



## **Class Resource**

# **Prophetic Traditions**

**On**

**“Fairness between Wives”**

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## The Desire to be Fair

[1]: A'isha, may Allah be pleased with her, reported:

The Messenger of Allah, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, used to fairly divide nights with his wives. He, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, used to say:

**"O Allah, this is my division regarding what I control, so do not take me to account for what you control and I do not (i.e. my heart)."**<sup>1</sup>

### Benefits:

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<sup>1</sup> Authenticated by Ibn Hibbaan and al-Haakim. See *"Buloogh al-Maraam"*, #902.

**The Impermissibility of Inclining Towards a Wife**

[2]: Abu Hurayrah, may Allah be pleased with him, reported that the Messenger of Allah, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, said:

**Whoever has two wives, and inclines towards one of them, he will come on the Day of Judgement sagging/drooping to one side.**

[Authentic. See "al-Irwaa", vol.7/ pg.80, #2017.]

**Benefits:**

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**A Virgin Receives Seven Days, a Deflowered Woman Receives Three**

[3]: Anas, may Allah be pleased with him, said: The following conduct is the *Sunnah*:

**When a married man marries a virgin, he stays with her for seven days. Then after that, he equally divides time. If he marries a deflowered woman, he stays with her for three days. Then after that, he equally divides time.**

[al-Bukhaaree, #5214 and Muslim, #1084]

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[4]: Umm Salamah, may Allah be pleased with her, reported that when the Messenger of Allah, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, married her, **he stayed with her for three nights**. He, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, said:

**You are not insignificant to me. You are family. If you like, I will spend seven nights with you, and if I spend seven nights with you, I will spend seven nights with all my wives.**

[Muslim, #1083]

**Benefits:**

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**The Permissibility of a Wife Giving up Her Night(s)**

[5]: A'isha, may Allah be pleased with her, reported that Sawdah bint Zam'ah gave her day to A'isha.

**The Messenger of Allah, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him, safety, used to give A'isha the day that [already] belonged to her, and Sawadah's day.**

[al-Bukhaaree, #5212 and Muslim, #1085]

**Benefits:**

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**The Permissibility of Checking on a Wife, even if it is not Her Day, as long as There is no Intercourse**

[6/A]: 'Arwah reported that A'isha, may Allah be pleased with her, said:

**O My Nephew, the Messenger of Allah, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, did not favor any of us regarding the time he would spend with us.**

Normally, he would come to all of our homes. It was rare if he did not. He would be affectionate with us, short of intercourse.

This is the normal manner in which he would conduct himself, until he arrived at the home of the wife to whom the night belonged.

[6/B]:[Imaam] Muslim collected a narration wherein A'isha, may Allah be pleased with her, reported:

**After the Messenger of Allah, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, prayed the Asr prayer, he would visit and show affection to his wives.**

[Muslim, #1101]

**Benefits:**

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**The Permissibility of Asking to be with a Specific Wife when Ill**

[7]: A'isha, may Allah be pleased with her, reported:

During the illness of which the Messenger of Allah, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, passed away, he would ask: **"Where am I tomorrow?"** He meant by that, A'isha's day.

Therefore, his wives permitted him to stay where he wanted, and he stayed at A'isha's house.

[*al-Bukhaaree, #5217 Muslim, #2129*]

**Benefits:**

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**Drawing Lots when Traveling**

[8]: A'isha, may Allah be pleased with her, reported:

**When the Messenger of Allah, may Allah exalt his mention and grant him safety, wanted to travel, he would draw lots between his wives. Whoever won the lot, he would travel with her.**

[*al-Bukhaaree, #2093 Muslim, #2129*]

**Benefits:**

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