

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ
In the name of Allah, the most Gracious, the most Merciful

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Closer

by aa

your curated weekly spiritual booster delivered straight to your Inbox

THINK OF ALL
of the things you've had
TO OVERCOME
to make it this far.
BUT HERE YOU ARE,
you've arrived
AND I'M SO PROUD OF YOU.

Assalamualaikum my Champions,

One of my closest friends asked me once, "Aida, do you think your 20 year old self would believe you are where you are right now?" I laughed and said, "OH GOD, NO! She'd had no idea that we would be where we are today." I grinned, looking back at how beautiful, exhausting, confusing and crazy life has been! But you know what ladies? I can say with full certainty, that not once has Allah SWT ever left me on my own to figure things out. **Never.** He was and is and will always be with me, *always.* :) And with His Love and Guidance, things will, and have

always worked out.

I also wanted to let you know, in case no one has told you, that I am so incredibly proud of you. For showing up, for doing the work, for **BEING HERE!!!!**

May Allah SWT continue to give you the strength, the motivation, the good health, the discipline and the focus to keep showing up, and may He send you good companions to accompany you on this path back to Him! I'm just honoured to be your online cheerleader and internet mom at this current stage in your life. #madproud

Coming up this week

on AA Plus!

AN IN FOCUS
PUBLICATION

Inner Peace

BY AA PLUS CHAMPIONS



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Monday / 12 October / In Focus Publication

On Inner Peace

Ma Sha Allah, I had such a great time coming together with some of you as we discussed what Inner Peace meant for us ([watch the replay here if you didn't manage to join us!](#)). My team and I have compiled some of your thoughts and reflections on this topic and **I'm so proud to present to you our very first AA Plus Publication! It will be ready by 8.30pm SG / Malaysia time tonight (Monday, 12th October)**, In Sha Allah and I can't wait for you to check it out! Just the fact that you guys co-authored this with me, woohooo, Ma Sha Allah, is making my heart swell with pride! May it be of benefit, and you are more than welcome to share it with your closest friends and

family. Next week - we'll start putting the things we've learned into action as we do the Challenges together 🤝 (more deets on 'Closer' next week In Sha Allah!)

Read The 'In Focus Publication' at 8.30 PM SG Time Here



Wednesday / 14 October / Weekly Challenge

The time has come for one of my favourite Monthly Challenge - the Collective Khatam Quran! This will be our 5th Khatam, Ma Sha Allah, and I'm looking forward to doing this with both my old and baby Champs! As usual, I urge everyone to read a page (you can put your name down for a maximum of 2 pages) of the Quran for this - just sign up with your name next to the page number you want to read and then once you've read your part, just highlight your column in green! May we be the people of Quran and may every Huruf we read be an intercession for us, Amin!

Join the Collective Khatam Quran Here

Muslim Meme



HAHAHA I FEEL THIS 100. + GUILTY
(*shamefully looks at the number of books and skincare I've been buying)

Something to Ponder

Some people have
modesty in their clothes
but arrogance in their
hearts.


Hasan al-Basri

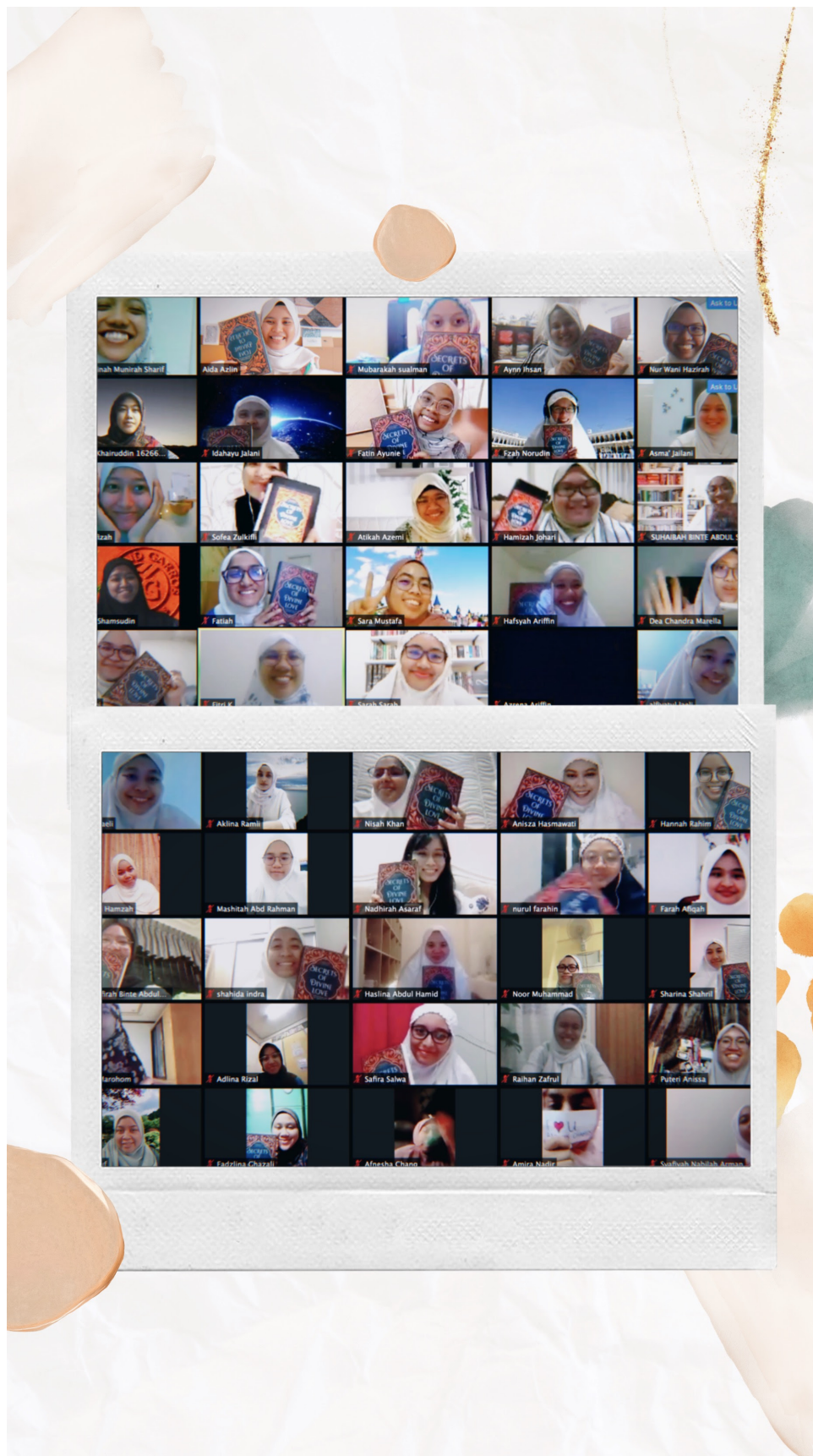


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Arrogance is a disease of the heart that I always pray to Allah to have protection from. It's a dangerous emotion especially since it can sneak up on you unknowingly. Rasulullah SAW said, "riya' (arrogance) can be as subtle as a black ant crawling on a black stone on a dark night."

Which is why it's so important to make Dua for Allah to correct our intentions at the **beginning** of doing a deed, to increase our sincerity **while** doing the deed, and to place gratitude **after** doing the deed, as arrogance can creep in at any point - before, whilst, **and** after doing the Deed! May Allah always protect us from riya' and keep our hearts humbled in remembrance of Him, Amin!





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The playback for yesterday's Open Session is now up on the website!

[Play Video Here](#)

[Read PDF Notes Here](#)

and with that, I hope you guys have enjoyed Closer.

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