

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

26 October 2020



Closer

by aa

your curated weekly spiritual booster delivered straight to your Inbox

NEVER LIMIT YOUR PRAYERS

because you think you're sinful.

YOU'RE NOT PRAYING

because of who you are,

YOU ARE PRAYING BECAUSE

of who Allah is.

AND HE IS AR-RAHMAN, AR-RAHIM.

Assalammualaikum my Champions,

We can all agree that 2020 has been one heavens of a ride, and with

everything that's been going on, I'm extremely grateful for the act of Zikir. There is something profoundly grounding about the repetition of praises and remembrance of Allah SWT that has helped me find solace even in the midst of a busy street in London.

I still remember vividly the scene - the sights, the colours, the commotion of that street - people were walking briskly pass me as they rush to their next appointment, and I was on my daily morning Zikir Call with a few of my friends. I remember feeling slightly overwhelmed that day (I was due to take a COVID test later on, I had to pack for my flight home in 24 hours, and work was piling up by the minute) but there I was in that moment, taking a pause from it all to centre my heart through repeating the words **"La Illah Ha Illallah"**.

And just like that, the world was quiet. It was tranquil.

It was just me and Allah SWT, and He was whispering to me, "Breathe. It will all be OK. I will make it all be OK." 😊 My Ustazah said that **Zikir is the noise-cancelling headphones to the world** and at that moment, I knew ***exactly*** what she meant.

Coming up this week

on AA Plus!



inner peace

a zoom call wrap up

Monday / 26 October / 8.30pm SG+ MS time

Wrapping Up Inner Peace

October is drawing to a close so it's time to take a step back and reflect on how we've fared this month with our 'In Focus' theme: **Inner Peace**. Can't wait to jump on a Zoom Call with you guys to have **anhonest** post-mortem about this! See you tonight at 8.30pm 🇸🇬🇲🇾🇲🇸 time, In Sha Allah!

[Join The Zoom Call Here](#)

a beautiful Dua

prayer of light

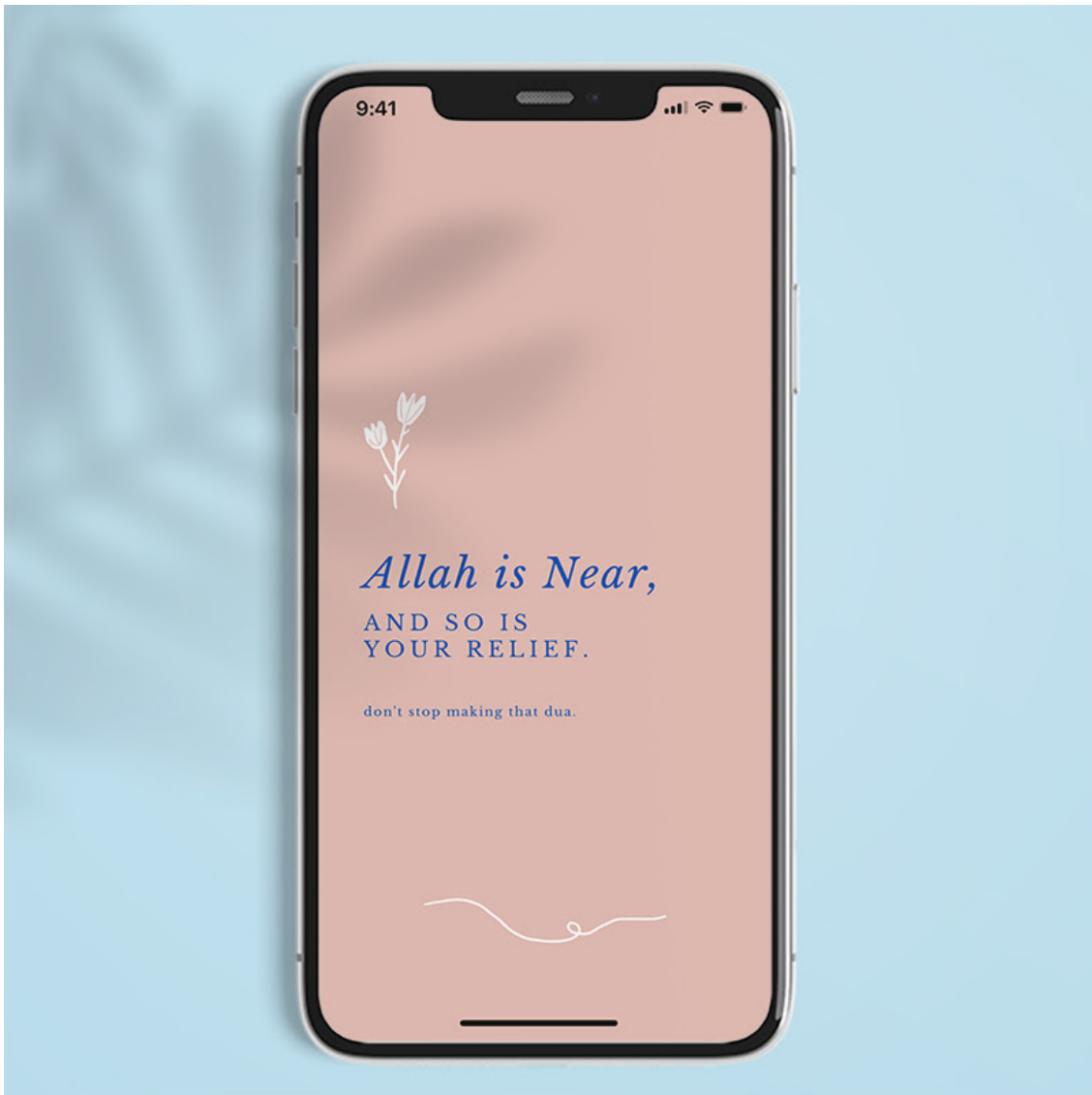
Oh Allah!
Place light in my heart
And light in my tongue
And light in my hearing
And light in my seeing
And light from above me
And light from below me
And light on my right
And light on my left
And light ahead of me
And light behind me
Place light in my soul
Magnify for me light
And amplify for me light

Make for me light
And make me light
Oh Allah!
Grant me light
And place light in my nerves
And light in my body
And light in my blood
And light in my hair
And light in my skin
Increase me in light
Increase me in light
Increase me in light
Grant me light upon light!
- Rasulullah SAW

I'm still not over this beautiful Dua that Helwa included in her book, a prayer that our beloved Rasulallah SAW said with his blessed lips.

Champs, I pray that may our faces shine with Noor on the Day of Judgement, and that our hearts, our mannerisms and akhlak beam with nothing but light, Amin!

Your visual reminder



This one is dedicated to all of my brave Champs who are quietly fighting through hard times. I see you, and Allah def sees you too!

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Muslim Meme



zaiñ
@Qalandarhun



When I give it
To Allah.

when Allah
Returns it



My Sister called me up last week and started bawling her eyes out about a problem at work, so I listened to her and then at the end I said, "go back to Allah and make a looooot of Dua for it ok? He's the only One who can fix all of this!" The next day I asked her how was she holding up, and she said this meme explains it best. <3

Something to Ponder

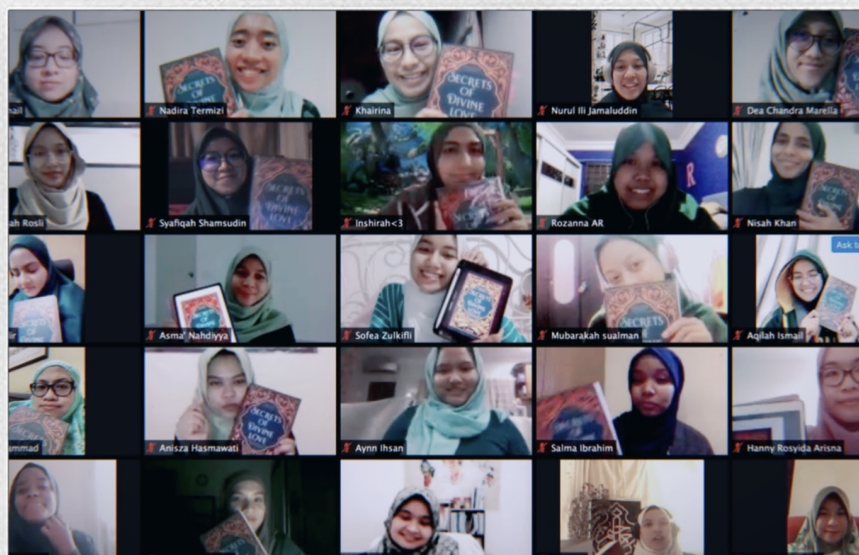
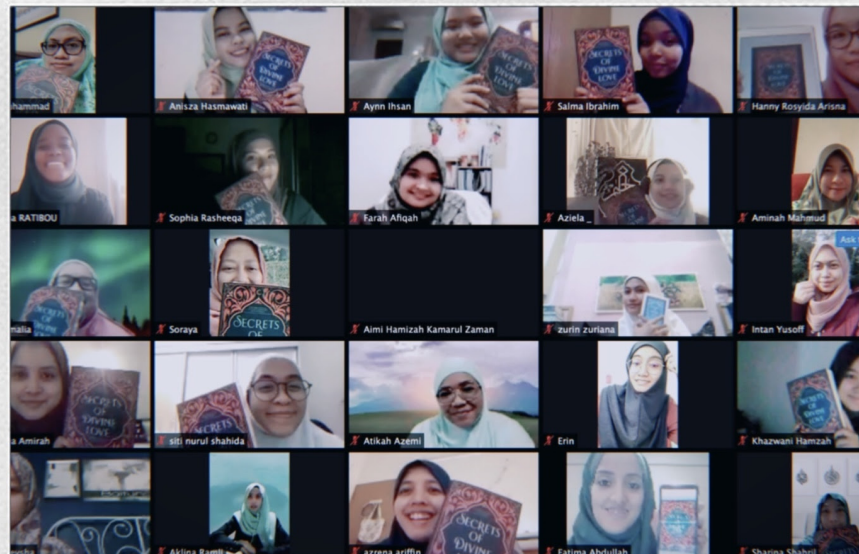
The Du‘a on your
tongue tells a lot
about the love
in your heart.



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Whenever I travel, I will always ask my loved ones if there's any Dua they'd like me to make on their behalf during my journey. I do this often because I love reading their Duas - it's like being told a very precious secret from someone you love. And usually from the Dua lists that they sent me, I can have a sense of what has been occupying their hearts. It's either something that has been troubling them, or something that they are currently hoping for - both of which are sacred and private thoughts of their hearts, so I consider it a huge honour to be able to make dua for them. **If you would like to know what is your heart pining for, see what kind of Duas you are making to Allah - is it more for the Dunia, or more for the Akhirah?**

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I always leave with my heart FULLLLL with every Open Session with you Champs, and with Helwa coming in as our guest, it was not just full, my heart overflowed. HEHEHEE, ALHAMDULILLAH! For those of you who missed yesterday's Session, here's the link to the replay:

[Catch Up On The Open Session Here](#)

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

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