

**Chapter one:** The Required Etiquettes and Duties for Teachers and Students

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1- Pure intention - before commencing, during the pursuance and after completion-

a. Quran

b. The Holy Prophet (cont....)

i. Angel Gabriel: Allah has said; a pure intention is **one of my secrets**. I have put it as a trust in the heart of my favorite servants.

ii. The first person to be judged on the Day of Judgment is the person who was martyred in this world. He will be shown the blessings bestowed and then asked, what did you do with them? He will say, 'I fought in your way'. God would reply, No! **You're lying; your goal was that others would talk about you** as to how brave you were. People indeed praised you, therefore your intention was fulfilled and then he will be thrown down on his face and pulled on the ground till he falls into the hellfire.

After that another person would be called who was gaining knowledge, and spreading them. Again Allah will show him the blessings and ask him, what did you do with these blessings? He will say, I learnt, spread your message and recited the Quran. He will answer, No! You are lying! **You learnt so that people would consider you a scholar** and say that you are a reciter of the Quran. After you people praised you and hence **you have attained your rewards**. This person will also be ordered to be thrown down on his face and pulled on the ground till he falls into the hellfire.

iii. If someone intends to gain the world instead of seeking Allah's pleasure, he **will not smell the sweetness (fragrance) of heaven** on the Day of Judgment.

iv. If someone learns knowledge for other than God, **his place will be prepared in the hellfire**

v. If someone learns knowledge in order to quarrel and argue with the Scholars or the weak minds, or to attract people's attention, his place will be prepared in the hellfire.

vi. Pursue that Goal which is with Allah. Because that which is with Him is permanent as He is everlasting. **Anything other than Him will vanish**.

**Be like the springs of wisdom, the shining lights of guidance** and attend to your houses. Be like torches on a dark night and cheerful, but wear simple clothes. Live in such a way that you are famous among those in the skies, and unknown among the people on earth.