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PART I

KEY POINTS OF سورة يوسف

THE WAY THIS STORY IS NARRATED IS THE BEST, STRAIGHT TO THE POINT

REVEALED TO NABI ﷺ IN THE YEAR OF SORROW. THIS STORY COMFORTED NABI

JEALOUSY: HOW TO AVOID IT:

- MAKE DUA FOR THEM
- GIVE A GIFT
- TALK TO THEM
- SEEK HELP FROM SHEIKH

HOW TO AVOID OTHERS FROM IT

- NOT SHOW OFF
- PRAY 3 QULS

"فَصِرْ جَمِيلًا": PATIENCE:

"NEVER LET RESENTMENT ENTER YOUR HEART, IT WILL ONLY WEIGH YOU DOWN"

3 TYPES OF PATIENCE:

1. PATIENCE IN WORSHIPING ﷻ
2. PATIENCE IN AVOIDING SIN
3. PATIENCE IN ACCEPTING DESTINY

VICTORY COMES WITH PATIENCE, RELIEF COMES WITH AFFLICTION, & WITH HARDSHIP COMES EASE.

TEMPTATION: HOW TO REMOVE SIN FROM OUR LIVES:

- AVOID THE OPPORTUNITY TO COMMIT SIN
- REMIND YOURSELF OF YOUR FAITH

GOOD CHARACTER:

ATTRIBUTES THAT PROMOTES GOOD BEHAVIOUR AND HABITS

HOW DO WE ATTAIN GOOD CHARACTER?
STUDY THE LIFE OF NABI ﷺ!

WHEN CHARACTER IS LOST
ALL IS LOST!

WHY GOOD CHARACTER?

- WILL WEIGH DOWN ON THE DAY OF قِيَامَت
- ATTRACTS TRUST & RESPECT
- GOOD INFLUENCE ON OTHERS
- IMPROVES CHANCES OF SUCCESS

FORGIVENESS: NOT CARRYING A GRUDGE IN YOUR HEART AGAINST A PERSON.

NO ONE FORGIVES ANOTHER EXCEPT ﷻ INCREASES HIS HONOUR

A BELIEVER HASTENS IN 2 THINGS:

- ASKING FOR FORGIVENESS
- FORGIVING OTHERS

TRUST IN ﷻ: THEY PLAN & ﷻ PLANS, ﷻ IS THE BEST OF PLANNERS!

WHO EVER TRUST IN ﷻ,
HE IS ENOUGH FOR THEM

TAQWA:

ﷻ DOES NOT LOOK AT YOUR APPEARANCE, NOR AT YOUR WEALTH BUT RATHER WHATS IN YOUR HEART

HOW WE GAIN TAQWA:

- REMOVE WHAT DISTRACTS YOU FROM WORSHIP
- MAKE A ROUTINE
- REMEMBER DEATH & THE HEREAFTER OFTEN
- CONTROL TONGUE
- LEARN FROM GOOD COMPANY
- READ DAILY DUAS

WHEN WE DEVOTE OUR ALL ACTIONS TO A SPIRITUAL GOAL, EVERYTHING WE DO BECOMES A PRAYER.

ALLAH LOVES YOU!
RUN TO HIM!

PART II

MADRASAH RAWDHATUS SALIMAT

[THE STORY OF MUHAMMAD AL-FATH.]

NOTES ON MAKING DUA:

IMAM BUKHARI LOST HIS EYESIGHT AT AGE 9
HIS MOTHER MADE DUA & ﷻ AND BY MIRACLE HIS EYE SIGHT WAS RESTORED

"GIVE YOUR CHILD WHAT HE NEEDS,
NOT WHAT HE WANTS."

SOFT WORDS SOFTEN HARD HEARTS,
HARSH WORDS HARDEN THE HEARTS
THAT ARE SOFTER THAN SILK

8 LESSONS OF LIFE:

1. AS A FAMILY, DO THINGS TOGETHER CREATES UNITY
2. IN THE CHAOS OF LIFE, DO NOT FORGET TO MAKE OUR GOOD DEEDS BELOVED TO US
3. WHEN SOMETHING UNFORTUNATE HAPPENS KEEP CONTROL OVER ONES EMOTIONS
4. WHEN ﷻ BLESSES SOMEONE ELSE WITH SOMETHING YOU DONT HAVE, IT IS NOT THE QUALITY OF A BELIEVER TO BE JEALOUS.
5. THIS WORLD & EVERYTHING IN IT IS TEMPORARY ∴ OUR HEARTS SHOULD BE PURE FROM THE LOVE OF WORLDLY POSSESSIONS
6. AS PEOPLE WE CAN BE TEMPTED TO EARN, BECAUSE OF THINGS WE WANT. IN SUCH CASE, THINK ABOUT YOUR CHOICES OUR BEHAVIOUR TOWARDS MATERIAL GOODS SHOULD REFLECT HOW SHORT LIFE TRULY IS
7. OUR ULTIMATE GOAL & DEPENDENCY NEEDS TO BE TRUST IN ﷻ
8. ACKNOWLEDGE THAT TRUE HONOUR & RESPECT COMES FROM BEING CLOSE TO ﷻ & KNOWING WHAT HE WANTS FROM US

QUESTION: HOW HAPPY ARE YOU?

OUR PURPOSE IS TO WORSHIP ﷻ, SUCCESS NOT HOW MUCH STUFF YOU ACCUMULATE. YOU WONT BE HAPPY BY COLLECTING WORLDLY ITEMS (WEALTH)

WHEN LOOKING FOR AKHIRAT, LOOK AT THOSE WHO DO MORE THAN YOU THIS WILL MAKE YOU WANT MORE
WHEN LOOKING FOR DUNYA, LOOK AT THOSE WHO HAVE LESS THAN YOU THIS WILL MAKE YOU THANKFUL

BE PATIENT

BE THANKFUL

BE OPTIMISTIC

BE CONTENT

TO ﷻ
TO THE PEOPLE

NONE OTHERS THAN THE DISBELIEVERS GIVE UP!

WHEN YOU GIVE UP YOU ARE UNDERESTIMATING THE KINDNESS OF ﷻ. ﷻ DOES NOT WISH TO WRONG US. ﷻ LOVES US!
WHEN ﷻ AFFLICTS US WITH SOME PAIN IN THE DUNYA IT IS NOTHING COMPARED TO THE PAIN OF THE AKHIRAT.

THERE ARE 100 MERCIES
99 ARE FOR ﷻ
ONLY 1 HAS BEEN SENT ON THE EARTH.

HOW MERCIFUL IS OUR ﷻ?!