

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

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Closer

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your curated weekly spiritual booster delivered straight to your Inbox

The **Rizq** that
He has written
for you never has
the wrong address.

Assalammualaikum my Champions,

This morning, Baba told me that they had prepared some tuna for my cats, Noor and Khair. (How lucky are they 😊 Ma Sha Allah!) The conversation then steered towards how everything in life, including fishes in the sea, have seasons! Birds have specific seasons where they migrate to certain parts of the world, fruits and blooms also grow

according to their season, and yes, fishes as well, as they swim and cut across certain oceans at specific times of the year.

This BLEW my mind because it just reemphasises that Allah SWT has immaculately timed everything perfectly! His timing is ALWAYS on point, and He has planned everything in such precision to ensure that everything will be harmonious, balanced and in order.

The Malays have a saying, "**Rezki tak akan salah alamat**" (translation: Rizq will never have the wrong address), and it strongly echoes that everything that is meant for you will come to you in His time. Imam Shafi'e said, "**My heart is at ease knowing that what was meant for me will never miss me, and that what misses me was never meant for me.**"

And so, just like how it was Noor and Khair's rizq to have some delicious tuna today, take comfort in the fact that your Rizq is also on its way to you. It will never miss you! But also don't forget to appreciate the blessings that are already in front of you, for they were also Rizq that Allah SWT Himself has sent to the right address - they were sent to you. :)

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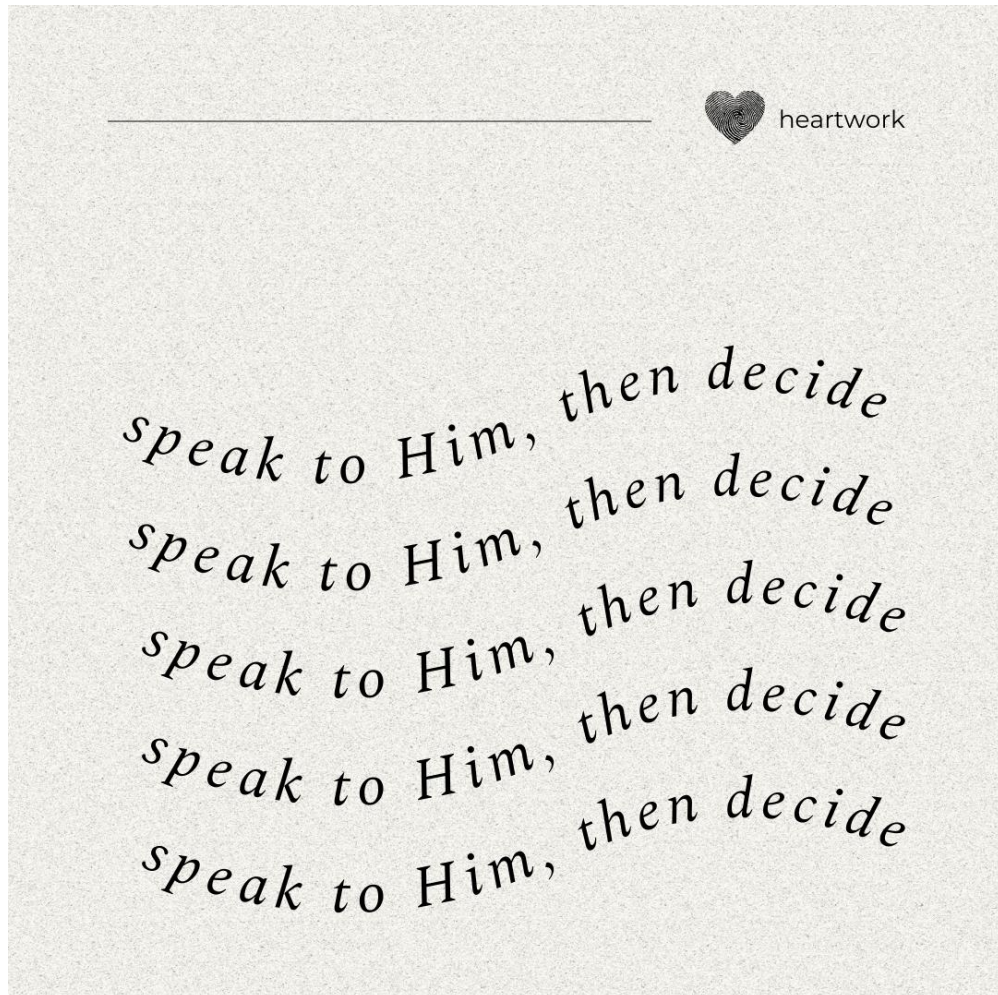


One of my favourite things to do is study Rasulullah ﷺ's Dua because his ﷺ prayers are always so succinctly beautiful! But the one that has got my heart has to be the Dua of Istikharah, and recording this week's TKV with Ustazah Huraidah definitely cemented that fact for me! I am now more in love with this Dua than ever before, and I cannot stop yapping about it with anyone and everyone who is willing to listen. There are boundless gems once you dissect this Dua and dive deeper, and my hope is that after listening to this episode, you will want to make your Istikharah prayer, daily! This TKV has changed everything for me, and I pray with all my heart that you will feel comforted, embraced and reassured after listening to it too, In Sha Allah!

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heartwork that heals



Many months ago, I asked one of our Champs if she would like to participate in one of our AA Plus Calls, and her answer not only brought a smile to my face, but it's something that I have remembered till today! She said, "Let me speak to Allah SWT first, and I'll get back to you about it!". I thought, Ma Sha Allah, this is a mark of a true believer - putting Allah SWT first, front and centre, especially in making decisions! Champs, let us all not be hasty in making decisions, as even if you are faced with a situation that needs your immediate action, Rasulullah ﷺ has taught us this short but powerful Dua that we can make in seconds: **اللَّهُمَّ خِرْ لِي وَاخْتَرْ لِي: "O Allah, make it good for**

me and choose for me. (Allāhumma khir lī wakhtar lī)". PS:

Ustazah covered this Dua too, in this week's TKV! :P

a visual reminder

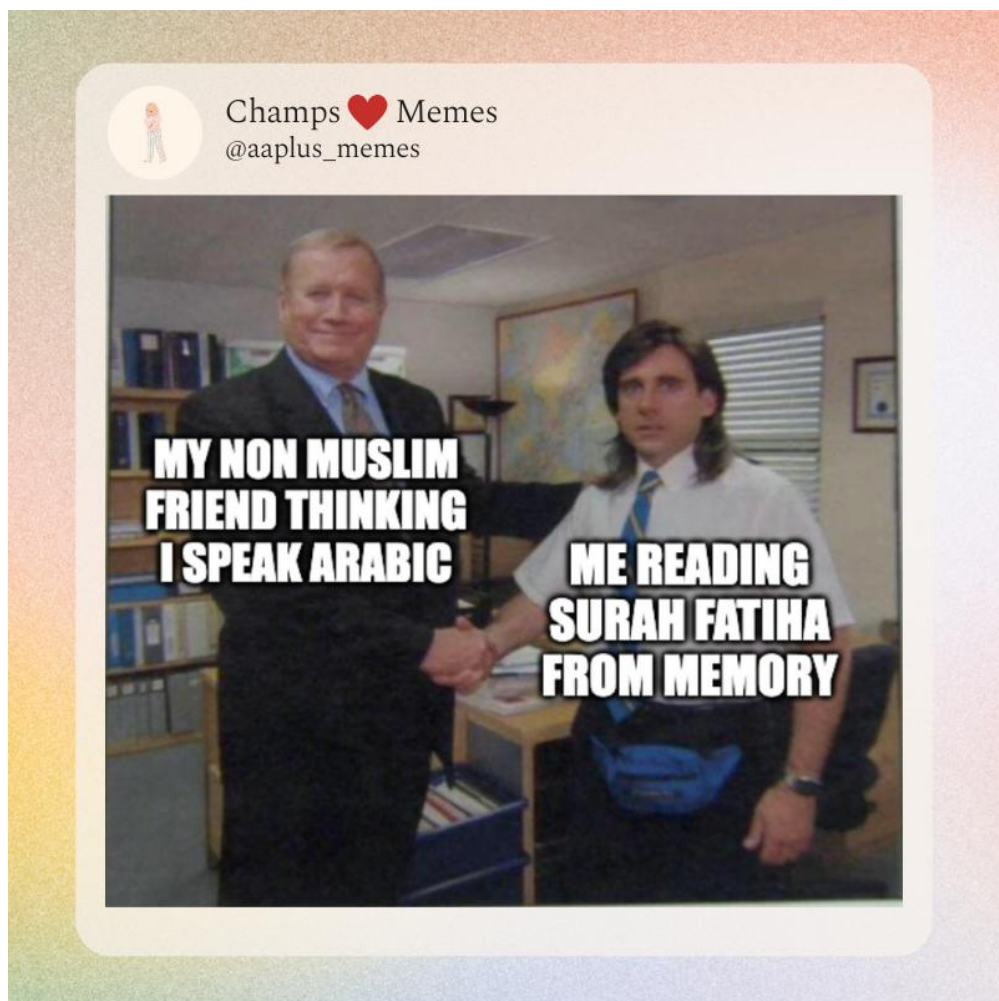


I know a number of you have requested for desktop-friendly wallpapers, and I'm happy to share our very first one this week, YAY Alhamdulillah! The visual reminder is, of course, inspired by [our TKV this week](#) and I pray may these wallpapers be a reminder for all of us to always run to Him first, and seek His Perfect Guidance in choosing the best for us, in all aspects of our lives, Amin!

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muslim meme



I remember one of my non-Muslim friends staring at me in awe when I recited the Dua before eating one day during lunch break. She said, "Wow you speak Arabic really well!" 😂😂😂 Speaking of Arabic, come join us for The 114 Club sessions next week as we'll practice and recite

the Quran together, In Sha Allah. No matter what level you are on with the Quran, we'll have a safe space ready - I promise it'll be fun! ♡♥♥

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to ponder



[In this week's TKV](#) (yes, yes I'm still talking about it; I love it **that** much 😂), Ustazah Huraidah mentioned the importance of "Istisjarah" - the act of seeking advice from the wise and the

knowledgeable. She mentioned how important it is to get advice from the right people, people who are close to Allah SWT, as following bad advice can be fatal! This led me to ponder... Are there any areas that I am qualified to give advice about? And the answer is no! 😂 My baseline answer to anyone coming to me for help is always, "Make dua and speak to Allah about it" because that is honestly, what I myself would do when I find myself in a confusing / overwhelming situation. What about you? What do you think is your area of expertise?

P.S.:



If you are a convert here on AA Plus and have not yet joined our special converts group, please reply to this email so we can get you

acquainted with the rest of the amazing convert sisters here! It'll be an honour to have you with us! ♡♥♥

And with that, my dearest Champs, I pray may all of your good deeds, especially the ones you are struggling to be consistent with, will be the good deed that helps you immensely on the Day of Judgement, InshaAllah <3

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