

SHORT COURSE ON THE INNER DIMENSIONS OF ISLAMIC WORSHIP

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Date: Tuesday 20th April 2010

Time: 6pm - 9pm

**Venue: Idea Store Canary Wharf, Churchill Place,
Canary Wharf, London E14 5RB**

This short intensive course will cover the basics of building spirituality. For many Muslims, Islamic rituals too often become hollow and dry their joy and spirituality being lost.

'Inner Dimensions of Islamic Worship' is based on extracts from Al-Ghazali's 'Ihya Ulum Ad-Din', Ibn Qayyim al-Jawziyyah's Madaarij Saalikeen and many others, where some of Islam's greatest scholars help to provide a much needed remedy to this problem. The course will explain the deeper spiritual meanings behind the fundamental rites of Islam and discuss what the inner state of the Muslim should be when s/he fulfils these Islamic duties. The soundness of the spiritual state is essential to the fulfilment of one's inner quality and reaping the rich harvests of spiritual, moral and social upliftment that must be their

reward.

Various texts presented in this course will be of immense help to the countless young Muslims of our times who are rapidly growing in their commitment to Islam and ever trying to bring their lives under the sovereignty of Allah - a task which is impossible unless one can develop the immense inner resources which Islamic worship offers.

Ustadh Abu Aaliyah has been studying traditional Islamic sciences for the last 25 years under a number of scholars. He has a Masters in Islamic Studies from the University of London and has translated a few Arabic texts into English, the last of which was a small primer on Muslim spirituality called *The Exquisite Pearls*. His own books include:

1. Fussing Over the 15th of Sha'ban and the Golden Rule of Differing
2. More Fish Please and the Earth's Complaint
3. Heartbeat of Faith: Two Essays on Tawhid.

He has taught and lectured various at conferences and universities on Islamic issues with appearances on radio and tv. Currently he is a khatib at a mosque in London and undertakes pastoral work in the wider community with a keen interest in science and a director of the Jawziyyah Institute (www.jawziyyah.com).

All welcome - Notes included

**Limited spaces only and entrance is £10
and via bookings to guarantee places.**

**To register please email your name, mobile,
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