Al-Mu'allim

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We once had a Teacher

The Teacher of teachersHe changed the world for the betterAnd made us better creaturesOh Allah we've shamed ourselves

We've strayed from Al-Mu'allimSurely we've wronged ourselvesWhat will we say in front him?Oh Mu'allim...

He was Muhammad salla Allahu 'alayhi wa sallamMuhammad, mercy upon Mankind He was Muhammad salla Allahu 'alayhi wa sallam

Muhammad, mercy upon Mankind

Teacher of all Mankind.

Abal Oasim

Ya Habibi ya Muhammad

(My beloved O Muhammad)

Ya Shafi'i ya Muhammad

(My intercessor O Muhammad)

Khayru khalqillahi Muhammad

(The best of Allah's creation is Muhammad)

Ya Mustafa ya Imamal Mursalina

(O Chosen One, O Imam of the Messengers)

Ya Mustafa ya Shafi'al 'Alamina

(O Chosen One, O intercessor of the worlds)

He prayed while others slept

While others ate he'd fast

While they would laugh he wept

Until he breathed his last

His only wish was for us to be

Among the ones who prosper

Ya Mu'allim peace be upon you

Truly you are our Teacher

Oh Mu'allim.

Ya Habibi ya Muhammad

(My beloved O Muhammad)

Ya Shafi'i ya Muhammad

(My intercessor O Muhammad)

Ya Rasuli ya Muhammad

(O My Messenger O Muhammad)

Ya Bashiri ya Muhammad

(O bearer of good news O Muhammad)

Ya Nadhiri ya Muhammad

(O warner O Muhammad)

'Ishqu Qalbi ya Muhammad

(The love of my heart O Muhammad)

Nuru 'Ayni ya Muhammad (Light of my eye O Muhammad) He taught us to be just and kind And to feed the poor and hungry Help the wayfarer and the orphan child And to not be cruel and miserly His speech was soft and gentle Like a mother stroking her child His mercy and compassion Were most radiant when he smiled Abal Qasim Ya Habibi ya Muhammad (My beloved O Muhammad) Ya Shafi'i ya Muhammad (My intercessor O Muhammad) Khayru khalqillahi Muhammad (The best of Allah's creation is Muhammad) Ya Mustafa Ya Imamal Mursalina (O Chosen One O Imam of the Messengers) Ya Mustafa ya Shafi'al 'Alamina (O Chosen One O intercessor of the worlds)

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