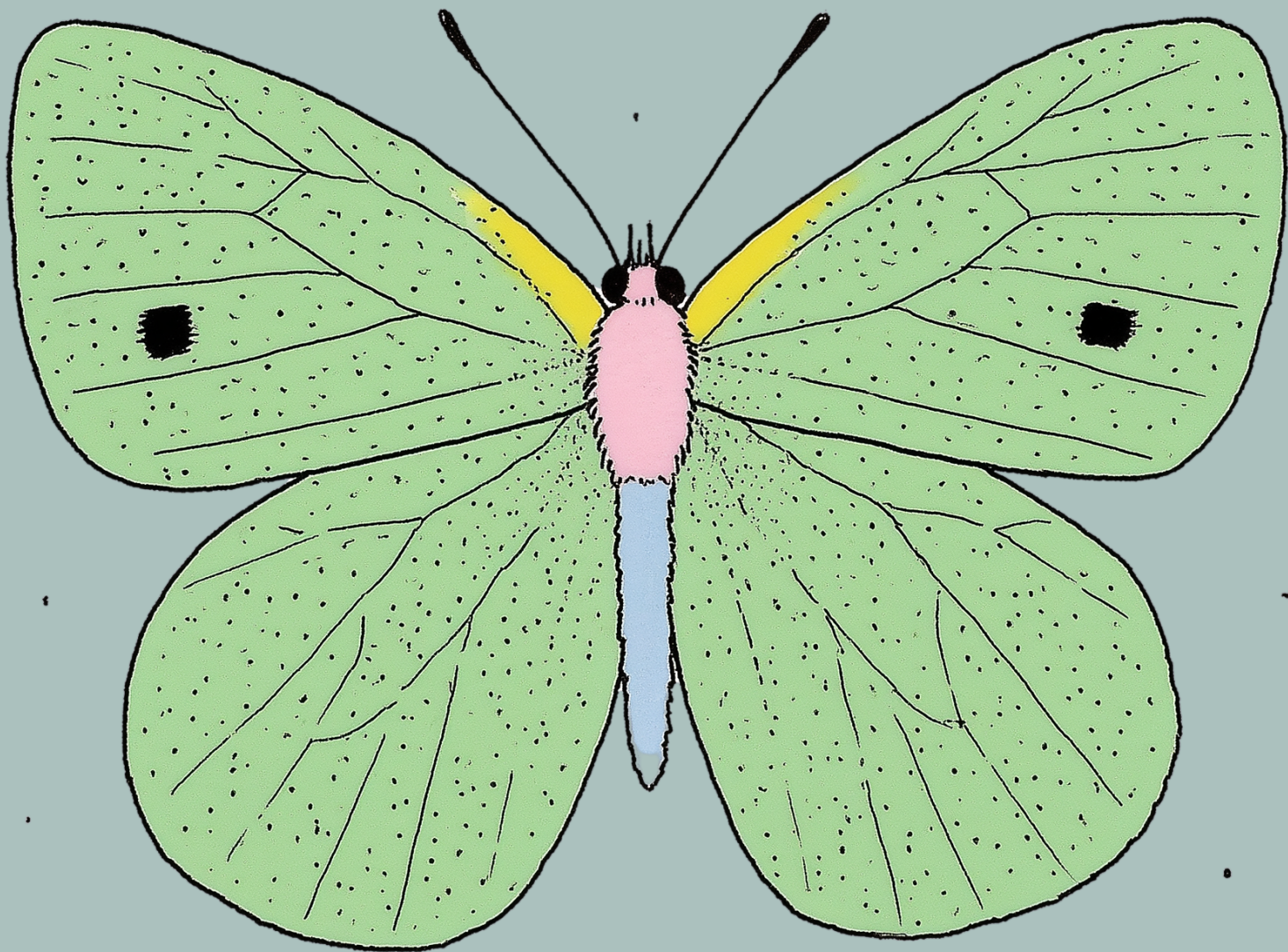


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ALLAH SWT COMES
TO US AT SPEED

*"Whoever comes to Me walking,
I come to him running."*

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Allah SWT says,

*“Whoever comes
to Me walking,
I will come to him
running.”*

Hadith Qudsi

Assalamualaikum my Champions,

I am writing today's letter feeling a little tired. (Who isn't right? 😊)

But this tiredness is different - **this "last 10 nights of Ramadan" tiredness feels sweet to me.** :) And I believe it is so because I keep remembering the Hadith Qudsi where Allah SWT says, "If my servant comes to me walking, I go to him running." ([Bukhari](#))

I thought to myself, "How romantic is that? I only have to take one step towards Allah SWT, and He comes to me running! Subhanallah." So yes, I have caught myself dozing off a couple of times while reading the Quran, and stealing 5-10 minutes of nap time here and there, but every single time that happens, I cannot help but smile, knowing that Allah SWT sees my shaky, sleepy, tired, small step towards Him, and that He is most certainly coming to me, running.

I feel Him carrying me through all of the tasks that I have to do and finish, in my day to day.

I see and witness His promise of Ease upon Ease with every difficulty.

I feel Him reassuring me that this small act of deed that may seem insignificant to many, but it is significant to Him.

So despite the physical fatigue, my soul feels the most at peace it has ever been, as it is definitely at rest with Him.

Champs, I pray may your last 5 nights of Ramadan be filled with many sweet moments with Allah SWT - not just on your prayer mats, but as you go about your day to day, doing your utmost best to fulfil your obligations as a daughter, mother, wife, sister, and friend, for His sake.

May you cry tears of deep gratitude and love towards Him in the depths of the night, and may you see His bounties and His Mercy with every breath you take. May you be chosen to witness Laylatul Qadr, may your name be written as residents of the highest of Jannah and most of all, may Allah SWT accept all of your deeds, forgive all of your sins and be pleased with you!

And may you keep on walking, or even crawling, to Him.
Because He will definitely come to you running.



Last 10 Nights @ TOM



It's beautiful how repetition is emphasised in our religion - from our ablution to our Solah, to the Dhikrs and Quran verses that we recite - they all have repetitions, signalling their importance and effects on our souls. Why do we need to do some acts of worship more than once?

What difference would the additional steps make? How would they impact our souls? Join Ustazah Syariati as we discover the reasons for the repetitive practices in our Ibadah, and how they can be the means for our soul to be healed and our connection with Allah SWT

deepened. PS: This will be our very last Space of Sakinah session, so please try to come and show our S.O.S some love!

[Join The Live Class Here](#)

a beautiful dua

Ya Allah, grant
me patience and
tranquility as I
wait for what
You have
written for me.

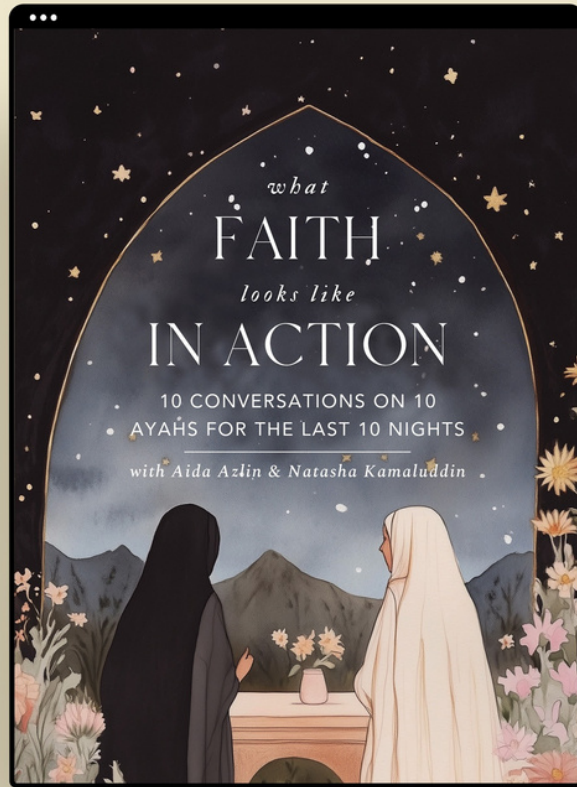
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#abeautifuldua

This beautiful Du'a in our collective du'a list reminds me of the Prayer of Istikharah! I know many of us, if not all of us, is "waiting" for a prayer or two to be answered in His Perfect Time, but as we wait, may we wait with beautiful patience, and with utmost sakinah in our hearts that we are exactly where we need to be at this moment in time.

[Add Your \(Anonymous\) Du'as Here](#)

ramadhan reflections



Three new episodes of this enlightening series, ***"What Faith Looks Like in Action"*** with our beloved Kak Natasha Kamaluddin just dropped on our website, Alhamdulillah, covering important topics such as the war against Riba (Interest), and also the importance of protecting and restoring one's honour and rights. Quick trivia for you guys: Do you know what the 6 Ribawi items are in Islam? Kak Nat covers them and it's soooo interesting to learn how complete this Deen is! Again, each episode is only about 20 minutes short, and they make great company as you carry out your errands or during your commute!

[Listen to the Series Here](#)

noble niyyahs

SHAWAL IBADAH PLAN:



- **S: SOLAH ON TIME**
Protect and honour our 5 Daily Prayers!
- **H: HAMD**
Praise and thank Him in abundance (1000x Daily)
- **A: ATTEMPT THE 6 DAYS SUNNAH FAST**
Intend to do this blessed Sunnah!
- **W: WAKE UP FOR TAHAJJUD**
Continue the sacred practice of Tahajjud
- **A: A PAGE A DAY**
Keep up our Quran habit, even if it's a page a day
- **L: LISTEN / LEARN**
Catch up or revise on any AA Plus lessons

One of my teachers advised us that what we do in the first three days in Shawal will determine if we will be able to bring forward the good deeds and good habits that we painstakingly did and formed in Ramadhan, so it's only wise to intend and plan how we would like to spend our Shawal, In Sha Allah. The above list is a simple structure that I will try to follow moving forward - what about you? Do you have a Shawal Ibadah Plan / Intention List in mind?

just for you:



CHAMPS. MARK YOUR CALENDARS! WE HAVE AN EID PARTY! I know everybody will be busy celebrating next week, but please make space for this barakah-filled gathering and have a proper closure to our Olive Mosque that we have spent the whole month of Ramadhan in, Ma Sha Allah! PS: We are also looking for Champs who have a flair for performing hehehe. If you can sing / make a video / recite a poetry / (insert any creative pursuit here) in relation to Eid, HIT US UP! Let's make this Eid Gathering fitting for Champions, In Sha Allah. ❤️

[Join our Eid Party Here!](#)

ps:



In Sha Allah, my team and I will be taking our annual Eid break from the 1st to 20th of April, so all emails and queries will be answered when we come back to the Studio, In Sha Allah. We will miss you Champs, but we are also looking forward to using this time to be with family and to go back to the drawing board to plan for our second half of 2025 together! Please remember us in your Duas, as you will definitely be in mine.

With that Champs, I pray may Allah SWT accept all of our deeds this Ramadhan, and may your Eid be an immensely blessed, joyful and festive one!

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