

*LETTER NINE*  
**CONCERNING REMINDING OTHERS**

With His Glorious Name ﷺ  
Allah, Allah, Allah

My dear brother Nasrullāh:

*As-salāmu °alaykum wa rahmatullāhi wa barakātuhu.*

This *faqīr* has reached Australia safely. It is very cold. I trust that you and your family are well.

Devote all your efforts to the school of religious learning [*madrasa*]: may this become a shade for us in the Hereafter. Allah ﷻ says, “*Nor is that any great matter for Allah.*” (14:20) The blessings of the *Khatm Sharif*<sup>24</sup> program are beyond our estimation and comprehension, so be diligent towards it.

Continue to advise the people concerning piety, purity, and their connection with Allah ﷻ. It would have been sufficient for Allah ﷻ to order us to observe prayers merely once, but He did so more than seven hundred times. Man is forgetful and needs to be reminded continually.

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<sup>24</sup> The *Khatm Sharif* is a gathering held for silent recitation of litanies taken from the Holy Quran and *sunnah*.

Very few have the power to survive independently. The majority of people are at the mercy of their environment, and good environments are created by the motivation of the determined. Stay regular and steadfast in your pre-dawn prayer [*ṭahajjud*], recitation of the Holy Quran, and remembrance [*dhikr*]. Only those who worship and persevere can outshine the darkness of sin.

*Exalt the weak with the strength of love.*

*Illuminate the whole world with the name Muhammad.*

*Was-salām maʿal-ikrām,*

*Faqīr Zulfīqār Ahmad Naqshbandī Mujaddidī*