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## The Quest for Piety Beneficial Counsels on Ramadan

### Lesson 13. Improving Our Supplications

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#### IMPROVING OUR SUPPLICATION

وَالَّذِينَ يَذْكُرُونَ اللَّهَ كَثِيرًا وَالَّذِينَ كَرِهَتْ أَعَدَّ اللَّهُ لَهُمْ مَغْفِرَةً وَأَجْرًا عَظِيمًا ﴿٣٥﴾

“... and men and women who remember Allah often—for ‘all of’ them Allah has prepared forgiveness and a great reward.”

[Quran 33:35]

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وَإِذَا سَأَلَكَ عِبَادِي عَنِّي فَإِنِّي قَرِيبٌ ۖ أُجِيبُ دَعْوَةَ الدَّاعِ إِذَا دَعَانِ فَلْيَسْتَجِيبُوا لِي وَلْيُؤْمِنُوا بِلِسَانِهِمْ بِمَا يُرْسَدُونَ ﴿١٨٦﴾

“When My servants ask you ‘O Prophet’ about Me: I am truly near. I respond to one’s prayer when they call upon Me. So let them respond ‘with obedience’ to Me and believe in Me, perhaps they will be guided ‘to the Right Way’.”

[Quran 2:186]

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وَقَالَ رَبُّكُمْ ادْعُونِي أَسْتَجِبْ لَكُمْ إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يَسْتَكْبِرُونَ عَنْ عِبَادَتِي سَيَدْخُلُونَ  
جَهَنَّمَ دَاخِرِينَ ﴿٤٠﴾

And your Lord says: "Call on Me; I will answer your  
(Prayer): but those who are too arrogant to serve Me  
will surely find themselves in Hell - in humiliation!"

[Quran 40:60]

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