



# ASHURA CHECKLIST

Make the Most of the Blessed Day of Ashura

Date: 10 Muharram

"I hope from Allah that fasting the Day of Ashura will expiate the sins of the previous year." –

Prophet Muhammad ﷺ

## BEFORE ASHURA

- ☐ Confirm the Ashura date in your locality
- ☐ Make the intention to fast for the sake of Allah
- ☐ Learn about the virtues of Ashura
- ☐ Prepare your du‘ā’ list
- ☐ Inform family and friends about the Sunnah of fasting
- ☐ Download your Ashura Du‘ā’ PDF
- ☐ Plan your suhoor and iftar

## ON THE DAY OF ASHURA

### Worship

- ☐ Fast the Day of Ashura
- ☐ Pray Fajr on time
- ☐ Pray all five daily prayers on time

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- ☐ Read a portion of the Qur'an
  - ☐ Increase Istighfar
  - ☐ Increase Salawat upon Prophet Muhammad ﷺ
  - ☐ Recite your Ashura Day Du'ā'
  - ☐ Spend time in personal du'ā'

### Dhikr Checklist

- ☐ SubhanAllah
- ☐ Alhamdulillah
- ☐ Allahu Akbar
- ☐ La ilaha illa Allah
- ☐ Astaghfirullah
- ☐ Salawat upon Prophet Muhammad ﷺ

### Charity & Good Deeds

- ☐ Give charity according to your ability
- ☐ Help someone in need
- ☐ Share beneficial Islamic knowledge
- ☐ Encourage others to fast
- ☐ Share an Ashura reminder

### Du'ā' List

- ☐ Forgiveness
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## A Beautiful Du‘ā’ for the Beginning of the New Islamic Year \_3

- ☐ Guidance
- ☐ Protection
- ☐ Good health
- ☐ Halal provision
- ☐ Parents
- ☐ Spouse
- ☐ Children
- ☐ Family
- ☐ The Muslim Ummah
- ☐ Deceased relatives
- ☐ A good ending (Husnul Khatimah)

### REFLECTION QUESTIONS

- ☐ What sins do I need to leave behind?
- ☐ What habit should I build this year?
- ☐ How can I become closer to Allah?
- ☐ What can I do today that benefits me in the Hereafter?



# LESSON OF ASHURA

When the sea was in front of Musa (as) and Pharaoh was behind him, Allah opened a way where there seemed to be no way.

Ashura reminds us that Allah's help can arrive when everything appears impossible.

Trust Allah. Turn to Allah. Hope in Allah.

## Resources



What is Ashura?

[halalings.com/what-is-ashura](https://halalings.com/what-is-ashura)



Fasting on Ashura

[halalings.com/fasting-on-ashura](https://halalings.com/fasting-on-ashura)



Ashura Du'ā' Downloads

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## Source

This supplication has been transmitted by scholars and is mentioned in works dealing with recommended supplications and virtuous acts associated with the beginning of the new Hijri year. Muslims have traditionally recited it as a means of beginning the year with remembrance and reliance upon Allah.

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"Begin your year with du'ā'."

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