

Sūratuṣ Shams, Sūratul Lail, Sūratul Kāfirūn, Sūratul Ikhḷāṣ, Sūratul Falaq and Sūratun Nās seven times each and then say:

اللَّهُمَّ ارِنِي فِي مَنَامِي كَذَا

And in the place of the word كَذَا, you should mention the name of the person whom you would like to see in your sleep and then say:

اجْعَلْ لِي أَمْرِي فَرِحًا وَ مَخْرَجًا

And should then go to sleep. If you do not see the person the first night, then you should follow this same procedure the next night and if you do not see the person on the second night, then you should try this for a third night and if this does not work, then you should continue this for up to seven nights and Inshā-Allāh, you will see that person.

Supplication to Read when you go to your Own Store

Imām Muḥammad ibne ‘Alī al-Bāqir ؑ has said that the following Duā should be recited when you go to your store:

أَشْهَدُ أَنْ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ وَ أَشْهَدُ أَنَّ مُحَمَّدًا صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَ آلِهِ عَبْدُهُ وَ رَسُولُهُ. اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَسْأَلُكَ مَنْ فَضْلِكَ رِزْقًا حَلَالًا طَيِّبًا وَ أَعُوذُ بِكَ مِنْ أَنْ أَظْلَمَ أَوْ أُظْلَمَ وَ أَعُوذُ بِكَ مِنْ صَفَقَةٍ خَاسِرَةٍ وَ يَمِينٍ كَاذِبَةٍ

Once a person has recited this Duā, an Angel is then appointed to him who says to him, “I give glad tidings to you! Today, no one else will be able to accumulate the amount of money which you will make. You have hurried in gathering and gaining divine rewards from Allāh and have removed yourself from committing sins. Surely that which Allāh has stored for you in relation to your sustenance will come to you and it will be of the permitted (Ḥalāl) and pure (Ṭayyib) earnings.”

Supplication to remove any sort of difficulty

In the book Makārimul Akhlāq it has been narrated that the Noble Prophet Muḥammad ﷺ told Amirul Mo‘minin ‘Alī ibne Abi Ṭālib ؑ that anytime he has any difficulties, he should continuously recite this supplication:

لَا حَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللَّهِ الْعَلِيِّ الْعَظِيمِ إِيَّاكَ نَعْبُدُ وَ إِيَّاكَ نَسْتَعِينُ

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A Tried and Trusted Supplication to be Protected

It has been narrated from Anas ibne Mālik that he said that the Messenger of Allāh ﷺ had stated that, “Whoever reads the following Duā every morning and night, Allāh, the Most High, will appoint four angels to protect him and they will stand in front of him, behind him, to his right and to his left. In this way, the person will be in the protection of Allāh ﷻ and if even all of the creations from amongst the Jinn and Mankind would try to harm the person, they would not be able to.”

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ خَيْرِ الْأَسْمَاءِ. بِسْمِ اللَّهِ رَبِّ الْأَرْضِ وَ السَّمَاءِ. بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الَّذِي لَا يَضُرُّ مَعَ إِسْمِهِ سَمٌّ وَ لَا دَاءٌ. بِسْمِ اللَّهِ أَصْبَحْتُ وَ عَلَى اللَّهِ تَوَكَّلْتُ. بِسْمِ اللَّهِ عَلَى قَلْبِي وَ نَفْسِي. بِسْمِ اللَّهِ عَلَى دِينِي وَ عَقْلِي. بِسْمِ اللَّهِ عَلَى أَهْلِي وَ مَالِي. بِسْمِ اللَّهِ عَلَى مَا أَعْطَانِي رَبِّي. بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الَّذِي لَا يَضُرُّ مَعَ إِسْمِهِ شَيْءٌ فِي الْأَرْضِ وَ لَا فِي السَّمَاءِ وَ هُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْعَلِيمُ. اللَّهُ اللَّهُ رَبِّي. لَا أُشْرِكُ بِهِ شَيْءٌ. اللَّهُ أَكْبَرُ. اللَّهُ أَكْبَرُ وَ أَعَزُّ وَ أَجَلُّ مِمَّا أَحَافُ وَ أَحْذَرُ عَزَّ جَارُكَ وَ جَلَّ ثَنَاؤُكَ. وَ لَا إِلَهَ غَيْرُكَ. اللَّهُ إِنِّي أَعُوذُ بِكَ مِنْ شَرِّ نَفْسِي وَ مِنْ شَرِّ كُلِّ سُلْطَانٍ شَدِيدٍ وَ مِنْ شَرِّ كُلِّ شَيْطَانٍ مُرِيدٍ وَ مِنْ شَرِّ كُلِّ جَبَّارٍ عَنِيدٍ وَ مِنْ شَرِّ قَضَاءِ السُّوءِ وَ مِنْ كُلِّ دَابَّةٍ أَتَتْ آخِذًا بِنَاصِيَتِهَا إِيَّاكَ عَلَى صِرَاطٍ مُسْتَقِيمٍ. وَ أَنْتَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ حَفِيظٌ. إِنَّ وَلِيَّ اللَّهِ الَّذِي نَزَلَ الْكِتَابَ وَ هُوَ يَتَوَلَّى الصَّالِحِينَ. فَإِنْ تَوَلَّوْا فَقُلْ حَسْبِيَ اللَّهُ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا هُوَ عَلَيْهِ تَوَكَّلْتُ وَ هُوَ رَبُّ الْعَرْشِ الْعَظِيمِ.

Supplication to see a Deceased Person in your Dreams

It has been mentioned that if you wish to see somebody who has passed away (if you wish to see them in your dreams), then before you go to sleep, you should lie on your right side and recite the following from the Qur‘ān: