

'Tareeqah Ahlus-Sunnah al-'Amaliyyah'

The Way of Ahlus-Sunnah In Actions

[Following the Narrations of the Messenger of Allaah, the Sahaabah, the Rightly Guided Khalifahs...]

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Questionnaire-Study Guide: Lecture No. 9

1. **Memorize** the Sixth statement of the author (رحمه الله) - i.e. related to **as-Sabr** and **ash-Shukr** (Patience & Gratitude)...
2. Discuss the Shaykh's explanation of the statement: 'They command (the people) to have **patience at the time of trials**'.
3. **Memorize** the Aayaat [2:155,156] mentioned by the Shaykh which shows the **excellence** of being **patient** with trials.
4. Discuss some of the areas in which a person may be afflicted, mentioning **the worst area** in which a person can be afflicted.
5. Discuss briefly the *Ikhhtilaaf al-Ulamaa'* concerning whether **afflictions** or **comfort/ease** is the *greater* trial?
6. Discuss the **two ways** of looking at the '**bitterness of al-Qadaa'** - and the **ruling** concerning **being pleased with it**.
7. Using the example of a '**sickness**' decreed by Allaah, explain the **ruling** for being **pleased with it** from both perspectives.
8. Mention the **three** (3) considerations which enable an afflicted person to be **thankful** to Allaah for that affliction.
9. Discuss the two (2) meanings which the expression '**al-Qadaa'** is applied to [in the Sharee'ah].
10. If the thing which occurs (al-Maqdee) - as a result of the decree of Allaah - is from the **actions of a human being**, what is the **ruling** concerning being pleased with it? [Explain]