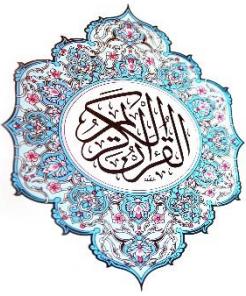




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# THE NEW AHMADI MUSLIM NEWSLETTER (UK)



## Holy Qur'an 62: 3-4 Surah Al-Jumu'ah

"He it is Who has raised among the Unlettered people a Messenger from among themselves who recites unto them His Signs, and purifies them, and teaches them the Book and wisdom, although they had been, before, in manifest misguidance;

And among others from among them who have not yet joined them. He is the Mighty, the Wise."



### 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 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:

'Tadzhkhirah'. Features include an overview of an awe inspiring dream the Promised Messiah<sup>as</sup> had about the Holy Prophet Muhammad<sup>saw</sup>.

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.*

18/08/2023

#### Staying Faithful to the Trust

His Holiness<sup>aba</sup> said that there should be no consideration for prior friendships or relationships when suggesting or selecting office holders. Office bearers are selected by members of the Jama'at and the Caliph of the time and this is done after pondering and contemplating as to who the best person for that particular office is. Huzoor<sup>aba</sup> explained that we should always strive to select the best among us, and do so through prayer. Huzoor<sup>aba</sup> also said that the intention is always to try and not select those who bring themselves to the forefront in order to hold office.

Huzoor<sup>aba</sup> narrated a story about the Holy Prophet saw whereby two people went to him and said that they should be given a certain position as they were capable of carrying it out. The Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup> said that those he appoints are helped by Allah, however, those who seek or desire position or rank are not blessed or helped.

Those who comprise the electoral bodies should, according to the command of God, justly offer their opinion to the Caliph of the Messiah<sup>as</sup>.

## AN INTRODUCTION TO 'TADHKIRAH' AN ENGLISH RENDERING OF DREAM, VISIONS AND REVELATIONS OF THE PROMISED MESSIAH<sup>as</sup>

The Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup> prophesised that a time will come when Muslims will disregard the Holy Qur'an, and people calling themselves 'Ulema' would be the worst creation under the canopy of the heavens, and in that time God would send the Promised Messiah<sup>as</sup>.

Based on divine revelations, Hazrat Mirza Ghulam Ahmad<sup>as</sup>, founder of the Ahmadiyya

Muslim Community, claimed to be the Promised Messiah in whom the prophecies about the Mahdi and the metaphorical second coming of Hazrat Jesus<sup>as</sup> have been fulfilled. 'Tadzhkhirah' constitutes a collection of both direct verbal revelations, dreams and visions received by the Promised Messiah<sup>as</sup> by God and all are within the context of the Holy Qur'an.

*Tadzhkhirah, page V*

## THE DEATH OF ISLAM

AND ITS REVIVAL AT THE HANDS OF THE PROMISED MESSIAH<sup>as</sup> THROUGH  
THE SPIRITUAL POWER OF THE HOLY PROPHET<sup>saw</sup>

### IN THE YEAR 1881

#### The Magnificent Building...

*In my early youth I saw [in a dream] that I was in a magnificent building, which was very clean and neat where people were talking about the Holy Prophet, may peace and blessings of Allah be upon him. I enquired from the people where the Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup> was and they pointed to a room in which I entered along with other persons.*

#### The Book Called 'Qutbi'...

*When I presented myself to Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup>, he was much pleased, and returned my greeting with a better greeting. I can still recall and can never forget his charm and*

*beauty and the kind and affectionate look that he directed towards me. He won my heart with his love and the beauty and glory of his countenance. He asked me: 'O Ahmad, what are you holding in your right hand?' When I looked towards my right hand, I found that I had a book in my hand and I felt that I had written it myself. I answered him: 'O Messenger<sup>saw</sup> of Allah, this is something I have written.' He enquired: 'What is the name of your book?' I was surprised and looked at the book a second time and felt that it resembled a book in my library, which was called Qutbi, so I answered him: 'O Messenger<sup>saw</sup> of Allah, this book is called Qutbi.'*

## Where the Dead Came Back to Life ...

He said: 'Show me your book Qutbi.' When the Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup> took it, it turned into a delicate and attractive fruit as soon as his blessed hand touched it. When the Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup> cut it as fruit is cut, pure honey began to flow out of it like pouring water. I perceived the wetness of honey on the right arm of the Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup>, from his fingers to his elbow. I also felt that the Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup> was showing me all this in order to make me wonder. Then it was conveyed to my heart that there was the dead body of a person lying outside the door who had been destined by Allah to be brought to life by that fruit and that the Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup> was to bestow life upon him. When this thought passed through my mind, I saw that the dead person had suddenly come to life and had come up to me running and stood behind me, but that he was in a weak condition as if he was hungry. Then the

Holy Prophet<sup>saw</sup> looked at me smiling and cut the fruit into several pieces and ate one of them himself and gave all the rest to me, while they were dripping with honey and said to me: 'O Ahmad, give one of the pieces to this person so that he might draw strength from it.' I gave him a piece and, like a greedy person, he started eating it immediately.

## The Ascension...

I then saw that the chair in which the Holy Prophet, may peace and blessings of Allah be upon him, was sitting began to rise till it reached up to the ceiling and I noticed that the face of the Holy Prophet saw began to shine as if reflecting rays of the sun and moon. I was watching his blessed countenance and my tears were flowing because of delight and ecstasy. Then I woke up and I was still weeping profusely.

## The Revival of Islam...

Allah the Almighty then put it in my mind that the dead person in my dream was Islam and that Allah the Almighty would revive it at my hands through the spiritual power of the Holy Prophet, may the peace and blessings of Allah be upon him.

*Tadkhirkah, pp. 3-4*

Read 'Tadkhirkah' on the official Ahmadiyya Muslim Community website 

## LITERATURE

### BOOK OF THE MONTH

11/08/2023

### Islam Ahmadiyyat: Faith Inspiring Stories



His Holiness<sup>aba</sup> said that before the partition of Pakistan and India while India was under British rule, there were certain British officers who were against Ahmadiyyat who tried to say that some speeches delivered by the Second Caliph<sup>ra</sup> were inflammatory and they did this to try and incite an attack on him. However, they always failed in this attempt, because the Second Caliph<sup>ra</sup> would always advise the Community to remain patient.

...It has been the case that the very people who oppose the Community are the ones who eventually end up joining the Community and accept Ahmadiyyat.

**Please note:** The above excerpts are just summaries, please watch, listen to and read the full Friday sermon via the [official website](#) of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Fri 1<sup>st</sup> - Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2023**

JALSA SALANA GERMANY

Messe Stuttgart  
Messegelände 1  
70629 Stuttgart

**Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> - Sun 24<sup>th</sup> Sept**

LAJNA AND NASRAT  
NATIONAL IJTEMA 2023

Old Park Farm  
Sickles Lane  
Kingsley  
GU35 9PD

**Fri 29<sup>th</sup> Sep - Sun 01<sup>st</sup> Oct 2023**

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## CONVERTS ACCOUNT SARMAD HANNES HÜBNER



Watch Brother Sarmad's story [here](#)

When I was 12, I started having like visions, like the Promised Messiah, he writes in 'The Philosophy of the Teaching of Islam' about how he saw the soul of the dead persons appearing like black or white bodies, I started seeing something similar. 