Why Should I Give Sadaqah?

Sadaqah protects from calamity, extinguishes sin as water extinguishes fire, and provides shade on the Day of Resurrection

"The likeness of those who spend their wealth in the Way of Allah, is as the likeness of a grain (of corn); it grows seven ears, and each ear has a hundred grains. Allah multiplies (increases the reward) for whom He wills. And Allah is All-Sufficient for His creatures' needs, All-Knower."

(Al-Qur'an, 2:261)

What is Sadaqah?

Sadaqah /sod-a-ka/ **noun.** a charitable act, charitable giving, or money given in charity with the intention of seeking the pleasure of Allah (SWT).

Allah's Messenger, peace be upon him said, "Every act of goodness is Sadaqah." (Muslim #2197)

Allah's Messenger (pbuh) said, "When you smile in your brother's face, or enjoin what is reputable, or forbid what is objectionable, or direct someone who has lost his way, or help a man who has bad eyesight, or remove stones, thorns and bones from the road, or pour water from your bucket into your brother's, it counts to you as Sadaqah." (*Tirmidhi* #1911)

Sadaqah on Behalf of Deceased Loved Ones

A woman said: "Apostle of Allah, my mother suddenly died; if it had not happened, she would have given Sadaqah (charity) and donated (something). Will it suffice if I give sadaqah on her behalf?" The Prophet (pbuh) said: "Yes, give sadaqah on her behalf." (*Abu-Dawood #2875*)

A person said to Allah's Apostle (pbuh): "My father died and left behind property without making any will regarding it. Would he be relieved of the burden of his sins if I give Sadaqah on his behalf?" He (the Prophet) said: "Yes." (Muslim #4001)

Why Every Muslim Should Give Sadaqah

The Prophet (pbuh) said, "Every Muslim has to give in charity." The people asked, "O Allah's Prophet! If someone has nothing to give, what will he do?" He said, "He should work with his hands and benefit himself and also give in charity (from what he earns)." The people further asked, "If he cannot find even that?" He replied, "He should help the needy who appeal for help." Then the people asked, "If he cannot do that?" He replied, "Then he should perform good deeds and keep away from evil deeds and this will be regarded as charitable deeds." (Bukhari #2.524)

Allah's Messenger (pbuh) said: "Charity does not in any way decrease the wealth, and the servant who forgives, Allah adds to his respect; and the one who shows humility, Allah elevates him in the estimation (of the people)." (*Muslim Vol. 4, #6264*)

The Benefits of Sadaqah

Allah's Messenger (pbuh) said:

"Sadaqah extinguishes sin as water extinguishes fire." (*Tirmidhi #2541*)

"Sadaqah appeases the Lord's anger and averts an evil death." (*Tirmidhi #1909*)

"Give the Sadaqah without delay, for it stands in the way of calamity." (*Tirmidhi* #1887)

"The believer's shade on the Day of Resurrection will be his Sadaqah." (*Tirmidhi #1925*)

How Does Hidaya Foundation Distribute Sadaqah?

Hidaya Foundation distributes Sadaqah among people in extreme poverty. It is distributed in the form of cash, food (cooked or dry ration), water, clothing, educational support, medical assistance and sacrifice in the name of Allah (SWT).

Clean Drinking Water

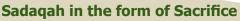
Sa'd ibn Ubadah asked the Apostle of Allah, "Umm Sa'd has died; what form of Sadaqah is best?" He (pbuh) replied: "Water (is best)." He dug a well and said: "It is for Umm Sa'd." (Abu-Dawood #1677)

Hidaya installs water hand pumps for potable water in some of the most neglected villages in the world. Based on water depth on average such hand pumps with a cement platform costs **approximately \$200 each**. Hidaya also delivers water to the poor in areas where digging wells is too expensive via water tanker.

One Million Meals

Allah's Messenger (pbuh) said, "The most excellent Sadaqah consists in your satisfying a hungry stomach." (*Tirmidhi #1946*)

Meals are distributed to people in dire need throughout the year. **Due** to buying in bulk it costs only 50 cents per meal.



A man called the Apostle of Allah (pbuh):"We used to sacrifice Atirah in pre-Islamic days during Rajab; so what do you command us?" He (pbuh) said: "Sacrifice for the sake of Allah in any month; obey Allah, Most High, and feed (the people)." (*Abu-Dawood #2824*)

Sadaqah in the form of sacrifice is usually arranged within 72 hours of donor's request and meat is distributed to the poor. It costs \$100 for a goat/sheep and \$350 for an ox/buffalo.

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- This Automatic Monthly Donation Form is used to authorize Hidaya Foundation to withdraw donations directly from a donor's **bank account or credit/debit card account** each month. Please complete all three sections.
- All donations are tax deductible. Hidaya Foundation is a non-profit 501(C)(3) charitable organization with FEIN # 77-0502583.
- Monthly donations are processed on approximately the 16th of each month.
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