

## Weekly Question & Answer Session

with The Noble Shaykh Ḥasan ibn ‘Abd Al-Wahhāb Marzūq al-Bannā (حفظه الله)

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The following are the questions presented to the Shaykh with the corresponding minute marker from the audio:

1. If the Prophet (*sallAllāhu ‘alayhi wa sallam*) did not do something, but the *Ṣaḥābah* did it, is that considered an innovation? – For example compiling the *mushaf*, and the extra *Adhān* on *Jumu’ah*, among other things. [00:01:16]
2. If a person wakes up while the sun is rising, do they pray *Fajr* at that time or should they wait until after sunrise? And is the *Sunnah* to be prayed before or after the *farḍ* in this case? Likewise, if a person prays *‘Aṣr* and remembers he did not pray *ẓuhr*, do they pray it at the time between *‘Aṣr* and *Maghrib*? [00:06:40]
3. How do we interact with those who ascribe to *Salafiyyah*, yet when they are advised regarding certain matters such as, not attending the events of *Ahlul Bid’ah* where there are free giveaways, vending and activities for children - they make statements such as the *Salafīs* do not have these types of events and do not have anything going on, so they will attend the events of *Ahlul Bid’ah*, which is not true, as they are not going there to seek knowledge and they see no problem in this? [Second part of the question] If the people of *Salafīs* do what the people of *Bid’ah* are doing with regard to celebrations but, following





the guidelines of *Sharī'ah* of course, then they are accused that now you *Salafīs* or you the people of *Sunnah* are imitating the people of *Bid'ah*. [00:10:28]

4. Noble *Shaykh*, what advise do you have for the individual who becomes sad, when they think about the state of the *Muslims* and the *Ummah* in general, regarding all the evil present to the point that they cry and pray that **Allāh** would take their soul, so they don't have to witness the *fitnah* and the deviation present, because they are scared things will only get worse? [00:20:27]
5. How does a person maintain his zeal for seeking knowledge, if he is alone and does not have anyone around to study with and help motivate him? [00:33:15]
6. Can I accept payment for an item I have not yet made, but have the materials to make it, or must I have completed the product before I can accept payment? Also, can I accept the payment and then purchase the materials needed to create the item, or make the item that I want? [00:42:03]

