

أَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ كَمَا هُوَ أَهْلُهُ وَالصَّلَاةُ وَالسَّلَامُ عَلَى سَيِّدِ وَلَدِ آدَمَ كَمَا يُحِبُّ وَيَرْضَى بِأَنْ يُصَلَّى عَلَيْهِ

Allah Almighty, in Whose Name we begin, The Most Compassionate,
The Most Merciful

All Praise is due to Allah Almighty, Countless Peace and Blessings be upon
His Beloved Messenger – *may Allah's peace and blessings be upon him* – his family & his
companions – *may Allah be pleased with them all*

The Cup of Divine Love

Hadrat Sayyiduna Yusuf bin Husain - *may Allah be pleased with him* - narrates that he heard Hadrat Sayyiduna Zun Nun Misri - *may Allah be pleased with him* – relate:

I was once in the mountains in Syria and I saw a few people who were wearing woollen clothing. In one hand, they had a water container and in one hand they had a walking stick. When they saw me, they began to say to themselves, 'Come, let us approach Abu Faiz, Zun Nun Misri.'

They then approached me and made Salaam. I returned their salaam. I then asked them where they had come from and they replied, 'We have come from the garden of Divine Love and Ecstasy.'

I asked them with whose help they had come and they replied, 'We have arrived with the Divine Help of that Being Who bestows upon everyone in abundance.'

I then asked them what is it that they do in that place, they replied, ‘We drink from the cup of Divine Love.’