless you all abundantly.

With a humble request for prayers,
Wasalam (with peace),
Jonathan Butterworth

The Friday Sermon

Excerpts from Friday Sermons delivered by Hazrat Mirza Masroor Ahmad (aba), the fifth Khalifa (successor) to the Promised Messiah (as) and the supreme head of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community.

03/09/2021
Syed Taalay Ahmed – An Exemplary Life-Devotee

His Holiness, Hazrat Mirza Masroor Ahmad(aba) said that recently, a very dear life-devotee, Syed Taalay Ahmed was martyred in Ghana, Africa.

His Holiness(aba) said that on the night between the 23rd and 24th of August, the MTA team which was filming a documentary was travelling when they were attacked by robbers who fired at them, injuring two people, Umar Farooq and Syed Taalay Ahmed.

His Holiness(aba) said that although there may have been previous martyrdoms of workers in MTA International from other parts of the world, but this was the first from the UK.

His Holiness(aba) also said that perhaps, this was the first martyrdom from Waqfe Nau UK. His Holiness(aba) also requested prayers for Umar Farooq who was injured during the incident and is still recovering.

10/09/2021
Men of Excellence: Hazrat Umar Ibn al-Khattab (ra)

EARLY CONVERTS TO ISLAM AHMADIYYAT

Hazrat Maulana Hakim Nooruddin (Khalifatul Masih I) was a colossal personality – a talented author, eminent scholar, extraordinary virtuous and a theologian par excellence. Being very well versed in Medicine, he was Royal Physician to the Maharaja of Jammu and Kashmir for many years.

He was born in the village of Bhera in Punjab in 1841. In pursuit of knowledge, he travelled far and wide enjoying the privilege of a four year stay in the holy cities of Mecca and Medina.

Hazrat Sahibzada Syed Abdul Lateef(ra) was a very revered person from the province of Khost, Afghanistan and had thousands of followers. He visited Qadian in 1902 to have an audience with Hazrat Ahmad(as). He accepted Ahmadiyyat in his first meeting with the Promised Messiah (as). During his stay he received revelations repeatedly forewarning him about his martyrdom. Eventually he went back to Afghanistan with the consent of the Promised Messiah (as).



Under divine commandment the Promised Messiah initiated the Bai'at on 23rd March, 1889 and the very first person who swore the pledge of allegiance was Maulana Hakeem Nooruddin. His devotion and dedication to the Promised Messiah was complete and total.

The Promised Messiah has eulogised him in a Persian couplet which is a beautiful testimony in acknowledgement of his dedication and stature. "How nice it would be if everyone from my followers were Nooruddin. This is possible only when one's heart is illuminated by the light of truth and firm belief."



When the Ameer of Kabul found out that Sahibzada Sahib had converted to Ahmadiyyat, he was arrested and imprisoned for four months. Many leading citizens of Kabul and the Ameer himself tried to persuade Hazrat Sahibzada to renounce Ahmadiyyat. "How can I relinquish the truth?", was his reply. The Amir of Kabul ordered to have him stoned to death and was martyred on 14th July, 1903. Promised Messiah(as) expressed his grief in the following words: "O' Abdul Lateef, may you be blessed thousands of times as you proved your sincerity in my lifetime..."

MULTIMEDIA



[The life of Hazrat Khalifatul Masih I \(ra\)](#)



[The Martyrdom of Sahibzada Abdul Latif Shaheed \(ra\)](#)

His Holiness Hazrat Mirza Masroor Ahmad(aba) continued highlighting incidents from the life of Hazrat Umar(ra).

His Holiness(aba) said that Damascus was besieged for several months during the time of Hazrat Abu Bakr(ra), and eventually, soon after the demise of Hazrat Abu Bakr(ra), the Muslims gained victory in Damascus. His Holiness(aba) detailed some incidents which took place after the victory of Damascus, as they took place during the time of Hazrat Umar(ra).

His Holiness(aba) said that a place called Fahl, a place in Syria was also conquered during the time of Hazrat Umar(ra).

CONVERTS ACCOUNT

DR. ISMAIL

“What is going on with this group (Ahmadis)? They are extremely different. Why the smile? Why the love? ”

CONVERT TO AHMADIYYA



Watch Dr Ismail's story [here](#)



QUIZ WHO AM I?

I was sent as a representative of UK to the last Jalsa in Rabwah in 1983.

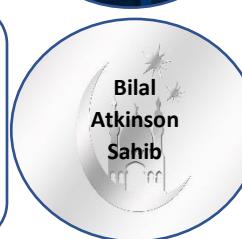
I was a teacher

I got married on October 23rd 1971 at the Fazl mosque in London.

I am a life devotee of the Jama'at

I started Jamia (Ahmadiyya School of Theology) in September 1984

I coordinate the free Islamic course: 'Understanding Islam'



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LITERATURE

TADKHIRA

English rendering of the divine revelations, dreams and visions vouchsafed to the Promised Messiah, Hazrat Mirza Ghulam Ahmad (as)

“ I saw [in a vision] that I was standing on a pulpit in the city of London and was setting forth the truth of Islam in the English language, in a very well reasoned address. Thereafter, I caught several birds who were sitting upon small trees and were of white colour and their bodies resembled the bodies of partridges. I interpreted this vision as meaning that though I would not be able to travel to that country, my writings will be published among them and many righteous English people will be attracted by the truth. ”