

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*

Our most profound  
prayers hardly  
reach our lips;  
they are made with  
our entire being

Assalamualaikum my Champions,

Today marks a special day for me as I turn 35, Alhamdulillah! As I

reflect on the innumerable blessings that Allah SWT has showered upon me, the one gift that is dearest to me is the prayer. This is huge for me to say because, at one point in my life, I struggled with both the Solah and making Duas that I almost gave up on it altogether.

**(Disclaimer:** I still do till today, but the struggle is a whole lot sweeter now, Alhamdulillah)

Fast forward to the present, I now cannot imagine my life without it, and I believe this is partly possible because other people in my life prayed and made secret (and not so secret) duas for me. Which got me thinking about **how powerful and "contagious" prayers are!** Every single prayer we make, big or small, with a loud proclamation or a tiny whisper, for ourselves or for others, Allah SWT always hears. **And when He hears, He fully understands, and He never forgets.**

The sweetest kind of prayers that I've felt in my life are actually the ones where I have said nothing. No words, just silence and tears. **And when that happens, I shake with my entire being because it's at this moment that I realise I am Home.**

As my body enters the 35th year of being in this world, only Allah SWT knows the real "age" of my Soul (Ruh). But one thing I know for sure is that the Soul is truly happiest when it is closest to Allah SWT. And so, in honour of another year of being His slave, I would like to renew my relationship with my prayers and allow my Soul to constantly come Home. I'm not quite sure how I would do that yet though, but I know it will definitely have to begin with a sincere prayer. :)

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## a beautiful dua

Ya Allah, reunite  
me with everyone  
who has prayed  
for me in secret,  
in the highest of  
Jannah.

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#abeautifuldua

One of the things I am super excited to do when I get to enter Jannah (AMIN X 1 MILLION!) is to thank every single person who has made dua for me, especially the ones in secret, and give them a biiiiiiggggg warmmm hug! I can't wait to meet them, hang out with them, check out their awesome pawsome Jannah outfits and be with Rasulullah ﷺ together! The best part is we will never have to part since Jannah is forever - gosh, I can go on and on just imagining about this! (***And the real Jannah will still be better!!!***) If this is

something you'd like to do as well, perhaps you can make this Dua as frequently as I do too! #spreadtheduagoodnessaround!

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*a visual reminder*



Bringing back one of my favourite AA Plus wallpapers in line with my renewed birthday intention! May Allah SWT choose all of us to be from the people of Prayer - those who would protect it, cherish it, honour it, and make it their highlight of their day, Amin!

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## muslim meme



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No one:

My knees while going down for  
sujood:



2,407



982



1,237

This meme can't get any real-*er* now that I am 35! Alhamdulillah for all the memory foam / padded prayer mats! Who else has one? 😂

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to ponder



When I think about secrets, the first thing I would associate with it would be all of the journals I used to write in, especially those I had when I was 10, you know the ones with the cute little locks on them? However, now that I think about secrets, my heart would melt thinking about how **Allah SWT is the One who is the best secret-keeper as it is He alone who has kept most, if not all, of my flaws and my weaknesses a secret to the world.** And because of that Kindness He has bestowed on me, I am able to still keep the

company of all of the beautiful souls in my life and I am able to still face the world with a sense of dignity. Every single good thought that people have of us is only possible because Allah SWT has kept our sins a secret. Doesn't this make you feel closer to Him a whole lot more?

And I've learned that one of the best ways to continue having this intimacy with Allah SWT is to simply keep some things a secret - just between you and Him. Truly, love and worship really does grow stronger in secret soil.

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<p>Love Letters for Rasulallah 🕌            Mondays, 3rd, 10th, 17th &amp; 24th October            5am SG   4am WIB   10pm UK   4pm CT</p>	<p>Study Date Asia            Thursday, 6th &amp; 20th October            9pm SG   8pm WIB</p>
<p>Loving What The Beloved Loves            Sunday, 9th October            3.30am SG   2.30am WIB   8.30pm UK   2.30pm CT</p>	<p>Study Date ROTW            Sundays, 16th &amp; 23rd October            8pm UK , 2pm CT</p>
	<p>Champs Tea Party: Meow Mom Special            Sunday, 30th October            9pm SG   8pm WIB   1pm UK   7am CT</p>

Champs, we are almost at the halfway mark of October and it's still not too late to catch up on the last **Study Date** (I cried after this one!) or the **beautiful event we had with Ustazah Huraidah** (felt extremely uplifted after this one!). Take this as a sign or a gentle encouragement to simply take the first step of pressing the play button.



Just pick one that your heart needs or is pulled towards, and see how your heart softens and transforms, In Sha Allah! I promise it'll be fun!

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*With that, I hope you guys have enjoyed Closer!*

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