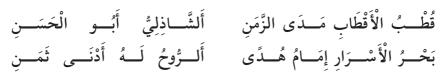
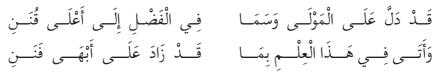
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The Spiritual Pole

Written in 2004/1425 by Shaykh Muḥammad Al-Yaqoubi in praise to al-Imām Abul Hasan ash-Shadhili (may Allāh be satisfied with him and may He allow us to benefit from his secrets and knowledge) on the way to the shrine, and recited before him in the blessed maqam where his presence was felt and it was overwhelming.



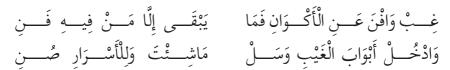
The Qutb of all Qutbs throughout times is Abul Hasan ash-Shadhili; An Ocean of Secrets anad an Imām of Guidance For whom the soul is the least price.



He lead to the Master and climbed in virtue to highest peaks And brought in this discipline what Made it more august than all branches.

Knowing Allāh is his End, So follow him through this path And the Messenger of Allāh is his Means So, stick to his Sunnas.

The foundation of his way is built On the Purification of the Heart from all stains So, journey with the Single Name O, You, Sufi! And seek assistance from Allāh.



Be absent, and annihilate from all beings, as No one remains save he who is annihilated in Him; And enter the doors of the Unseen and ask Whatever you want, but guard the secrets

وَاشْرَبْ كَأْسَ الْعِرْفَانِ وَذُقْ سِرَّ التَّوْحِيدِ وَلَا تَكُنِ وَاشْرَبْ كَأْسَ الْعِرْفَانِ وَذُقْ سِرَّ التَّوْحِيدِ وَلَا تَكُنِ أَبِي الْحَسَنِ وَبِحُبِّ رِجَالِ اللهِ فَدِنْ وَإِمَامِ الْكُلِّ أَبِي الْحَسَنِ

Drink the glass of Gnosis and taste
The Secret of Tawhīd and be not
Make due the love for the men of Allāh
And the love for the Imām of all of them: Abul Hasan

وَالْــزَمْ أَعْتَابِاً طَاهِـرَةً إِنْ جِئْـتَ حُمَيْثِـرَةَ الْوَطَـنِ وَالْــزَمْ أَعْتَابِاً طَاهِـرَةً وَلُوحِـكَ فِـي الْقَبْـرِ ارْتَهِـنِ وَبِعَيْــذَابٍ قِــفْ وَتَمَــرَّغْ وَلِرُوحِـكَ فِـي الْقَبْـرِ ارْتَهِـنِ

Stick yourself to the pure thresholds
If you come to Ḥumaithira, where is the home
And in 'Aydhāb stop and sink your cheeks in the soil
And put your soul in the grave and a guarantee

وَاشْكُرْ لِلهِ وَصَلِّ عَلَى طُه فِي السِّرِ وَفِي الْعَلَنِ وَفِي الْعَلَنِ وَعَلَى الْعَلَنِ وَعَلَى الْبَيتِ جَمِيعاً يَا خِلُّ وَسَلِّمْ وَاسْتَكِنِ

Be thankful to Allāh and pray on Ṭāhā in secret and in public And on Ahlul bayt all, O Friend and give salutations while you humble yourself

وَابْنُ الْيَعْقُوبِي جَاءَ بِلَا دَعْوَى فِي أَثْوَابِ الْكَفَنِ وَابْنُ الْيَعْقُوبِي جَاءَ بِلَا مَوْلَايَ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَيْنَا جَمْعًا بِالْمِنَنِ فَاعْطِفْ يَا مَوْلَايَ عَلَيْهِ وَعَلَيْنَا جَمْعًا بِالْمِنَنِ

The son of al-Yaqoubī has come with
No claims, dressed only in the cloths of his coffin
So, turn to him O My Master
And to all of us with your bounties