

# Du‘ā for Waking Up for Tahajjud Ṣalāh

Sayyidunā ‘Abdullāh Ibn ‘Abbās رضي الله عنه relates from Rasūlullāh صلى الله عليه وسلم that whoever recites the following du‘ā before sleeping, an Angel will be sent to awaken him/her at the time most preferred by Allāh سبحانه وتعالى.

اللَّهُمَّ لَا تُؤْمِنَّا مَكْرَكَ، وَلَا تُنْسِنَا ذِكْرَكَ، وَلَا تَهْتِكْ عَنَّا سِتْرَكَ، وَلَا تَجْعَلْنَا مِنَ  
الْغَافِلِينَ، اللَّهُمَّ ابْعَثْنَا فِي أَحَبِّ الْأَوْقَاتِ إِلَيْكَ، حَتَّى نَذُكُرَكَ فَتَذُكُرْنَا، وَنَسْأَلَكَ  
فَتُعْطِينَا، وَنَدْعُوكَ فَتَسْتَجِيبَ لَنَا، وَنَسْتَغْفِرَكَ فَتَغْفِرَ لَنَا (الفردوس بمأثور الخطاب)

*Translation: O Allāh! Do not make us feel secure from your plan; do not make us negligent of your remembrance; do not remove from us your veil (which is covering our faults); and do not make us from the neglectful. O Allāh! Awaken us at the time most beloved to you, when we may remember you so that you remember us; we may ask you so that you grant us; we may call on to you so that you answer us; and we may seek your forgiveness so that you forgive us.*