

# **Hazrat Sayed Mehboob Ali Shah (R.A)**

***Rehnuma-e-Baa Karamat Khwaja Mehboob Ali Shah (R.A)***

***Lutf Farmao Khwaja Faqir Muhammad Shah (R.A) Ke Wastey.***

Hazrat Peer Sayed Mehboob Ali Shah Chishti Nizami Habibi Faqiri (R.a) is a personality who begs no introduction. Affectionately known as Huzoor Abba, Sarkar or Hazrat Saheb in different parts of the world, and still remains in the minds and souls of people all over the globe as a unique personality who had graced their hearts with contentment and as a source of guidance in each step of their life and much more, and continues to do so even after his communion with Almighty on the 21<sup>st</sup> Ramadan 1426/25<sup>th</sup> Oct2006.

Let it be known that every person has a different illness in his heart and soul, so everybody has a different property, a different tendency. Rasoolullah (Holy Prophet) "S.A.W" has not only communicated the diseases of the heart and its treatment, but also he has given hundreds of thousands of different kinds of information regarding individuals, families, societies, wars and problems of inheritance, that is all kinds of affairs pertaining to this and the next world. It is next to impossible for us, ignorant people, who do not know our own disease or its medicine, to pick out the one, which is suitable for us of these Hadith (Saying's of Holy Prophet "S.A.W"). Murshad-e-Kamil (Spiritual Guides), being specialists of the heart and the soul, have picked out these Hadiths, the medicine of the soul, which are suitable for the nature of each individual.

A Muslim Saint is he whose intuitive faculty is so highly developed that he is able to see everything in its proper perspective. He establishes contact with the very source and fountainhead of knowledge, Allah.

There are hundreds of people who had the privilege to be in the company of one such Murshad-e-Kamil Hazrat Sayed Mehboob Ali Shah (R.A), and who will bear witness to the humble nature and the love he shared. Lucky are those hearts, which could benefit from such a personality while some left blank (Because of the extent of their hypocrisy) as Allah Almighty says in the Holy Quran Verse 198, Surah al-Aaraaf "You see them look at you. They cannot understand you. They do not see your superiority."

Allah Almighty bestowed Prophet's (A.S) with great honour of being his supreme vicegerents and granted them the stewardship of mankind and made them among his chosen beings by granting them Prophethood and ordered the rest of the creation to obey them and follow in their footsteps. Among these great Messengers of Allah, the most beloved and highest ranked among them is our Prophet Muhammad (S.A.W), through whom hundreds and thousands of branches of knowledge and rays of guidance took shape and spread in different corners of the world, thus eradicating darkness and spreading light in the hearts of mankind. From the royal court of the final Messenger (S.A.W) a elegant drop of divine knowledge is been granted to the Mashaikh's (Spiritual Guide's) of his Ummah whose description, rank and status is beyond one's explanation.

Their work is unique as one's parents who cares so much for a child, strives and try for the success of their child in this world and remove all the difficulties and hardships which come across, but these guides not only saves one from the hardships of this world but of the real world as well, that is the hereafter and guide their disciples to achieve the goal of being successful on the doomsday by guiding the people towards truth. These Mashaikh's are the one's if someone tries to harm them, they shower their blessings upon them, and go empty stomach to bed but feed the poor and needy. These are the Mashaikh's about whom Holy Prophet (S.A.W.) has said: "The Mashaikh's of my Ummah are like the Prophet's of previous nations." And it is Allah Almighty who with his grace has made the Ahl-e-Bait (Progeny) of Holy Prophet (S.A.W) the captain of this group, and it is this Progeny about who's purity Allah Almighty declares in the Holy Quran Surah al-Ahzab Verse-33 "And Allah only wishes to remove all impurities from you, ye members of the family of final Messenger, and to make you pure and spotless." Which is a clear indication of their status, and whosoever speaks ill about them undoubtedly commits an act of Kufr (Disbelief) as he is going against the Holy Quran, which is the command of Allah Almighty. This is the pure lamp of spiritual guides which is lit through the Noor of Holy Prophet (S.A.W) who's rays shined as Hazrat Ali (R.a) in the battle of Khyber, then in the form of Imam Husain on the battlefields of Karbala, it shined in the form of Khwaja Hasan Basri, Ibrahim Adham, Muhiyyudden, Moinuddin, Qutbuddin, Fareeduddin, Nizamuddin, Fakhruddin, Badruddin and many more till it shined in the form of the founder of Bazme Chirag-e-Faqir Chishti International (B.C.F.I) "Mehboob-e-Millat" Hazrat Khwaja Sayed Mehboob Ali Chishti Nizami Habibi Faqiri (May Allah have mercy upon all) who illuminated hundreds and thousands of hearts with guidance.

Hazrat Peer Sayed Mehboob Ali Shah's (R.a) Shrine situated in Maitland cemetery, Maitland, Cape Town, which serves as a source of blessings and Insha Allah (God willing) will continue till the sun rises in the west.

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