

Du'aa of Maqaatil bin Sulaymaan

Shaykh 'Abbas Qummi in *Mafateehul Jinan* states that Maqaatil bin Sulaymaan learnt this du'a from Imam Zaynul 'Aabideen (a). Maqaatil says that whoever recites the du'a 100 times and is not answered, should curse him

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وَكَيْفَ اَقْطَعُ رَجَائِي مِنْكَ وَاَنْتَ اَنْتَ
اَللّٰهُمَّ اِذَا لَمْ اَسْئَلْكَ فَتُعْطِنِي
فَمَنْ ذَا الَّذِي اَسْأَلُهُ فَيُعْطِنِي
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فَمَنْ ذَا الَّذِي اَدْعُوهُ فَيَسْتَجِيبْ لِي
اَللّٰهُمَّ اِذَا لَمْ اَتَضَرَّعْ اِلَيْكَ فَتَرْحَمْنِي
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اَللّٰهُمَّ فَكَمَا فَلَقْتَ الْبَحْرَ لِمُوسٰى عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ وَنَجَّيْتَهُ
اَسْئَلُكَ اَنْ تُصَلِّيَ عَلٰی مُحَمَّدٍ وَّ اٰلِهِ
وَاَنْ تُنَجِّنِي مِمَّا اَنَا فِيْهِ
وَتُفَرِّجَ عَنِّي فَرَجًا عَاجِلًا غَيْرَ اَجَلٍ
بِفَضْلِكَ وَرَحْمَتِكَ يَا اَرْحَمَ الرَّاحِمِيْنَ
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Transliteration

Bismillaahir-raHmaanir-raHeem
Allaahumma Salli 'alaa MuHammadin
wa aali MuHammad
Ilaahee kayfa ad'ooka wa anaa anaa
Wa kayfa aqta'u rajaaee minka wa anta ant
Ilaahee idhaa lam as-alka fatu'Tiyanee
Faman dhalladhee as-aluhu fayu'Teenee
Ilaahee idhaa lam ad-'uka fatas-tajeeba lee
Faman dhalladhee ad-'oohu fayastajeebu lee
Ilaahee idhaa lam ataDharra'u ilayka fatarHamanee
Faman dhalladhee atadarra'u ilayhi fayarHamunee
Ilaahee fakamaa falaqtaal baHra li-Moosa 'alayhis salaami
wa najjaytah
As-aluka an tuSalliya 'alaa MuHammadin wa aalihi
Wa an tunajjiyanee mimma anaa feehi
Wa an tufarrija 'annee farajan 'aajilan ghayra aa-jil
Allahumma Salli 'alaa MuHammadain
.wa aali MuHammad

Translation

In the name of Allah, the Beneficent, the Merciful
O Allah bless Muhammad and the family of Muhammad
?My God, how can I pray to You when I am what I am
?And how can I lose hope in You when You are what You are
My God, if I don't ask You so that You give me
?then whom should I ask that he gives me
,My God, if I don't pray to You so that You answer me
?then whom should I pray to that he answers me
My God, if I don't beg from You so that You show mercy to me
?then whom should I beg from that he shows mercy to me
My God, the way You opened the sea for Musa, 'alayhis salaam
and rescued him
I beseech You to bless Muhammad and his family
and rescue me from what I am in
and grant me a quick relief without delay with Your Grace and
Mercy
O the most Merciful of the mercifuls
O Allah bless Muhammad and his family