

## Summarised Friday Sermon

9<sup>th</sup> June 2006

### The Outcome of a Profound Iman

- The sermon begins with all praises to Allah, the Lord of the Universe Who have allowed us to live as Muslims, faithful Muslims
- A *mukmin* will set aside time for him own self to carry out the *ibadah* and submit to Allah, to enlighten the heart and to get closer to Allah s.w.t.
- There are the elements mentioned by Imam Ali r.a. that a sound *Iman* will bring about 3 factors: One, a pure and confident heart. Two, a heart that is firm with truth. Three, kind in his relations with others.
- The first one, faith that gives birth to pure self-confidence, confidence that brings about calmness in the heart. A profound *Iman* brings about full confidence and indirectly this brings about overall peace.
- The 2<sup>nd</sup> factor, a heart that is firm with truth. Firmness in carrying out the commandments of Allah s.w.t and His Messenger, holding strongly to Islam and its principles and brave in upholding the truth.
- The 3<sup>rd</sup> and last factor, kind in his relations with others and kind in our dealings with people. Strong *Iman* will definitely stop and prevent anyone from being violent, extreme or fanatic.
- Most importantly, Faith is the catalyst to these positive attributes. A pious Muslim has in him, love and care for all, and they are the blessings and role models to the nation at large. Hopefully, this positive attitude will continuously enable us to purify our hearts.