

The Spiritual Pharmacy

We present Part VII in the series of continuing articles on supplications for all times and places.

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Supplication to Help in Getting Pregnant

The following verse of the Qur'an (and the supplication that follows it which are various verses of the Qur'an and other prayers) should be written and tied to the stomach of the woman (it should be wrapped in a cloth as it contains the verses of the Qur'an and must not be touched without Wudhū). These verses are from Sūrah Mariam, Verse 1 to 6:

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

كَهَيَّعَ ۝ ذِكْرَ رَحْمَتِ رَبِّكَ عَبْدَهُ كَرِيماً ۝ إِذْ نَادَى رَبَّهُ
نِدَاءً خَفِيّاً ۝ قَالَ رَبِّ إِنِّي وَهَنَ الْعَظْمُ مِنِّي وَأَشْتَعَلَ الرَّأْسُ
شَيْباً وَلَمْ أَكُنْ بِدُعَائِكَ رَبِّ شَقِيّاً ۝ وَإِنِّي خِفْتُ الْمَوَالِيَ مِنْ
وَرَأْيِ وَكَانَتْ امْرَأَتِي عَاقِراً فَهَبْ لِي مِنْ لَدُنْكَ وَلِيّاً يَرِثُنِي وَيَرِثُ
مِنْ عَالِي يَعْقُبُكَ وَأَجْعَلْهُ رَبِّ رَضِيّاً ۝

هُوَ الَّذِي يُصَوِّرُكُمْ فِي الْأَرْحَامِ كَيْفَ يَشَاءُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا هُوَ
الْعَزِيزُ الْحَكِيمُ ۝ إِنَّمَا أَمْرُهُ إِذَا أَرَادَ شَيْئاً أَنْ يَقُولَ لَهُ كُنْ فَيَكُنُ
بِرَحْمَتِكَ يَا أَرْحَمَ الرَّحِمِينَ ۝ اللَّهُمَّ يَا ذَا الْعَرْشِ الْمَكْرِيمِ وَ
الْمَلِكِ الْقَدِيمِ يَا اللَّهُ يَا رَحْمَنُ يَا رَحِيمُ يَا سَتَّارُ يَا غَفَّارُ يَا
أَحَدُ يَا صَمَدُ صَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَآلِهِ أَجْمَعِينَ رَبِّ لَا تَذَرْنِي
فَرْداً وَأَنْتَ خَيْرُ الْوَارِثِينَ ۝

Supplication to Increase Goodness in One's Store or House

If the 59th verse of Sūrah al-An'am is written on a piece of tin or metal and then hung in the shop or house, goodness and blessings will be increased:

وَعِنْدَهُ مَفَاتِحُ الْغَيْبِ لَا يَعْلَمُهَا إِلَّا هُوَ وَيَعْلَمُ مَا فِي الْبَرِّ وَالْبَحْرِ
وَمَا تَسْقُطُ مِنَ وَرَقَةٍ إِلَّا يَعْلَمُهَا وَلَا حَبَّةٌ فِي ظُلْمَتِ الْأَرْضِ وَلَا
رَطْبٌ وَلَا يَابِسٌ إِلَّا فِي كِتَابٍ مُبِينٍ ۝

Verse of the Qur'an to Stop Forgetfulness

The following verse of the Qur'an from Sūrah al-Baqarah

(verse 286) should always be read to help in preventing forgetfulness:

رَبَّنَا لَا تُؤَاخِذْنَا إِنْ نَسِينَا أَوْ أَخْطَأْنَا رَبَّنَا وَلَا تَحْمِلْ عَلَيْنَا إِصْرًا
كَمَا حَمَلْتَهُ عَلَى الَّذِينَ مِنْ قَبْلِنَا رَبَّنَا وَلَا تُحَمِّلْنَا مَا لَا طَاقَةَ
لَنَا بِهِ وَاعْفُ عَنَّا وَاعْفِرْ لَنَا وَارْحَمْنَا أَنْتَ مَوْلَانَا فَانصُرْنَا عَلَى
الْقَوْمِ الْكَافِرِينَ ۝

Supplication for a Child who Starts Speaking Late in Life

It has been narrated in the book 'Uddatul Da'i from Ibn Fahd al-Hilli that if child does not start speaking early in life, the following should be written and then tied around the child (around his neck within an amulet).

مَا لَكُمْ لَا تَنْطِقُونَ ۝ إقرأ بِسْمِ رَبِّكَ الَّذِي خَلَقَ الْإِنْسَانَ
مِنْ عَلَقٍ ۝ إقرأ وَرَبُّكَ الْأَكْرَمُ الَّذِي عَلَّمَ بِالْقَلَمِ عَلَّمَ الْإِنْسَانَ
مَا لَمْ يَعْلَمْ ۝ إِلَّا مَنْ أَدْنَى لَهُ الرَّحْمَنُ وَقَالَ صَوَابًا ۝ أَنْطَقَكَ اللَّهُ
الَّذِي أَنْطَقَ كُلَّ شَيْءٍ ۝ فَفَهَّمْنَاهَا سُلَيْمَانَ ۝

Supplication to Protect One's House from Thieves

The Noble Prophet ﷺ has stated, "If the 10th verse of Sūrah Āale Imrān is written and hung on the lock or the door of the house, then that house will be protected from a thief, floods, destruction and other such things."

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا لَنْ نُعْنِيَ عَنْهُمْ أَمْوَالُهُمْ وَلَا أَوْلَادُهُمْ مِنَ اللَّهِ
شَيْئاً وَأُولَئِكَ هُمْ وَقُودُ النَّارِ ۝

Verse of the Qur'an to Wake Up at a Particular Time

Shaikh Bahā'i in the book Miiftāhul Falāh has narrated from Al-Kāfi by Shaikh Muḥammad ibn Ya'qūb al-Kulayni that Imām as-Ṣādiq ؑ has stated that when you go to sleep, if you recite the last verse of Sūrah al-Kahf with the intention of what time you want to wake up, you will definitely be woken up at that time. Shaykh Bahā'i has said that is one of the secrets and proven miracles of the Qur'an in which there is no doubt:

قُلْ إِنَّمَا أَنَا بَشَرٌ مِثْلُكُمْ يُوحَىٰ إِلَيَّ أَنَّمَا إِلَهُكُمُ اللَّهُ وَاحِدٌ فَمَنْ
كَانَ يَرْجُوا لِقَاءَ رَبِّهِ فَلْيَعْمَلْ عَمَلًا صَالِحًا وَلَا يُشْرِكْ بِعِبَادَةِ رَبِّهِ
أَحَدًا ۝