

سم الله الرحمان الرحيم وبمنستين للمخير ناصر ومعين الحمد لله رب العالين وصلى الله على محمد وعلي والمما الطيبين الطّاهرين ولعنه الله على أعدائهم أجمعين أبدالآبدين In the name of Allah the Compassionate and the Merciful. We asking help to Allah: verily He is the best Helper. Praise Allah, the Lord of the worlds. May Allah pray on Mohammad, Eali and their family the virtuous, the pures and curse of Allah be with their enemies forever and ever. Allah the High, the Immense in His sage and high Book said: ومُسبّبان والمُقدَر حُسْبَانا. Cleaver of the daybreak. He has appointed the night for resting, and the sun and the moon for reckoning. Such is the measuring of the All-Mighty, the All-Knowing. The mean solar time of the calendars of Ĥayāt-aělā Foundation is Mean Time KMT, Kaěbah - Makkah

# THE USER GUIDE OF THE

# **Religious Ephemeride**

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> Welãyat and barãĕat dates and the schedule of the religious assemblies

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# **Prerequisites for using the Religious Ephemeride**

If you are not yet familiar with the ancient and islamic calendar of astronomy and astrology, for better use of the Religious Ephemeride, first carefully study the following numbers of the educational weekly *Rãhe Ãsemãn*.

**Răhe Âsemān n°3:** Astronomy and astrology are an inheritance of the holy prophets of Allāh and their successors.

**Rãhe Ãsemãn nº4:** Features and interests of the astronomical calendars of Ĥayãt-aĕlā Foundation.

**Rãhe Ãsemãn n°49:** General user guide of the Astronomical Calendars of Ĥayãt-aělã Foundation.

**Răhe Ăsemăn nº47:** *KMT mean time: the mean solar time of all the Astronomical Calendars of Ĥayãt-aělã Foundation.* 

Rãhe Asemãn n°50: Scientific basis of the different astronomical times in the world .

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°52: Tables of Time Zones of Makkah Mean Time (KMT).

**Råhe Åsemån n°7:** Research references of the astronomical calendars and publications of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation.

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Rãhe Ãsemãn nº13: The science of astrologic elections times.

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**Rãhe Ãsemãn n°19:** *Astrological elections of the Lunar phases.* 

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°21: Knowledges about the month of Safar.

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°22: The Culture of the followers of the Truth relative to lunar and solar eclipses.

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°25: The solar Islamic calendar.

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°26: Celebrations, festivals and camouflage of the religion.

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°27: The favorable and unfavorable times for marriage and conception.

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°32: Qoranic knowleges about the Moon.

Rãhe Ãsemãn nº43: Lunar and Solar eclipses in Astrology.

Rãhe Ãsemãn nº44: The universal prophetic mission.

**Rãhe Ãsemãn n°46:** *A cup from the jar of Mahdawi knowledges.* 

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°76: Sun's exaltation (Šarafe-Šams).

**Rãhe Ãsemãn n°77:** *Rain in the month of Naysãn.* 

**Rãhe Ãsemãn n°144:** *The rituals for the beginning the Lunar New Year.* 

To download those numbers, refer to the data of *Rãhe Ãsemãn* in Astro web site of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation: <u>http://Aelaa.net/Fa/viewtopic.php?f=52&t=35</u>

# Presentation and user guide of the calendars of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation

#### 1. The master calendar of the publications.

Since the astronomical calendars of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation are Islamic, the calendar which has been choice as reference is the hijri calendar which the starting point is the Heĵira of the last Prophet of Allãh Ĥadrat Moĥammad al-Moštafā6. However, the calendars of the Foundation are not limited to hijri dates and include the years counting from the creation of Ĥadrat Ãdam7, the years counting from Moĥammad Nativity 6 and the Era of Mawlā Śãĥeb al-amr7. Morever, the hijri dates have been converted in the solar hijri calendar (with antique months), in the Žolqarnayn calendar7 (the Syriac and Babylonia calendar with rumi months) and in the calendar of Jesus Nativity7 (with western months).

#### 2. Explications about the various years counting.

The years counting from the Creation of  $\tilde{A}$ dam 7 : This is the calendar of the Mankind which has the oldest starting and it is also the longest calendar existing since the creation of the father of humankind, Hadrat  $\tilde{A}$ dam7, which is the first event in the history of the human being. So, the mention of this calendar has an historical value for us as children of  $\tilde{A}$ dam7 and it is particularly appropriate in a divine calendar.

Although, the time that separates us from  $\hat{H}adrat \tilde{A}dam7$  is so long and the reviews about his lifetime are numerous, so, for the beginning of this calendar, we have used the most ancient date mentioned in the Discourse of the Custodians of the Revelation: that has been quoted from Sayyed ebn  $T\tilde{a}w\tilde{o}s^1$  from the writting of the Prophet Idris (Enoch) 7 :

Between the beginning of the creation and the mixing of the sludges (tinat) of  $\hat{H}adrat \tilde{A}dam \dot{S}afi-o-llah_7$  and the moment when Allãh breathed the soul into  $\tilde{A}dam$ , 120 years have elapsed. After this, according to a rewãyat reported by Fadl ebn Šãzãn (follower of four Ëmãms; from the eighth to the eleventh Ëmãm: ), between the moment when Allãh breathed the soul into  $\tilde{A}dam$  until his death, 1030 years have elapsed. And between the death of  $\hat{H}adrat \tilde{A}dam$  7 and the birth of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The book saĕd al-soĕõd, Sayyed ebn Tãwõs p.37,quoted from Beĥãr al-Anwãr Vol.11, p.269 .

#### Ĥadrat Moĥammad 6 , 9900 years have passed.<sup>2</sup>

So we obtain: 120 + 1030 + 9900 + 53 + 1437 = 12540 years.

Since the beginning of the new year, according to the School of the Revelation, for the followers of the Truth, is the blessed month of Ramadãn, the starting point of these calculations is this blessed month.

**Note:** 1) According to the modern scientists, the early history of the Homo sapiens doesn't go back further than the aforementioned date 2) The creation of  $\hat{H}adrat \tilde{A}dam 7$  and his descendants, who are the Homo sapiens, should not be confuse with the other human races who were living before  $\hat{H}adrat \tilde{A}dam 7$  and became extinct. Those apes had neither the intellectual capacities nor the reason of the Homo sapiens.

#### The years counting from the Nativity of Ĥadrat Moĥammad 6

Hijri date + 53 (the age of the Prophet 6  $\alpha$  at the time of Hijri) = the calendar of the Nativity of Mohammad 6  $\alpha$ .

One of the disappointing things of the Arab countries is that their governments had established as official calendar, the calendar of the Nativity of Jesus 7, while the population of their countries is Muslim. It is one of the reason why the Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation choice to use the hijri calendar as basis of its publications to raise the awareness of the people of faith and to preserve the importance of the Nativity of the Holy Prophet6. We hope that the Arab governments become aware and don't use the calendar of the Nativity of Jesus 7 any more, and if they want to use this calendar, use it, but not as the official calendar of their contry. And if they want to use a solar calendar, they can use the Islamic solar calendar.

The years counting of the Expectation: The Era of Ĥaḋrat Ëmãm-z-zaman7 : Since the face of Allāh for the followers of the Truth, is Ĥaḋrat Mawlā Šāĥeb alamr 7, and since we are in the era of this Ëmãm and at the end of the times, to preserve this value and ongoing attention to this huge divin order, this calendar starts with the beginning of the Ëmãmat of Ĥaḋrat (260 hijri) that's mean: 1436 (the actual date of hijri) – 260 = 1176 years of the era of Ëmãm Mahdi 7

#### **3.** The beginning of the year.

Traditionally, in the opinion of the commun people and the Arabs, the new lunar year begins with the month of Moĥarram al-ĥarãm.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The books of Al-Fadãåel, Fadl ebn Šãžãn p.24, quoted from Beĥãr al-Anwãr Vol.15, p.288 .

But in the Discourse of the Custodians of the Revelation: and for the followers of the Truth, the first month of the year is the blessed month of Ramadãn and since the basis of the calendars of the Foundation is the Discourse of the Custodians of the Revelation and the Holy Infallibles: , we give the preference to the divine guidance of the Treasure of the Custodians of the Revelation: over the commun practices. This subject have been described in details in others publications of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation.

#### 4. The mean solar time of the calendar is KMT.

The center of the Earth is **the Kaĕbah** and **Makkah Mukarramah**. Therefore, we have choice as prime meridian, the meridian which crosses Makkah and the mean solar time of all the astronomical calendars of **Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation** is **the Kaĕbah** mean time (KMT). The time zones of every contries have been established according to this mean time.

The geographical coordinates description of the countries and the different time zones relative to **Kaĕbah** has been exposed in the 52th number of the weekly Rãhe Ãsemãn, but a concise table describing the different time zones has been presented in this calendar. In this table the increasing time difference has been mentioned by the sign (+) and decreasing time difference by the sign (-).

For example: If we need to determining the hour of an astronomical event in Iran (like when a planet entering in one of the signs of the Zodiac), since the time difference between Iran and Makkah is an half hour and since Iran is situated to the east of Makkah, we will add 30 minutes to the schedule of the calendar to obtain the local hour of the astronomical event.

But about the rise of the stars, it is different: since countries have not the same latitude and longitude, the concise table time zones can not help us to known the local time of the rise of the stars. Therefore, in the last column of the table time zones published in Rãhe Ãsemãn n°52, we have mentioned the rise of Al-šaratãn star (which marks the beginning of the Arab solar calendar) relative to Makkah for every countries. The geographical coordinates of all the countries have been extracted from satellite pictures used for military precise purposes: today, those satellite pictures are considered as the most precise references for geographical coordinates.

#### 5. The hours of the calendar.

The calendar uses the system time of 24-hour clock starting at midnight (00:00). Those hours countdown is accurately and concisely using the numbers from zero to twenty-four.

#### 6. Daylight Saving Time (Summer Time).

Typically clock is adjusted forward one hour, or two hour, in spring or other season. In autumn, generally, it return to current time. This hour change is not the same in all the countries and there is some countries which do not apply this system. So, in the calendars of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Fondation, the daylight saving time has not been considered, that's mean that the hours mentioned are in Real time, without daylight saving time.

Thus, according to the season, users must add to the hours mentioned in the calendars, the daylight saving time of the zone they want.

For example, about Iran: the time difference is + 30 minutes. In early spring until the end of the summer, due to daylight saving time (+ 1 hour), the time difference between Makkah and Iran is one hour and an half. Then, it is necessary to add one hour and half to the hours mentioned in the calendar for getting the Iranian summer local time: (KMT+1h30).

# 7. The criteria for determining the astronomical twilight (faĵr), Sunrise and Sunset times.

The criteria for determining the time of the astronomical twilight (fajr) is sensory and šarěi. Astronomical twilight happens when the Sun reaches 18 degrees below the horizon (in regions of moderate altitude). The schedules of astronomical twilight of the calendars of the Foundation have been extracted from the Naval Observatory of U.S. Navy which is an international reference and the most accurate astronomical center of the world.

The criteria for determining the time of **Sunrise** and **Sunset**, is the upper periphery of the solar disk with the correction calculation of light refraction, and the most accurate method to determine precisely this moment is the visual perception and the observation.

#### 8. The sequence of nights and days in the calendar.

According to the Quran, the teachings of the School of the Revelation and the Islamic culture, the night precedes the day. Over the course of history, at the start of writing and subsequently, this order was the method of the lunar calendars; Persian, Arabic and most of the calendars of Orient.

The night preceding day, begins with Sunset and ends with Sunrise.

The day following night, starts with Sunrise and ends with Sunset.

Therefore, the new date of the calendar begins with Sunset (mağreb) and not at midnight or at Sunrise.

For believers, according to this system, the night of Friday precedes the day of Friday. So, they don't recite the doĕã Kõmeyl in the night following the day of Friday but in the night before the morning of Friday and following the day of Thursday. The day of Friday begins at Sunrise and continues until Sunset and at Sunset, Saturday night begins.

In this type of calendar and according to this method, the date always changes at Sunset.

This detailed explanation is to correct the western habit which consists in preceding day to night. During these last years, due to the intrusion of colonial culture in most of Islamic countries, this system became the custom of those countries. So the people think that, the night of Friday is the continuation of the day of Friday.

In farsi, to avoid misunderstandings between night of Saturday and night of Friday, they say "the night of Friday" for the night before the day of Friday and "Friday night" for the night after the day of Friday.

In western calendar, Friday starts at midnight and continues until midnight of the following night. So, the night is divided into two halves; the first half of the night belongs to the day before and the second half to the day after. That is to say, the half before Friday midnight is considered as a part of Thursday and the half after midnight is considered as a part of Friday. In western calendar, the date changes at midnight. This system is contrary to the teachings of the School of the Revelation and contrary to the religious values and methods of the ancient calendars established by the divine prophets: .

In the astronomical calendars of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation when it says, for example, that the Moon is entering into the sidereal sign of Aries on Sunday  $9^{th}$  Rabiĕ Al-Awwal, at 19:41, it means 19:41 in the night of Sunday before Sunday morning (not the night after the day of Sunday).

Also, when it is mentioned that the Moon is entering in conjuction with Al-Eklil mansion on Tuesday at 00:55, it means 55 minutes after midnight in the night of Tuesday after Monday's Sunset and not the night after the day of Tuesday.

#### 9. Our reference for determine the times of the astronomical events.

In astronomy and astrology, the celestial events are studied according two coordinate systems: one is based on the observation of the celestial events from the surface of the Earth (topocentric system) and the second is based on a coordinate system whose origin is the center of the Earth (geocentric system).

Using the topocentric system, that's mean make a separate calculation and extract a calendar for every points on the surface of the Earth. It is for this reason that the

geocentric method has been established; to avoid this complexity and allow the uniqueness of the calendar of the celestial events for all the planete.

In the calendars of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation, celestial events have been mentioned according the geocentric system.

#### **10.** The astronomical sources of the calendars of the Foundation.

In the domaine of religious knowledges and astronomy and astrology for the extraction of the calendars, dates, time zones, lunar and solar eclipses and astrological elections, the Foundation Ĥayãt-aĕlã uses the oldest books of references in astronomy, astrology and also the most recent scientific discoveries and researchs.

All the astronomical data of this calendar (the position of the Moon, the Sun and other planets and stars) have been extracted from the calculations and the tables published by the experts of the NASA and the Swiss ephemeris published by Astrodienst.

For more informations about the bibliography of  $\hat{\mathcal{H}}ay\tilde{a}t$ - $a\check{e}l\tilde{a}$  Foundation, refer to the weekly Rãhe Åsemãn n°7 in the Ancient and Islamic Astro web site of the Foundation :

http://www.aelaa.net/En/Nojum.aspx



# The presentation and user guide of the Religious Ephemeride

#### First column: Night and Day

In the first column are the days of the week in the order that preceded the night to day. The night before the day begins with sunset and sunrise and lasts until the day before the night begins with the sunrise and lasts until sunset.

At sunset, a day has passed and the calendar date change, as explained above, in the general manual of the calendars.

In the calendar, the night hours have been wrote in **blue** and daylight hours in **pink**.

As the night precedes the day, we have mentioned that order on top of the first column with the following title: night - day.

#### Second column: The Islamic lunar calendar

In the second column is the Islamic lunar calendar beginning with the Hijri of the Allãh's Messenger 9.

The months of this calendar are the Arabic months (blessed month of Ramadān, Šawwāl, Žī-Qaĕdah, Žī-Ĥeĵĵah, Moĥarram al-ĥarām, Šafar, Rabiĕ al-awwal, Rabiĕ al-ak̃ar, Ĵomādā al-ol̃ā, Ĵomādā al-ok̃rā, Raĵab, Šaĕbãn).

The beginning of the lunar year and the first months of the New year for the common people and Arabs, is Moharram al-haram, but in the Discourse of Custodians of the Revelation : and for the partisans of Truth, the New year begins with the blessed month of Ramadan, which is the first month of the year (more details about this subject have been published separately in the Rahe Aseman No. 6).

Since the basis of the calendars of the Foundation is the Discourse of the Custodians of the Revelation and the Holy Infallibles : , we give preference to the teachings of the Treasure of the Custodians of the Revelation : over the commun practices because the guidance of the Holy Infallibles is from divine source.

As the Islamic lunar calendar is organized according to the lunar months, we ordered it following the guidelines of the Treasury Custodians of the Revelation: , so this calendar begins with the blessed month of Ramadãn and ends with the month of Šaěbãn.

#### Third column: Solar calendar (base on tropical zodiac signs)

In the third column is mentioned the Sun position in the twelve signs of Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Libra, Scorpio, Sagittarius, Capricorn, Aquarius, Pisces.

The Orbit of the Sun in sky called zodiac contains twelve signs. The Sun crosses it in one year and every day moves there from one degrees.

The New year happens in the day of *Nowruz*, on spring equinox, the first day of the spring: at this moment, the Sun is ingress in Aries sign. If this occurs before the transit of the sun, that day is considered as the first day of the new year and the first day of Aries month, but if it occurs after the sun transit, the first day of the New Year is the day after. On this day, night and day are of equal length.

In this column is the solar calendar and also the time when the Sun enter in a new constellation of the zodiac

Noting that the first six months of the solar year have thirty-one days and that the six months after have thirty days, excluding of the month of Capricorn which has twenty-nine days and thirty in leap years.

#### Fourth column: The Islamic and Iranian solar calendar

In the fourth column is the solar calendar. The months of this calendar are the months of Iranian Antiquity: Farwardin, Ordibehešt, Kordãd, Tir, Amordãd, Šahriwar, Mehr, Abãn, Ažar, Dey, Bahman, Esfand.

The first year of this calendar is the year of Hijri of the Allāh's Messenger 9. In this calendar, the New Year begins on the day of Nowruz at vernal equinox, the first day of the spring: at this moment, the Sun is in Aries sign, as the solar calendar of the tropical zodiac. If this occurs before the transit of the sun, that day is considered as the first day of Farwardin, but if it occurs after the transit of the sun, the first day of Farwardin is the day after tomorrow. This day, night and day are of equal length.

The solar calendar of the tropical zodiac and the Iranian Islamic calendar start at the same time but differ in the number of days for the month of Dey (Capricorn) and Esfand (Pisces). In the Iranian solar calendar, the month of Dey has thirty days and the month of Esfand has 29 days and 30 days in leap years.

Fifth column: Eskandar Žolqarnayn solar calendar (Syriac and Babylonian calendars) In this column is mentioned the Eskandarian calendar with Rumi months; Äžär, Naysãn, Ayãr, Ĥazĩrãn, Tammõz, Äb, Aylõl, Tešrĩn-Awwal, Tešrin-Äkar, Kãnõn-Awwal, Kãnõn-Äkar, Šobãt. The founder of this calendar is Eskandar Žolqarnayn and not Alexander the Great. Given that Syriac was the common language spoken at that time, this calendar is also known as the Syriac calendar. After that, when it has been used by the Babylonian government of Nebuchadnezzar it has been known as the **Babylonian** Calendar. Later, when the government of Alexander the Great renewed this calendar by starting it, with the death of Alexander the Great, it was known as the **Rumi** calendar.

Our purpose is to vivify the Eskandar calendar as it has been mentioned in the Discours of the Custodians of the Revelation : . At the time of the Infallible Ëmams : , the version of the Eskandar calendar was the Rumi calendar. Morever, as the details of the original Eskandar calendar have not come down to us, so the  $\hat{H}ay\tilde{a}t-a\check{e}l\bar{a}$  Foundation mentions Rumi calendar and not the original form of Eskandar Žolqarnayn calendar.

#### Sixth column: the Jesus solar calendar

In the sixth column is the calendar of the Jesus Nativity7 with the months of January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December. February in leap year has twenty-nine days and in normal year twenty-eight days.

Given that this calendar is used internationally, we have mentioned it to mention the equivalent of the others calendars in the Gregorian calendar.

In parallel to Rumi calendar, the use of this calendar by Christians occurred much later. Also, in the course of Christian history, this calendar has been restructured for many times.

The Jesus Nativity calendar has roots in the Rumi calendar. At present, the Jesus Nativity calendar is 13 days before Rumi calendar (the first Naysãn Eskandari rumi = 14 Naysãn Jesus arabic calendar).

Although this calendar begins with the Jesus Nativity7, it should be mentioned that the date of the Nativity among Christians is not precisely known and there are different opinions about it. The date of the Nativity upon the Catholics is six days before the first January, but others have opted for a date earlier or later.

Christmas refer in fact to a profane custom dating back to the European pagan times which has been assimilated by Christians after.

Due to the influence of the colonial culture, Arab governments, despite their Muslim populations, have chosen the Christian calendar as official calendar. They have kept the names of the months of the Eskandar calendar but the number of days of those months following exactly the number of the days of the Gregorian months. Thus, the calendar used by Arab States has the appearance of the Eskandar calendar but it is based on counting days of the Gregorian calendar: so, their calendar relative to Eskandar calendar is ahead of 13 days.

In the table below, are mentioned the gregorian months with their correspondent in the Rumi calendar that is used by the Arab governments:

Christian months	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Rumi months	Kãnõn-Ãkar	Šobãi	Þãr	Naysãn	Ayãr	Ĥazĩrãn	Tammõz	Ãb	Aylõl	Tešrĩn-Awwal	Tešrin-Ãkar	Kãnõn-Awwal
number of the days in the months	31	28 or 29	31	30	31	30	31	31	30	31	30	31

Seventh column: The public astronomical necessities and special divine calendar **The public astronomical necessities:** 

1-Many times of astronomical and astrological data that astronomy and astrology use come from Ancient Islamic Astronomy. The  $\hat{H}ay\tilde{a}t$ -ačlā Foundation in the twelve calendars that they publish use these data according to the type of the calendar.

2- Given that the first purpose of the religious Ephemeride is remembering the days of Allāh and the welāyat and barāàat dates of the divine religion (from Ĥađrat Ãdam7 to Ĥađrat Qaem 7 ), the astronomical events which have been mention in this calendar are the astronomical events the believers most common needs, that's mean: the beginning of the lunar months, Moonlight Nights, Interlunar days, inauspicious days, Moon in sidereal Scorpio sign, lunar and solar eclipses.

#### The beginning of the lunar month

For determining the first day of the lunar month, there is two methods used in the astronomical calendars:

1-The calendars based on the calculation of the Lunar Crescent: this method is based on an astronomical calculation which predicts the possibilities of observation of the Helãl and the time of its visibility. This method is commonly used, but, according to the Šaričah, the criterion which determines the first day of the lunar month is the collective observation of the Helãl . The opinion of the majority of Muslim jurists of all branches of Ëslam is that the astronomical calculation is not equivalent to the observation of the Helãl with naked eye. Therefore this calculation can't be used as a legal argument but most of calendars does not paid attention to this point for important months such as month of Ramadãn and month of Žĩ-Ĥeĵĵah, this problem can not be ignored.

2-Arithmetical or tabular islamic Calendar (Lunar Calendar) is another way for determine the beginning of the lunar month. This method is generally used in astronomical calendars for establishing the beginning of the lunar month. In this method, the observation of the Helãl doesn't interfere and schedules announce the first day of the month according an accurate astronomical calculation.

In the Speech of the Custodians of the Revelation : when an impediment about the collective observation of the Helãl happens or there is controverse about it, there is a rule which has been transmitted to remove every confusions. In this calendar, for determining the beginning of the lunar month, we referred to this rules transmitted from the Infallibles : <sup>3</sup>: during the history, the observation of the Helãl has always been a problem, but in the nights of the 13, 14 and 15, no confusion is possible because the Moon is clearly visible. In those nights, the Moon shape and the Moon rise time have obvious differences and with comparing the characteristics of the Moon in those three nights, we can easily understand what night we are. On the 14th night of the month, the Moon rise approximately 50 minutes before Sunset and on the 15th night of the month the Moon rises approximately 50 minutes after Sunset. This method is the best method to verify the accuracy of the calendar.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Eqbãlal-aĕmãl, Sayyed ibn Tãwõs Vol.1, p. 56-61 - Al-Kãfi, Šeik Koleynĩ Vol.4, p.77 - Men lãyaĥdatol-faqĩh, Šeik Sadõq Vol.2, p.78 - Al-Maqnaĕah, Šeik Mofīd p.48 - Al-Aĕdadiyyah, Šeik Mofīd p.17 -Al-Aĕdadiyyah, Šeik Mofīd p.17 - At-Tahžīb, Šeik Tõsĩ Vol.4, p.180 - Al-Estebsãr, Šeik Tõsĩ Vol.2, p.63 - Al-Mabsõt, Šeik Tõsĩ Vol.1, p.268 - Wasãael-ol-šĩĕah, Šeik Hor Ĕãmolĩ Vol.10, p. 286 -Mostadrak-ol-wasãael, Moĥaddeç Nõrĩ Vol.7, p. 403.

It should be mentioned here that over the years and in different months , the calendars of the Institute for Research in Astronomy and Astrology of the Foundation are always found to be compatible with the characteristics of the Moon in these three nights.

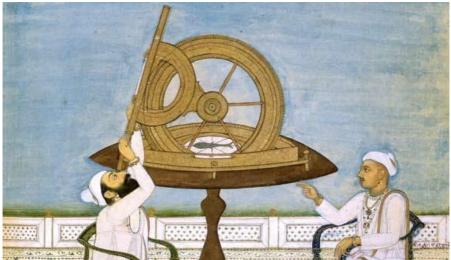
#### Moonlight Nights (Full Moon)

The thirteenth, fourteenth, and fifteenth nights of each lunar month are the brightest nights of the month. Those nights are known as Moonlight Nights (Full Moon). According to Šaričah those nights and days have special rules and particular programs which are common and famous. So, since the purpose is to mention the astronomical necessities which people need the most, we have mentioned the dates of Moonlight Nights in the calendar.

#### Taȟte šoĕãĕ and Interlunar days

According to the sensory perception of the terrestrial observer, after sunrise or at sunset on  $27^{\text{th}}$  or  $28^{\text{th}}$  in every lunar months, the Moon, due to its proximity to the Sun, is under the radiance of the Sunlight and can not be observed. The Moon continue its trajectory but as it is its dark side which is turned towards the Earth, we can't see it.

In astrology and according to the Šaričah, for those nights there are some specific laws and practices which are well-known: so, since our purpose is to mention the astronomical necessities which people need the most, we have mentioned those dates.



#### Dates of lunar and solar eclipses

The phenomenon of eclipses, accompanied by scientific explanations and religious remarks and a map describing the trajectory and the visibility of the eclipse was widely reported in the calendar. Our references for the dates of eclipses is the NASA (the National Aeronautics and Space Administration) and the precise hours of the event have been extracted from the most important international center of astronomical references, the HMNAO (astronomical center of the naval forces of England dependent on the Greenwich Observatory).

In the calendar, solar and lunar eclipses have been reported according different background colors.

The dates of **lunar eclipses** have been mentioned with dark blue background color.

The dates of **solar eclipses** have been mentioned with a dark brown background color.

The scientific and religious notions about lunar and solar eclipses, have been published in the educational weekly "Rãhe Ãsemãn":

**Rãhe Ãsemãn n°22:** The culture and understanding of the followers of the Truth about the phenomenon of eclipses.

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°23: Knowledges about Lunar Eclipses.

Rãhe Ãsemãn n°24: Knowledges about Solar Eclipses.

**Rãhe Ãsemãn n°43:** Astrological laws and ephemeral elections of lunar and solar eclipses.

Rãhe Ãsemãn nº45: Knowledges about Eclipses.

**Specific astronomical events:** *Management of effects and repercussions of eclipses* (electional astrology - acts of worship - alms - characteristics of the planets - management of personal mood - how to manage those different programs – how to determine the degrees of the effects of lunar and solar eclipses)

For every lunar or solar eclipse, an article is published separately.

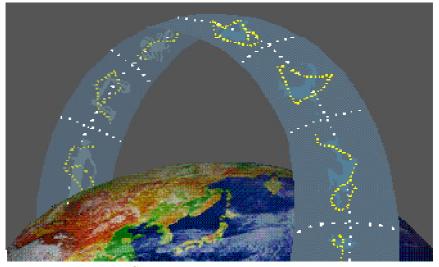
You can download those publications in the website of the Astro Center of Ĥayãtaĕlā Foundation:

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#### Moon in sidereal Scorpio sign

**The zodiac** is a circle of twelve 30° divisions of celestial longitude that are centered upon the ecliptic and that the seven classical planets cross.



In the lessons of "Rãhe Ãsemãn" the zodiacal belt has been compare to the face of a clock and, the path of the planets, to the needles of this sky clock.

The trajectory time of the seven planets in the zodiacal belt varies according the planet: for example, Saturn cross the celestial sphere in thirty years, the Moon, in one month and the Sun, in one year.

In the Qorãn we can read the word "borõĵ" ( $\mathfrak{sup}$ ) which means "signs". This word, in its primary and exoteric meaning, refers to the twelve signes of the zodiac, but the supreme and esoteric meaning of this word in the Qorãn refers in the Discourse of Custodians of the Revelation :

### وَالسَّمَاءِ ذَاتِ الْبُرُوجِ

By the heaven holding the signs (constellations). Holy Qoran, Sura Al-Borðĵ, Verse 1

## تَبَارَكَ الَّذِي جَعَلَ فِي السَّمَاءِ بُرُوجًا

Blessed be He Who has placed in the heaven the signs (constellations), and has placed therein a great lamp (sun), and a moon giving light.

Holy Qoran, Sura Al-Forqan, Verse 61

وَلَقَدْ جَعَلْنَا فِي السَّمَاءِ بُرُوجًا وَزَيَّنَّاهَا لِلنَّاظِرِينَ

And indeed, We have put the signs (constellations) in the heaven and We beautified it for the beholders. Holy Qoran, Sura Al-Âlêjr, Verse 16 In relation to the trajectory of planets in the zodiac, it exist some astrological elections.

Considering the importance of some subjects such as the protection of the individual against physical damage, the protection of property and capital, or even found a family ... Given that the first and second case are related to travel and the third subject started with wedding, those subjects are the top of people's concerns.

However, when the moon is in the sign of Scorpio (sidereal or tropical), it has an unfavorable effect on the three subjects mentioned. Thus the Infallible Ëmãms :

have been so much questioned about it. So the subject of the Moon in Scorpio has been widely discussed in the books about religious tradition and the jurisprudence books. Below some hadiths about this subject:

 $\hat{H}$ adrat Mawlā  $\check{E}$ alī 7 didn't enjoyed that a man get married or travel when the moon was in interlunar phases or is in Scorpio sign.<sup>4</sup>

 $\hat{H}$ adrat Mawlā  $\check{E}$ alī7 said : It is not appropriate that a man travels or gets married when the moon is in interlunar phases or in Scorpio sign. <sup>5</sup>

 $\hat{H}adrat \,\bar{E}m\bar{a}m \,S\bar{a}deq \,7$  said : Anyone who travels or gets married when the moon is in Scorpio sign, he won't see goodness and happiness in that.<sup>6</sup>

Although there are laws and astrological elections for every planet in every constellations of the Zodiac, we have not mentioned it in this calendar. Thus, among the twelve constellations that the Moon crosses, we have only mentioned the dates when the Moon is in the constellation of Scorpio. However the other astrological elections have been published in calendars more specialized of the Foundation.

 $^5$  Sayyed ebn Tāwõs from Zemakšrī in the first part of the book of Rabīe al-abrār from Ĥadrat Ĕalī 7 .

<sup>6</sup> Anecdote from Sayyed ibn Tāwõs with his own documentations to Šeik Koleynĩ, Moĥammad ebn yačqõb in the book of Rođeh Kãfĩ: Many of our companions said: From Aĥmad Ebn Moĥammad ebn Kåled from Ěalĩ Ebn Asbāt from Ebrãĥĩm Ebn Keirãn from Ěabdollah from Abi Ěabdellah 7.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Sayyed ebn Tāwõs from Kaiīb Baqdādī in Baqdād history in chapiter "al-Ĥasan ebn al-Ĥosayn al-Easkari al-Naĥvi", quoted a hadith from Tamīm ebn al-Ĥaraç from his father from Ĥadrat Ealī 7.

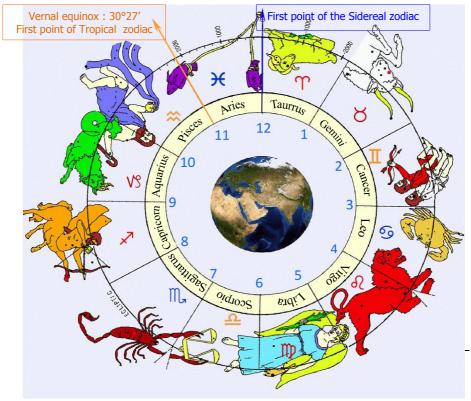
#### Sidereal signs are based on the observation:

The position of the zodiac constellations can be calculated according to different methods. We have chosen the method bases on the observation that was the method that Holy infallibles : and the common people used.

In sidereal system, the zodiac signs are determined by the position of fixed stars in the sky. In tropical system the zodiac is ordonned from an hypothetical point. So, the position of the Tropical zodiac is different to the position of the Sidereal zodiac.

The sidereal astrology divides the zodiac into twelve equal parts of 30° and opts for defining the zodiac based on the fixed stars.

The tropical zodiac is also divided into twelve equal parts of  $30^{\circ}$ but begins with the vernal equinox. However, because of the precession of the equinoxes, this position moves slowly along the ecliptic: every 72 years, this point has moved of one degree. Today the tropical zodiac relative to its initial position had shifted of  $30^{\circ}27'$  (i.e a little more than one zodiac sign) and the vernal equinox is located in the constellation Pisces. So, the first constellation of the Tropical zodiac belt is Pisces.



Since the scientific method of the astronomy and astrology Institute of Hayāt-aĕlā Foundation is based on the teachings of the School of the Revelation and our purpose is revival, introduce and promote the Islamic astronomy and astrology, therefore we have mentioned the Moon trajectory and the trajectory of the other planets according observal sidereal signs. Although the observal sidereal signs is similar to the Indian Sidereal signs, between these two there are some differences.

#### The beginning of the Sidereal zodiac:

The first point of the sidereal zodiac is Aries constellation (which is the first of the twelve signs of the zodiac) and Aries constellation begins with Sharatain star. So, Sharatan is the first mansion of the zodiac and follows the last mansion of the zodiac which is in Pisces constellation. According to many research of Hayāt-aĕlā Foundation, the beginning of sidereal zodiac is 51' after Rasha star. Every planet crossing this mansion enters after in Sharatain and sidereal Aries sign. It is for this reason that Muslim astronomers do begin the sidereal sign of Aries after the last star of Pisces.

In Indian, Babylonian and Western (new astrology) Sidereal astrology, have different methods for determining the beginning of the zodiac. This diversity has generated many currents in Indian and Western astrology, all claiming affiliation to sidereal astrology but this sidereal astrology is different from the sidereal astrology used by our Research Centre and based on ancient Islamic astronomy. So, the fact that these currents are said sidereal shall not create confusion.

#### Inauspicious days

According to the guidance and teachings of the Custodians of the Revelation : there is one day in each lunar month that generally is inappropriate for beginning and doing worldly affairs. Those days has been mentioned in the tables of the calendar with a yellow background color. For performing worldly affairs in emergency case there are some religious instructions which have been expressed in the pages 20 and 21 of this calendar.

Scientific explanations and religious aspects of this subject has been published separately in the educational weekly "Rãhe Ãsemãn"n°8.

The Religious Ephemeride :

Weläyat and baräåat times + the schedule of the religious events and assemblies

1-We have already mentioned that the first purpose of this calendar is to present the days of Allāh, the welāyat and barāåat times of the divine religion (from Ĥadrat Ãdam 7 to Ĥadrat Qãåem 7 ). So in this column, all the religious occasions of welāyat and barāåat times that Alawites around the world should try to memorise, have been mentioned. This part, in the initial edition of the calendar has been published succinctly and in the final edition with more details.

2- People who make research about the dates of religious events, know that, sometime for one event it exists several dates. Mention all of them is out of the capacity of a calendar intended for use and it's only appropriated for reference and research books.

3- Mention several dates for a single event in a calendar destined to be used may confuse the users, giving to the calendar a scientific aspect rather than to be functional.

4- Those, who are familiar with the Islamic reference books, know that many dates of religious occasions among people, are not the result of a history research but are based on reputation or are the consequence of the attention of the governments, or the consequence of the religious dissimulation, or come from the opinion of some scholars, even if those dates are only a rumors and are against formal texts of the last Emãm. Some of those dates have been mentioned in the "Gãh-šenãssi" Journal (The global astronomical calendar) or other publications and articles published by the Foundation.

5- Given that, we have to choose a date for every religious occasions and given that the main purpose of this calendar is providing a deep and accurate work about the days of Allāh and not only quote what is famous among people, therefore detailed research was necessary for every historical event to find the most correct date. The results of these research in some case, may be or not be in accordance with the dates that are famous amoung the Alawites of different contries.

6- As it has been said many times, if the date of a religious event doesn't match with the most famous date of this event, it doesn't mean to ignore this date: respect of the divine rituals is not limited to a specific time and the repetition of the commemorations give emphasis to the religious events. In this calendar, the dates of religious events which are less known, have been mentioned to spread the memory of those events and to increase the knowledge of the Alawis and their respect of the divine ritual.

7- **Note:** The dates mentioned in the calendar don't always correspond to the dates with the criterion of historical accuracy. Indeed, when there are different dates for a single religious event and one of those dates occurs in a month without religious commemoration, we have deliberately chosen this date so that religious meetings happen as regular as possible.

### The difference between World Time Zones and Makkah Mean Time

✤ The center of the Earth is the Kaĕbah and Makkah Mukarramah. So, we have chose as prime meridian, the meridian which cross Makkah Mukkarramah and the time zones have been established relative to the Kaĕbah. All the astronomical calendars of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation use this mean solar time.



\* The time zones has been presented in the following table. The time difference increasing are mentioned with the sign (+) and decreasing time difference with the sign (-). By adding or subtracting to the local time of Makkah the time offset mentioned, we obtain the local time of the country wanted.

✤ Daylight saving time (DST): Typically clocks are adjusted forward one hour, or more, in spring or an other season. But daylight saving time is not the same in all the contries and several contries don't use it. So, daylight saving time in the calendars was not taken into consideration. Therefore, depending on the season, to obtain the local time of the astronomical event, we have to add daylight saving time to the hour mentioned in the calendar.

For example, between Iran and Makkah, the difference time is an half hour, but, from the beginning of spring to the end of the summer, because of the daylight saving time (one hour), we should add one hour and an half to the hours mentionned in the calendar to obtain the local summer time of the astronomical event in Iran (KMT + 1:30).

9+	New Zealand - Marchhall Islands - Kiribati - Fiji - East of Russia (Petropavlovsk)					
8+	Solomon Islands - Vanuatu – East of Russia (Magadan)					
7+	East of Australia (Sydney) - Tasmania - New Guinea - Micronesia - Guam - East of Russia (Vladlvostok)					
6.30+	Center of Australia (Adelaide - Darwin)					
6+	Japan - North Korea and South Korea- East of Indonesia (Daily) - East of Russia (Yakutsk)					
5+	West of Australia ( Perth)- China – Macau- Hong Kong- Mongolia- Brunei- Philippines- Malaysia- Taiwan- Russia (Baykal)					
4+	West of Indonesia- Thailand- Laos- Cambodia- Vietnam- Russia (Novosibirsk)					
3.30+	Burma (Myanmar) -Cocos Islands					
3+	Bangladesh- Bhutan-Half of eastern Kazakhstan (Astana) - Russia (Omsk)					
2.45+	Nepal					
2.30+	India - Sri Lanka - Nicobar Islands					
2+	Pakistan - Turkmenistan - Tajikistan – Kyrgyzstan – West of Kazakhstan (Sagyz) - Maldives - Russia (Pern) – Uzbekistan					
1.30+	Afghanistan					
1+	Oman- UAE - Azerbaijan - Armenia - Nakhchivan - Georgia - Russia (Ishevsk) - Russia (Samara)					
30+.	Iran					
КМТ 0	Hejazi (Saudi Arabia)-Iraq-Bahrain-Kuwait-Qatar-Yemen-Eritrea-Djibouti- Ethiopia- Soudan - Somalia-Kenya-Uganda-Madagascar-Tanzania-West of Russia (Moscow)					
1-	Turkey - Cyprus- Syria- Lebanon - Palestine - Jordan - Egypt - Libya - Rwanda-East of Congo - Malawi - Zambia - Mozambique - Zimbabwe - Botswana - South Africa- Burundi - Lesotho - Swaziland - Greece - Romania - Bulgaria - Moldova - Ukraine - Belarus - Lithuania - Latvia - Estonia - Finland – Sweden					
2-	Tunisia - Algeria - Malta - Tchad - Niger - Nigeria - Benin – Central Africa - Cameroon - West of Congo - Gabon - Zaire - Angola - Namibia - Equatorial Guinea - Albania - Macedonia - Croatia - Serbia - Bosnia - Sandžak - Kosovo - Slovenia - Italy France - Spain - Germany - Denmark - Belgium - Poland - Hungary - Norway - Switzerland - Austria - Czech – Netherlands					
3-	Portugal - England - Ireland - Scotland - Island - Morocco - Canary Islands - Sahara - Mauritania - Mali - Senegal - Burkina Faso - Guinea - Ivory Coast - Guinea Bissau - Gambia - Sierra Leon - Liberia - Chana - Togo – Ghana					
4-	Cape Verde Islands - Azores Islands – The east of Greenland (Scoresby Sound)					
5-	South of Georgia Islands (Grytviken) – Saint-Martin Islands - Das Rucas splint (Brazil) - Central Pacific					
6-	Greenland - East of Brazil (Brazilia) - Argentina - Uruguay – Suriname					
7-	Guyana - Central Brazil (Manaus) - Bolivia - Paraguay - Dominica - Chile –East of Canada (Quebec)- Venezuela (-7.30)					
8-	USA (New York) - Cuba - Jamaica - Haiti - Panama - Colombia - Ecuador - Peru – west of Brazil (Pucaduacreh)					
9-	USA (Dallas) – Center of Canada (Winnipeg) - Mexico - Guatemala - Honduras - El Salvador - Belize - Nicaragua - Costa Rica					
10-	United States (Denver)- West of Canada (Edmonton)- West of Mexico (La Paz)					
11-	United States (Los Angeles) - West of Canada (Vancouver) – pitcairn Islands					
12-	Alaska					
13-	Islands of French Polynesia – Islands of Hawadan Hawaii (U.S.) - Samoa (-14)					

# The rituals of the Lunar months

### 1- Helãl sighting:

At the time of the Helãl sighting, perform these acts of worship:

#### a) « Žikr »:

Say Allãh-o-akbar three times and lã elãha ella-l-lãh three times. Then say: al ĥamdole-l-lãhe-l-lažĩ ažhaba šahra (the name of the last month) wa ĵãåa bešahre (the name of the new month)

#### b) Recitation:

At the time of Helãl sighting, recite surah Ĥamd seven times to keep eyes safe from pain.

#### c) The Helãl sighting's prayer:

In the Discourse of Custodians of the Revelation : , it exists different invocations for this occasion. These invocations are summarized in divine praise and eulogy then attestation of the divinity, creativity and the power of determination of Allāh and finally, that Moon is a creature and an effect of the Supreme Cause like other heavenly bodies.

Recite this invocation generates material and spiritual successes and also protection against losses and damages.

Allāh-o-Akbar, Allāh-o-Akbar, Allāh-o-Akbar, rabbī wa rabbōka-l-lāh, lā elāha ellā hōwa rabbō-l-ĕālamīn, al-ĥamdo-lel-lāhel-lažī kalaqanī wa kalaqak, wa qaddaraka manāzela ("fī manāzeleka) wa ĵaĕalaka āyata-l-lelĕālamīn, yobāhel-lāho beka almalādekah. Allāhōmma ahellaho ĕalaynā beldamne wal-īmān, wa s-salāmate waleslām, wal-ġebtate wa s-sorōr, wa-l-bahĵate wa-l-ĥobōr, wa çabbetnā ĕalā tāĕateka wa-l-mosāraĕate fīmā yordīka. Allāhomma bārek lanā fī šahrenā hāžā, warzoqnā kayrahō wa barakatah, wa yomnahō wa ĕawnahō wa qõwwatah (" fawzah), wa śref ĕannā šarrah, wa balādahō wa fetnatah, beraĥmateka yā arĥama-r-rāĥemīn.

**Note:** When there is an impediment to see the Helãl in the first night of the month, it is possible to recite this invocation up to the third night.

### 2- Ziyãrat:

Ziyārat of the Holy infallibles : and specially of Ëmãm Ĥosayn 7 with Ziyārats makšošeh and Ziyārat jāmečeh. If going to the holy shrines is not possible, with respecting the rites of the ziyārat, to performe the ziyārat at a distance from home or from the shrines of the holy people of our residence place or from Ëmãmbargah or from height place such as house roof or from an isolated place like desert.

The visit of every sanctuaries of the Holy Infallibles : has great virtues. But visiting the sanctuary which, in our epoch, is less visited have the preeminence. From the last century, the sanctuaries which are the less visited and the more isolated is the Ĥaramain Ĕaskariyin (Ĥaram of Ëmãm Hãdi and Ĥaram of Ëmãm Ĕaskari 8) and Ĥaram Mahdawi : in Sãmarrã.

Anxieties and pains tolerated and the potential harm of this ziyārat trip, considerably increases the reward of the ziyārat and it is equivalent to support those holy Infallibles and also creates more closeness and their heavenly companionship

### **3-** Prayers:

#### The first night of each month:

Perform two rakeats prayer, in every rakeat recite surah Ĥamd and surah Aneam and pray Allah the Almighty to protect you from every fears and pains.

#### The first day of month:

Perform two rakĕat prayer + invocation + alms:

a) In the first day of the month, perform two rakĕats prayer. In the first rakĕat, after surah Ĥamd, recite surah Tawĥid once, and in the second rakĕat recite surah «innã anzalnãho » once.

**b)** In the first day of the month, perform two rakĕats prayer. In the first rakĕat, after surah Ĥamd, recite surah Tawĥid thirty times, in the second rakĕat, after surah Ĥamd, recite surah «innã anzalnãho » thirty times.

After the prayer of the first day of the month, recite this invocation:

بِسْمِ اللهِ الرَّحْنِ الرَّحِيمِ وَ ما مِنْ دَابَّةٍ فِي الْأَرْضِ إِلَّا عَلَى اللهِ رِزْقُها وَ يَعْلَمُ مُسْتَقَرَّها وَ مُسْتَوْدَعَها كُلُّ فِي كِتابٍ مُبِينٍ بِسْمِ اللهِ الرَّحْنِ الرَّحِيمِ وَ إِنْ يَمْسَسْكَ اللهُ بِضُرٍّ فَلا كاشِفَ لَهُ إِلَّا هُ وَ وَ إِنْ يُرِدْكَ بِحَيْرٍ فَلا رَادَ لِفَضْلِهِ يُصِيبُ بِهِ مَنْ يَشاءُ مِنْ عِبادِهِ وَ هُ وَ الْعَفُ ورُ الرَّحِيمُ بِسْمِ اللهِ الرَّحْنِ الرَّحِيمِ سَيَجْعَلُ اللهُ بَعْدَ عُسْرٍ يُسْراً ما شاءَ اللهُ لا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ حَسْبُنَا اللهُ وَ نِعْمَ الْوَكِيلُ وَ أُفَوِّضُ أَمْرِي إِلَى اللهِ إِنَّ اللهُ بَصِيرُ بِالْعِبادِ لا إِلَهُ إِلَا أَنْتَ سُبْحَانَكَ إِنِي كُنْتُ مِنْ الطَّالِمِينَ رَبِّ إِنِّي اللهِ عَوْرَ الرَّحِيمُ مِسْمِ الله حَسْبُنَا اللهُ وَ نِعْمَ الْوَكِيلُ وَ أُفَوِّضُ أَمْرِي إِلَى اللهِ إِنَّ اللهُ بَصِيرُ بِالْعِبادِ لا

Besmel-lãhe r-raĥmãne r-raĥim wa mã men dãbbaten fel-arde ellã ealal-lãhe rezqohã wa yaelamo mostaqar-raha wa mostawdaeaha kollon fi ketãben mobin. Besmel-lãhe r-raĥmãne r-raĥim wa ey-yamsaskal-llãho bedorren falã kãsefa laho ellã howa wa ey-yoredka bekairen falã rãdda le fadlehe yosibo behe man yasãao men eebadehe wa howal-gafõror-raĥim. Besmel-lãhe r-raĥmãne r-raĥim sayaĵealol-llãho baeda eosren yosrã mã sãaal-llãho lã qowwata ellã bellãh ĥasbonal-llãh wa neemal-wakilo wa ofawwedo amri ellal-lãhe ennal-llãha basiron belebade lã ellaha ellã anta sobĥanaka enni konto menaż-zãlemin rabbe enni lemã anzalta elayya men kayren faqiron rabbe lã tažarni fardan wa anta kayrol wareçin.

After the prayer and the invocation of the first day of the month, give alms (according to what you are able to give) to purchase for oneself health and protection in this month.

#### 4- Sadaqah and alms:

In addition to the sadaqah mentioned above, give sadaqah with an overall intention is a good thing; for the well-being of our Emain, Hazrat Saheb al-amr 7, and well-being of oneself and our family, to keep away calamities and difficulties and raise blessings and well-being.

# 5- Recitation (of the Revelation's Speech and the Discourse of Custodians of the Revelation : )

In every month, it is recommended to recite a part of the Holy Qoran and it's specially recommended to recite in every lunar month surah Anfāl, Baraåat, Naĥl and Yõnes. But the recitation in order of the Revelation and reading the whole Qoran have special virtues which are not limited to the blessed month of Ramadān. Otherwise, since reflection is a condition of the recitation and given that understanding the Revelation Speech that's mean the "Silent Qoran", is only possible with the Discourse of Custodians of the Revelation : , the "Speaking Qoran", therefore recitation, reflection and consideration of the Discourse of Custodians of the Revelation.

### 6- Fast in every months:

Fast three days in every month: the first Thursday of the month, the Wednesday of the middle of the month and the last Thursday of the month. Fast these three days, remove temptation and its recompense is equivalent to the perpetual fast. This tradition is one of the sunnah of the Holy Prophet that he practiced until his death.

Fast the Moonlight Nights (13th, 14th, and 15th) of each month has a lot of virtues.

Fast on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the month for anyone who have a need, as it has been mentioned in the book Hediato-z-zãerĩn.

### 7- Invocation:

For every days of the month, it exists some invocations which have been quoted from  $\hat{H}adrat Mawla \check{E}ali 7$ . The themes of those invocations are also in the invocations of every days of month of  $\hat{H}adrat \:\bar{E}main$  Sadeq 7 which have been reported in the Global calendar of "Gah-senassi" Journal. http://aelaa.net/Fa/viewtopic.php?f=52&t=33

### \* Inauspicious days \*

According to the Infallibles 7, in every lunar month, there is a date that is not suitable for the beginning of important works and for worldly affairs. It is recommended to spend those nights and days in acquisition of knowledges and worships. In the calendar, those dates have been mentioned with a yellow background color.

At the beginning of the month, it is recommended to eat some cheese with walnuts.

# Rites and rituals to begin the Lunar New Year

1-In the Discourse of Custodians of the Revelation : , the lunar year, for the followers of the Truth, starts with the blessed month of Ramadãn and ends with the month of Šaěbãn.

To get more details about this topic, refer to the weekly **Rãhe Ãsemãn n°1**:

http://www.aelaa.net/Fa/viewtopic.php?f=52&t=35#p1084

2- The last day of the month of Šaĕbãn, at sunset and when the night is beginning, the lunar new year is starting. So, the first night of the blessed month of Ramadãn precedes its first day.

3- In the School of the Revelation, for starting the New Year, there is specific acts of worship to ensure that the year will start in obedience and adoration.

4- This spiritual beginning allows that the followers of the Truth begin the New Year in success, enšãå-allãh, and benefit from a better protection against mistakes and calamities in the new year.

5- The acts of worship for beginning the lunar new year have been published independently in the book *The rites and rituals for the beginning and the end of the Lunar Year.* 

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# Rites and rituals for the end of the Lunar Year

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2- The last day of the month of Šaĕbãn, at sunset, the lunar year is ending. So, the last night of the month of Šaĕbãn precedes its last day.

3- For the end of the year, in the School of the Revelation, there is specific acts of worship to ensure that the year will end in obedience and adoration.

4- This spiritual end, invites the believer to an internalization

and examination of his soul. This act allows that the believer benefit from a better protection against mistakes and calamities, enšãå-allãh.

5- Those acts of worship have been published independently in the book *The rites and rituals for the beginning and the end of the Lunar Year.* 

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# Perform affairs in inauspicious times

**Question:** In some legal and religious recommendations and also ancient scientific terms and common beliefs, it exists inauspicious or inappropriate days or times (for the affairs of this world) such as; interlunar days or Moon in sidereal Scorpio sign, or other special days of the month. If someone don't know those times and their negative aspects or knows it but doesn't have the choise to let or change his activities, what should he do?

**Answer:** If someone is not informed about inauspicious times (like Moon in sidereal Scorpio sign that is inauspicious for some wordly affairs) or doesn't have the possibility to known it precisely, the Custodians of the Revelation : have transmitted some very easy recommendations:

1-Avoidance + spiritual occupations + give alms + fast + prayer + seeking refuge to Allāh.

Those acts removed adverse effects of inauspicious times and days.

For better comprehension about this subject, we quote some hadiths.

2- Šeik Tõsĩ has quoted that Sahl ebn Yaĕqõb met Ëmãm Askarĩ 7 and after he spoke about elections times and about which times are auspicious and inauspicious, Sahl ebn Yaĕqõb to Ëmãm asked: Sometimes I have to do a work in inauspicious time, what should I do?

Ëmãm said: Due to the blessing of our Welãyat for our šiites, there is a protection that if they travel through the depths of the seas and the deserts among predators and enemies from ĵinns and humans, they will be safe of any worries. So have confident to Allãh the Almighty, and be pur and have sincere consecration to the Welãyat of Immaculate Ëmãms: .So, wherever you go and for any work you want to do, go and do it and before, the morning of these day, say three times this invocation:

أَصْبَحْتُ اللَّهُمَّ مُعْتَصِماً بِذِمَامِكَ الْمَنِيعِ الَّذِي لَا يُطَاوَلُ وَ لَا يُحَاوَلُ، مِنْ شَرِّ كُلِّ طارِقٍ وَ غَاشِمٍ، مِنْ سَايِرِ مَا خَلَقْتَ وَ مَنْ خَلَقْتَ؛ مِنْ خَلْقِكَ الصَّامِتِ وَ التَاطِقِ؛ فِي جُنَّةٍ مِنْ كُلِّ مَخُوفٍ بِلِبَاسٍ سَابِعَةٍ حصينةٍ، وَ هِيَ وِلَاءِ أَهْلِ بَيْتِ نَبِيِّكَ مُحمَّدٍ سَنِ، مُحْتَجِباً مِنْ كُلِّ قَاصِدٍ لي بِأَذيَّةٍ (x قاصِدٍ إلَى أَذِيَّةٍ) بِجدارِ حَصِينِ الْإِخْلَاصِ فِي الإعْتِرَافِ بِحَقِّهِمْ وَ التَّمَسُّكِ بِحَبْلِهِمْ جَمِيعاً، مُوقِناً بِأَنَّ الحُقَّ لَهُمْ وَ مَعَهُمْ وَ فِيهِمْ وَ بِهِمْ، أُوَالِي مَنْ وَالوًا، وَ أُعادي مَن عادوا، أُجَانِبُ مَنْ جَانَبُوا، فصلَّ على محمّد وآل محمّد، وَ أَعِذْنِي اللَّهُمَّ بِهِمْ مِنْ شَرِّ كُلِّ مَا أَتَقِيهِ، يَا عَظِيمُ حَجَرْت (x عَجَرَتِ) الْأَعَادِي عَنِي اللَّهُمَ وَ التَّمَسُواتِ وَ الْأَرْضِ، إِنَّا جَعَلْنَا مِنْ بَيْنِ أَيْدِيهِمْ سَدًا وَ مِنْ خَلْوَنِهِ مَنْ اللَّهُمَ وَ فَيهِمْ مَنْ مَا أَعَادِي مَنْ وَالَوْا، وَ أُعادي مَن عادوا، أُجَانِبُ مَنْ جَانَبُوا، فصلَّ على محمّد وآل محمّد، وَ أَعِذْنِي اللَّهُمَّ بِهِمْ مِنْ شَرِّ كُلِّ مَا أَتَقِيهِ، يَا عَظِيمُ حَبَرْت (x

Asbaĥto llãhomma moětaseman bežemãmekal maniě allaži lã yoṫāwalo wa lã yoĥāwalo, men šarre kolle tāreqen wa ǧāšem, men sãyere mã kalaqta wa man kalaqta; men kalqeka s-sāmete wa nnãteq; fi ĵonnaten men kolle makõfen belebāsen sābeğaten ĥasĩnah, wa heya welãae ahle bayte nabiyyeka moĥammaden (× salla-llãho alayhe wa ãleh) moĥtaĵeban men kolle qãseden li beaažiyyaten (× qãseden elã azĩyyaten) beĵedãre ĥasĩnel-eklãs fel-eĕterãfe beĥaqqehem wa ttamassoke beĥablehem ĵamiĕã, mõqenan be aannal-ĥaqqa lahom wa maĕahom wa fîhem wa behem, owāli man wālaw, wa oĕādi man ĕādõ, oĵãnebo man ĵãnabõ, fasalle ĕalã Moĥammad wa ãle Moĥammad, wa aĕezniyallãhomma behem men šarre kolle mã attaqĩh, yã ĕazĩmo ĥaĵazto (× ĕaĵazate) l-aaĕādiya ĕanni bebadĩĕe-ssamãwãte wal-ard, ennã ĵaĕalnã men bayne aydīhem saddan wa men kalfehem saddan fa aaǧšaynãhom fa hom lã yobserõn.

And also say the same prayer three times in the evening (only instead of saying: asbaĥto allãhomma... say: amsaito allãhomma... then, you will take place in a divin fortress and you will be safe from any negative effets of those times. Then, Ëmam added: If you want to do something in inauspicious time, before doing it, recite those surahs; Ĥamd, Falaq, Nãs, Tawĥid, Âyat al- Korsĩ, Qadr and the verses 190 to 194 of surah Âle Ěemrãn. After this, recite surah Âle Ěemrãn until the end and recite this invocation:

اللَّهُمَّ بِكَ يَصُولُ الصَّائِلُ، وَ بِقُدْرَتِكَ يَطُولُ الطَّائِلُ، وَ لَا حَوْلَ لِكُلِّ ذِي حَوْلٍ إِلَّا بِكَ، وَ لَا قُوَّةً يَمْتَارُهَا (لا يَمتازها) ذُو قُوَّةٍ إِلَّا مِنْكَ (لا وَ لا قوّةً بِمَنَارِهَا ذُو القُوّة إِلَّا مِنكَ)، أَستَلُكَ بِصَفْوَتِكَ مِنْ خَلْقِكَ، وَ خِيَرَتِكَ مِنْ بَرِيَّتِكَ، مُحَمَّدٍ سُلْ نَبِيِّكَ، وَ عِتْرَتِهِ وَ سُلَالَتِهِ؛ عَلَيْهِ وَ عَلَيْهِمُ السَّلَامُ، صَلِّ عَلَيهِ لا صل على محمّد) و عَلَيْهِمْ، وَ اكْفِنِي شَرَّ هَذَا اليوم وَ ضَرَرَهُ (لا ضرّه)، وَ ارْزُقْنِي خَيْرَهُ وَ يُمْنَهُ وَ بَرَكَاتَهُ، وَ الظَفر في مُتصَرَّفَاتِي لا منصرفي) مِحُسْنِ الْعَاقِبَةِ لا العافية) وَ بُلُوغ الْمَحَبَّةِ وَ الظَفر بِالْأُمْنِيَّةِ، وَ كِفَايَةِ الطَّاغِيَةِ الْغُويَّةِ (لا القويّة - المعويّة)، وَ كُلِّ ذِي قُدْرَةٍ لِي عَلَى الْمَخَاوِفِ أَمْناً، وَ مِنَ الْعَوَائِقِ فِيهِ يُسْرًا (لا برَّا)، حَتَّى لَا يَصُدَّ فِي عَلَى مِنْ الْمَخَاوِفِ أَمْناً، وَ مِنَ الْعَوَائِقِ فِيهِ يُسْرًا (لا برَّا)، حَتَى لَا يَصُدَّذِي مَا أَمْرَادِ؛ وَ الْمَخَاوِفِ أَمْناً، وَ مِنَ الْعَوَائِقِ فِيهِ يُسْرًا (لا برَّا)، حَتَى لَلْ يَصُدَّ فِي الْمُرَادِ؛ وَ مَنْ لَيْسَ كَمِنْلَةِ مِنْ أَذَى الْعِبَادِ ، إِنَّكَ عَلى كُلَّ مَتَعَرَفِ وَ الْأُمُورُ إِلَيْكَ تَصِيرُ، يَ

Allähomma beka yašõlo sisädel, wa beqodrateka yatõlo titädel, wa lä ĥawla lekolle ži ĥawlen ellä bek, wa lä qowwatan yamtärohä (× yamtäzohä) žõ qowwaten ellä menk (× wa lä qowwatan bemaçärehä žol-qowwate ellä menk), asdaloka besafwateka men kalqek, wa kiyarateka men bariyyatek, Moĥammaden (× sallalläho alayhi wa äleh) nabiyyeka wa četratehi wa solälatehi alayhi wa aleyhimo ssalām, sallë čalayhi (× sallë čalä Moĥammad) wa alayhim, wa-kfeni šarra hăžalyawm wa dararahõ (× darrahõ) wa-rzoqni kayrahõ wa yomnahõ wa barakätah, waqde li fi motasarrafãti (× monsarafi) beĥosnel-čaqebat (× čafiyah) wa bolõgelmaĥabbate wa-zzafare beldomniyyah, wa kefayate titağiyatel-ğawiyyah (× alqawiyyah, al-mağwiyyah), wa kolle zi qodraten li čală ažiyyah, ĥattã akõna fi ĵonnate w-wa česmate w-wa nečmaten men kolle balãe w-wa neqmah, wa abdelni fihe menal-makãwefe amnã, wa mena-l-čawãdeqe fihe yosrã (× barrã) ĥattã lã yasoddanĩ säddon čanel morãd; wa lã yaĥolla bi tareqo m-men azã-lčebãd, ennaka čalã kolle šayden qadĩr, wal-omõro elayka tasĩr, yã man laysa kameçlehi šayả, wa howa ssamĩčol-basĩr.

3- It also quoted that: if in inauspicious time you should perform an affair, so, after every Prayers call Allãh with this invocation to be safe from any calamities:

لَا حَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أُفِّحُ بِهَا كُلَّ كُرْبَةٍ، لَاحَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أَحَلُّ بِهَا كُلَّ ظُلْمَةٍ، لَا حَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أَجْلُو بِهَا كُلَّ ظُلْمَةٍ، لَا حَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أَسْتَعِينُ بِهَا عَلَى كُلِّ شِدَّةٍ وَ مُصِيبَةٍ، لَا أَفْتَحُ بِهَا كُلَّ بَابٍ، لَا حَوْلَ قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أَسْتَعِينُ بِهَا عَلَى كُلِّ شِدَّةٍ وَ مُصِيبَةٍ، لَا حَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أَسْتَعِينُ بِهَا عَلَى كُلِّ أَمْرٍ يَنْزِلُ بِي، لَاحَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أَمْتَعِينُ بِهَا عَلَى كُلِّ شِدَةٍ وَ مُصِيبَةٍ، لَا حَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أَسْتَعِينُ بِهَا عَلَى كُلِّ أَمْرٍ يَنْزِلُ بِي، لَاحَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَا بِاللهِ؛ أَمْتَعَينُ بِهَا عَلَى كُلِّ أَمْ مَنْ أَنْ فَي اللهِ؛ أَسْتَوْجِبُ بِهَا الْعَفْوَ و أَعْتَصِمُ بِهَا مِنْ كُلِّ حَدُولٍ أُحَاذِرُهُ، لَاحَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللهِ؛ أَسْتَوْجِبُ بِهَا الْعَفْوَ و العَافِيَةَ وَالرِّضَا مِنَ اللهِ، لَاحَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَا بِاللهِ؛ أَسْتَوْجِبُ بِهَا الْعَفْو و الْحَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَا بِاللهِ؛ أَسْتَوْجِبُ بِهَا الْعَفْرَة وَ الْعَانِيَةِ وَ الرِّضَا مِنَ اللهِ، لَاحَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَا بِاللهِ؛ تُفَرِقُ (× تَفْرُقُ) بِهَا أَعْدَاء الله، وَ الْعَافِيَةَ وَ رَبَّ الْعَنْ مَعَنَ وَ بَعَى وَبَعَى وَجُهُ اللهِ، لَاحُوْلَ وَ لا قُوَقَة إِلاَ بِاللهِ؛ أَنَا اللهُ وَ اللَّهُ أَعْدَاء اللهُ وَ رَبَّ الْعُنْ وَ رَبَ الْعُولَا الْمُتَمَعَظَةٍ، وَ رَبَّ الْعَنْ وَ رَبَ الْعُنْ الْمُ مَرَقَة ( الْفَانِيَةِ، وَ رَبَ الْحُلُو المَائِنَهِ وَ رَبَ الْعَنْ وَ رَبَ اللهِ وَ الْعَنْ بَيْ وَ مَنْ أَعْرَا وَ وَ رَبَ الْهُ وَ الْعُوْ وَ فَوَةً إِلَا بِعَنْ بِي مَا مُولَ وَ مَا عَنْ عَنْ وَ مَنْ وَ مَوْ لَا فَوْ وَ إِنَّ وَ الْمُ وَ مَا مَنْ وَ مَا الْحُوْ وَ مَا مَوْ وَ وَ لَا فُوْ وَ مَ

Lã ĥawla wa lã gowwata ellã bellãh, ofarreĵo behã kolla korbah, lã ĥawla wa lã qowwata ella bellah, aĥallo beha kolla eoqdah, la ĥawla wa la qowwata ella bellãh, aîlõ behã kolla żolmah, lã ĥawla wa lã gowwata ellã bellãh, aftaĥo behã kolla bãb, lã ĥawla wa lã gowwata ellã bellãh, astaĕĩno behã ĕalã kolle šeddate wwa mośĩbah, lã ĥawla wa lã qowwata ellã bellãh, astaĕĩno behã ĕalã kolle amre yyanzelo bi, lã ĥawla wa lã gowwata ellã bellãh, aĕtasemo behã men kolle maĥžõren oĥãžeroh, lã ĥawla wa lã gowwata ellã bellãh; astawĵebo beha-l-ĕafwa wal-ĕafiyata wa r-reżā mena-llāh, lā ĥawla wa lā gowwata ellā bellāh, tofarrego (× tafroqo) behã aĕdãåa-llãh, wa ğalabat ĥojjato-llãh, wa baqeya wajhollãh, lã ĥawla wa lã gowwata ellã bellãh, allãhomma rabbal-arwãĥel-fãniyah, wa rabba-laîsãdel-bãliyah, wa rabba ššoĕõre-l-motamaĕĕetah, wa rabbal-ĵolõdel momazzagah (× al-motamazzegah), wa rabbal-ĕeżãme nnakerah, wa rabba ssãĕatel-gãdemah, asdaloka yã rabbe, an tosalliya ĕalā Moĥammade wwa (× ĕalā) ahle baytehe ttäherin, wa-feal bi ... (ask what you want) bekafiyye lotfeka ya žal-jalāle wa-l-ekrām; āmīna āmīna yā rabbal-ālamīn.

It is worth noting that, in other case and generally for relief to any affair, calling Allāh with this noble invocation can be also benefit enšāå-allāh.

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1- Taqwim Awqāt šarči (The calendar of the religious times): Permanent calendar of the ten ritual times (for the holy cities of the "eight Heavens", the lands of the prophets and their successors (aleyhimo s-salam), the Muslim countries and others countries). The calendar of the ritual and religious times may be issued for all countries in the world on demand. Published in Farsi since 1418.

**2-Tawqim mawãqit al-ĕebãdah (the calendar of the religious times):** Published in Arabic since 1434.

3-The calendar of the religious times: Published in English since 1433.

**4-Le calendrier des temps religieux (The calendar of the religious times):** Published in French since 1433.



**5-Taqwim sãěāt kavākeb** (The planetary hours calendar): *Presents the diurnal and nocturnal planetary hours in the solar year*. Published in Farsi since 1433.

6-The planetary hours calendar : Published in English since 1433.

**7-Le calendrier des heures planétaires (The planetary hours calendar) :** Published in French since 1433.



8- Sālnāmeh taqwim fešordeh (The annual letter of the lunar concise calendar): Determination of the beginning of the lunar month, Moonlight Nights (Full moon), Interlunar days and Moon conjunction - Avoidance days (for material and worldly affairs), solar and lunar eclipses. Published in farsi since 1426.

**9-Al-taqwim al-qamari al-basit** (The annual letter of the lunar concise calendar): Published in Arabic since 1431.

10-The Annual letter of the concise lunar calendar : Published in English since 1433.

11- l'Annuel du calendrier lunaire concis (The Annual letter of the concise lunar calendar) : Published in French since 1433.



**12- Sălnămeh taqwim rašadī (The Annual letter of the Moon phases Calendar) :** Describes the phases of the moon for every day of the solar month (format web page). Published in farsi since 1428.

13-The Annual letter of the Moon phases Calendar : Published in English since 1433.

14-L'Annuel du calendrier des phases de la lune (The Annual letter of the Moon phases Calendar) : Published in French since 1433.



**15-Sălnămeh taqwim noĵõmi šarĕi (The Annual letter of the Religious Ephemeride):** Determination of the beginning of the lunar month, Moonlight Nights (Full moon), Interlunar phases and Moon in « Tahte-Šoĕãĕ », inauspicious times, Moon in Sidereal sign of Scorpio, lunar and solar eclipses, the dates of welãyat and barãåat times and the schedule of the religious events and assemblies. Published in farsi since 1426.

16-The Annual letter of the Religious Ephemeride : Published in English since 1434.

17-L'Annuel de l'éphéméride religieuse (The Annual letter of the Religious Ephemeride) : Published in French since 1434.

وي الاختام وبنن التن حكة واللغن والادر غا THE ANNUAL LETTER OF THE **Religious Ephemeride** Ephéméride Religieuse nic hijri calendars, Moh ativities, the Eskandarian calendar, date fi of Ådam ;;;; and the Era of Mawlä Šåbeb al-amr ;;; Determine the beginning of the lunar month. onlight Hights, Interlunar days, Moon in sidereal Scorpio sign, ires, les quits de pleine lane, les jaars au la lane est en المرقبة وشمير ومعاد ومناح والمتراج والمكرة والترخير والترخير والمراجع المراجع az et coninaction, les moments nélastes (pour les affaires de ce mo les dates où la lane en signe Sidéral du Scorpion, les éclipses lanaires et solaire ious times and days (for material and worldly affairs), lunar and solar eclipses. زهر مادقس وليال مقبره وايام Bates des moments de welâyat et de barãeat Weläyat and barà éat dates ainsi que les dates des assemblées religieuses. and the schedule of the religious assemblies تواريخ بتخامهاي ولات ويرانت وامام محالس ديني Month of Ramadan 1434-1435 lunar hijri 1392-93 solar hijri = 2013-14 Josus Yativity <sub>55</sub> 12538 Creation of Adam<sub>56</sub> 1487-8 Mohammad nativity <u>56</u> 1174-75 the Era of Saheb al-amr <u>56</u> 1393-94 de l'hégire solaire = 2014-15 Nativité de Jésus \*\* 12539 Création d'Àdam \*>1488-89 Nativité de Mohammad \*\* 1175-76 Ère de Säheb al-Amr \*\* Research project, management and scientific Dăr al-Maĕăref al-Elăhiyyal من وبنديزي ثوبثي ومريت واشراف عنى: حراس المعاسرف الإلهينة Projet, programmation et direction Där al-Mačäref al-Elähiyyah Preparation and compilati ت ويدون: برو سكده علوم تجوم و تقويم و تجم ماد حات اعلى Préparation et compilation L'Institut d'astronomie, d'astrologie et du calent de la jfondation Ĥapāt-ačlā The Institute of . anh calenhar of the f astronomy, astrology an Ĥayāt-aĕlā Foundation

**18- Sălnămeh taqwim hamegăni (The annual letter of the public ephemeris calendar ):** Lunar and Solar islamic hijri calendars- Nativity of Moĥammad 9 - Jesus Nativity 7 - Žolqarnayn 7 calendar - Year counting from the creation of Adam 7 - The era of Mawlā Saĥeb al-amr 7 - The tables of the situation of the Sun and the Moon in the Mansions, in Sidereal signs and in Tropical signs - Lunar and solar eclipses. Published in farsi since 1427.

**19-Al-taqwim al-falakĩ al-ĕãm (The annual letter of the public ephemeris calendar):** Published in Arabic since 1430.

**20-The annual letter of the public ephemeris calendar :** Published in English since 1435

**21-** L'Annuel du calendrier des éphémérides publiques (The annual letter of the public ephemeris calendar): Published in French since 1435.

感 幽 L'ANNUEL DU Calendrier des **Public Ephemeris** éphémérides publiques Calendar driers islamiques lumire et solaire de l'hégire. Nati shammad g, et de JCsus g, le calendrier Rumi, dat creistion d'Adam , et l'Ére de Mawili Nikels alam Et les tablemux de la position du soleil et de la Lane dans les moisaus et les constellations du sodiaque sidécul et trapical The tables of the position of the Sun and the Maan in the mansions and Siderent and Tropical signs وجداول وضعت خومر شيد ومأه دمر منانرل ويروج نجيه Projet, programmation et direction Dâir al-Mail-Brand al-Elâhiyyah دابر المعامرف الإلهية ل ديدرزي دويني ورت واشراف على: حراس المعاليرف الاللينة شدورون: بروستكده علوم نجوم وتقويم وتتجم بنياد حيات اعلى L'Institut b'astronomie, b'astrologie et ba o be la feribation filarät-ağlâ معهد البحوث التلكية والتنجيمية الم نادمات ال

**22-Taqwim noĵõmi takašošī (The annual letter of the Professional Ephemeris Calendar):** The seven lunar and solar calendars - The tables of the situations of the planets, stars and virtual objects in the Tropical and Sidereal signs - The Mansions – The lunar and



solar eclipses- The astrological aspects -Retragradations and others planets aspects (the seven planets, new planets, fixed stars, virtual objects and some asteroids). Published in farsi since 1429.

**23-Al-taqvīm al-falakī aleĥterāfī** (The annual letter of the Professional Ephemeris Calendar): Published in Arabic since 1430.

24- Sălnămeh taqwim ektiyărăt noĵõmĩ (The annual letter of the astrological elections): Auspicious times and inauspicious times for every months of lunar and solar calendars according seventy topics and the times whose auspicious and inauspicious aspect is not total and absolute. Published in farsi since 1431.

25-« Al-ektiyārāt al-falakiyyah » (The annual letter of the astrological elections) : Published in Arabic since 1431.

**26-** Saĕādat nāmeh (the calendar of the most favorable times): The most propitious times of astrological elections, without adverses effects of the moon and others planets. Published in Persian since 1435.



قال الدالعلي العظيري كابد العلي الحكير: وتظلَّرَ تظرَّمُ في التُجُوم فقالَ إلى سَقِيمً هنگام شناسی امور زمینی با نشانه های آسمانی سان اوقات معود دممذور امام ماه پلی قمری و شمسی و نقص سعادت و مناحر شماره هفتم: از آغاز ماه مبارك رمضان ۱۹۳۹ تا پایان شه ٢-١٢٤ محري ليري - ١٣٣ - ١٣٩٢ محري شيبي - ١٤ - ٢٠١٣ م در مدرزى روشى درب داشرات عنى: «الس المعامرف الالحية، تبه ورون: بروسكده علوم نجوم و تقويم و تتجم ماد حات اعلى



لا اس المعاسرف الإطبية. عليو فراعد الإختبارات تفاضية وتعييز الأوقات الحذورة والسعودة معهد البحوث الفلكية، والننجيمية، في مريت الل **27-Taqwim noĵõmĩ tebbĩ (Medical almanac):** Astrological guide for health – How to use the astronomy for hygiene and health of body and spirit- Astrological Elections for important subjects of health and hygiene. Published since Rabiě al-awwal 1429.

**28- Sălnămeh ăğăz măh qamarî (The annual letter of the beginning of the lunar months):** Report and analysis about the visibility of Helãl for the beginning of every lunar months. Published in farsi since 1428.

الراد اللي المدروكار اللي المحمر فتقتر تظرَّة في التَّجُوم فقال إلى سَقِيمُ وفققة لقادة واللخرم فقال الأرشق راښاي اخها، و منجکن کهن واسلامي د. حوزه تتخيص طبّي و مديريت د.مان و کارکسری دانش نموم و تنجم رای سداشت و سلامتی تن وردان من ورندروي الماني وربت والرف عن الااس المعالرف الالحيان ج وبلد بذي ثوبتي وريت واثروت عن: الماس الملعاسرف الالطينة شه دنددن: بژوستگده علوم نموم و تقویم و تنجیم خیاد حیات اعلی تسه وتدون: بژوشگده علوم نحوم و تقویم و تجم مْباد ح**بات اعل**ی

**29-« Rāhe Āsemān » (The Way of the Heaven):** Lessons of Astronomy, Astrology and Islamic calendar: 60 chapters has been published. Published in farsi since 1427.

#### 30- The «Gāh-Šenāsi» Journal (The global astronomical calendar):

The astronomical events of the planets, asteroids and orbital nodes the conjunctions, the positions of planets and astrological laws. This journal is published since Ĵomãdā al-õlā 1428. In 1434 : more than 2100 numbers has been published. Due to the volume of this calendar. this dailv publication is only available in electronic format.

. الماري؟كاب اللي المستبر، فلا أُقْيَتْ بنوَاقِعَ النَّجْرِمِ وَإِلَّهُ لَقَسَمُ لَوُ تَعْلَمُونَ عَظِيمً مناستها ممصّات كوأك ونقاط علكى وسائكها، اتصالات، احوال كوأك والحام نحومتُن روزنامه گاه شناسی شاره: 1039 ه ربيع الآخر ١١٤١١ - ١ حمل ١٣٨٨ = 21 مارس 2010 من ورئد رزى روش ورت واشراف على: حراس المعاسرف الالهنة. تبسه وتددن: برُوسَكُده علوم نحوم وتقويم وتجمر مبادحات اعلى

**31-** Various publications about particular astronomical events: Sun's exaltation (« Šarafe Šams » : explinations about the diagram of esm aĕżam, the best time for doing the diagram, astrological elections relating to the Sun's exaltation – secret of the effects of the diagram of « Šarafe Šams », rituals and the good manners relating to the diagram), Nowruz letter (the value of Nowruz in the Discours of the Custodians of the Revelation : , the hour of the turn of the New Year, astrological chart of this hour, the rites and rituals of Nowruz ), The Chinese New Year (the relation between the Iranian calendar and Khotan

calendar, astrological elections of the New Year in ancient and new astrology).

لدعلي الطيرية كالداملي الفطير فلا أليبزينوس اللقوم وإثا للبنة لإنقلتون والراقد تعلى المذرق كالد العلى الشجير فلا أقيبة يتوافع الثابور والثا لقنت لا تغللون غبو وقايع فلكي خاصر وقايع فلكى خاص 1811 وصيف نعش اسم العظم ، زمان قويترين ساعت، ولالات واعتبارات، رز تأسيرة واب مان ارزش فوروز در کلام خاز نان وتین، تحول سال وطالع آن، آ داب د اعل ۹ جمادي الاولى ١٤٣٤ = ١ فروردين ١٣٩٢ = ٢١ مارس ٢٠١٣ ۱۲۰۴۰ قربتر آم الله ۱۹۳۷ میلای علدی الله ۱۹۷۷ عصرصاحب الزمان الله به تمس رصدی: ۲۸ تادی الاتری ۲۴۲۷ = ۱۴ اردیشت ۱۳۱۲ = ۱ میر 2013 من وبندرزي دوش مديت وشرون على، الااس المعامرف الإلهينة ن دينديذي شديش ومديت وشراف عن ومزاسر المعاسرف الالهينة نسدوندون: بژوبسگده علوم تتویم و نوم و تجم ماد حات اعلی تسه دندون: تروستكده علوم نحوم وتقويم وتعجم مناد حلت اعلى

*Lunar and solar eclipses accompanied by astrological annotations and comments (the characteristics of the eclipse; the date and the location of the event, maps, astrological chart and schedules of the Signs Prayer), The effects and repercussions of the eclipses (How to manage the negative effects of the eclipe according the Discours of the Custodians of the Revelation : ).* Published in farsi since 1426.

. الد اصل العلم فإكاب العلي الحاصر فلا أقباد بتراجع التقرم ولة اللبنة از تغلقون فقية وقايع فلكى خاص وقايوفلكى خام وقايع فلكى خاص ان شخصات کر خلقی : زمان و مل وقوع اختر منافق روات رین مثنیات کر کلتی : زمان و مل وقوع مُترَّ ساحق روت، سِنت طالع و آ ومتديني شافى ورت وشرف عن حراس المعامرف الألهنين بلهون يؤثرون وشبت جميدهم الرالمعامرف الالحنة ...وتدون: ترو بسكده علوم تحوم و تجميم ملاحلت اعلى ....وتدون: بژوبسگده علوم نوم و تجم مناد ح**ات اعلی** سەوتدون: ىژدىمىگدەعلوم نجوم و تىجىم مىلاحات اعلى تدبيرات فلكي فع موارمن وآثار منفي خبوت وكبوت بامدات تعاليم ك . فلقي : زمان و مل د فون التشر سامان روبت رسينت هاي و أ طرح و رنامه رزی رژویشی و مدرت واشراف علمی: 2 martine into شمنت کر کفتی : زمان و محل وقوع ، نتشه متافق دویت، بینت دابر المعارف الالهنة مت مردام المعارف ى دوش ورب والرف عن حرام المعامرف الالحنة سورون: بژوشگدوعلوم نحوم و تتحیم ضاد حیات اعلی نسه وتدون: بژوستگده علوم نجوم و تتجهم منادحات اعلی . «. وتدون: بژوبسگده علوم نحوم وشجم مناد حبات اعلی سه وتدون: بژوبسگده علوم نجوم و تتجم مبادحات اعلی

#### 32- Sãlnāmeh Hengām- šenāsī doĕā mostaĵab :

This calendar presents the astronomical favorable and the nun favorable times for fulfillment of the prayers and also the times that can have the opposite effect. Published in Farsi since 1435.

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33- Sālnāmeh taqwim laĥżeh dočā mostaĵab (Annual calendar about the position of "the star for the fulfillment of prayers"): The Caph star when it arrives in the Cassiopeia constellation and in the middle of the sky. Published in Farsi since 1435.

All the astro publications of the  $\hat{H}ay\tilde{a}t$ -ačla Foundation can be download in website of the Foundation:

ال الد العلى العظير في كابد العلى الحجير، وَقِتْم الْتُوْمِنِينَ بِأَنْ لَهُمْ مِنَ الله قطالًا كَبِرًا اوقات دعای مسحاب وبنخام وشرائط فلكى اسحات انواع حوانج واوقات ن<mark>اقعن</mark> دعاء بیان سانی علمی واحکام آن از تعالیم مکتب وحی و دانش نبوم کمن واسلامی من ورئد رزي رثوس وروب واشراف عن ولراس المعاسرف الاللهنة ، نېږوندون بېانى دىن ئىتوىم : بژوېمىڭدو علوم كلام خازمان وحى <mark>مباد حيات اعلى</mark> نسياني نبوى دائرن تقويم: ترويسكدو علوم نحوم وتتجم ضادحات اعلى

لخام رسدن سآره (کف الحضب) در صورت فلکی دعاء به وسط السماء بيان مياني علمي والحكام آن وتعلمات كمتب وحي ودانش نجوم كمن واسلامي رافن شر متهد مقدس - ايران : KMT+0.5 = GMT+3.5 طول جغرافياتي E 35°17' N / 59°37' E عرض جغرافياتي ب ورد روى وفرق ورب والرف عى الراس المعامرف الالهنة تهدوتدون: بژوستگده علوم نحوم و تنجم مماد حمات اعلى

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Astro publications of the Institute of astronomy and astrology of  $\hat{H}ay\tilde{a}t$ -aĕlã Foundation, is not limited to the above publications and with the grace and the help of Mawlã7, in different domains, the astronomical and astrological calendars will be developed and published, enšãå-allãh.



# Astronomers online of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation

Some of the astronomical calculations such as; the time of the prayer or other ritual times or the planetary hours... need to extract a calendar for every time zones. Due to the accuracy of astronomical calendars of Ĥayãt-aĕlã Foundation, the requests of astronomical, scientific and religious Centers around the world, for extracting calendars tailored to their area to use them in publications and softwares, became so numerous. For providing to this requests and also to the demands of the privates, we have developed an automated system online so that anyone, anywhere, with using internet, can be able to access in a few minutes to the different kinds of calendars. This system is in service for the most of our publications and others will be soon available. To consult and download the calendars of the list below, refer to website of the Centre of islamic and ancient astro of Ĥayãt-ačlã Foundation.

**1- Religious times Astronomer:** This astronomer emits a permanent calendar for the ten ritual times, for all the points of the Earth (mid and high geographic latitudes and polar regions) in the calendar of your choise (lunar, solar or jesusian). Explanations about the basis of the calendar are available in Farsi, English and French.

In Farsi = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/Awqaat1.htm</u>

In English = <u>http://aelaa.net/En/Awqaat.htm</u>

In French = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fr/Awgaat.htm</u>

**2- Universal calendar Astronomer:** Lunar hijri calendar, the Mohammad's nativity 9 calendar, Year counting from the creation of Âdam 7, the calendar of era of Šãheb al-amr 7, the Iranian and Afghan calendar, the Islamic and solar calendar, the ancient Persian calendar, the Jesus 7 calendar, the Julian calendar, the Žolqarnayn calendar 7 (rumi calendar), the Hebrew, Indian, Mayan calendar, ISO-8601, Julian Day, Modified Julian Day, Unix and Excel.

http://aelaa.net/Fa/TagwimJahaani.aspx

**3- Determination of the qiblah:** This program determines precisely the direction of the qiblah for the localities of your choice on satellite image and according to the calculations of spherical trigonometry. Available in eight languages:

in Farsi = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/Qeble.htm</u>

in Arabic = <u>http://aelaa.net/Ar/Qeble.htm</u>

in Urdu = <u>http://aelaa.net/Ur/Qeble.htm</u>

in English = <u>http://aelaa.net/En/Qeble.htm</u>

in French = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fr/Qeble.htm</u>

in Spanish = <u>http://aelaa.net/Es/Qeble.htm</u>

in Turkish = <u>http://aelaa.net/Tr/Qeble.htm</u>

in Albanian = <u>http://aelaa.net/Sq/Qeble.htm</u>

**4- Planetary hours Astronomer:** This astronomer gives the hours of the seven planets for the locality of your choice and also in the calendar of your choice (lunar, solar or jesusian) with explanations about the characteristics of the planetary hours. Available in Farsi, English and French.

In Farsi = http://aelaa.net/Fa/Saaeat-Kawaakeb.htm

In English = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/Ersaal/3/Calendar/EN/Plantary\_hours.htm</u> In French = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/Ersaal/3/Calendar/FR/Heures\_plan%C3%A9taires.htm</u> 5- The lunar concise calendar Astronomer: This astronomer gives "the lunar concise calendar" for the year of your choice, past or future. Available in Farsi, Arabic, English and French. In Farsi = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/TaqwimFeshorde.aspx</u> In Arabic = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/TaqwimBasit.aspx</u> In English = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/TaqwimBasit.aspx</u> In French = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/Ersaal/3/Calendar/EN/concise calendar.aspx</u> In French = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/Ersaal/3/Calendar/FR/calendrier concis.aspx</u>

6- Solar calendar astronomer of lunar observation: Illustration of the phases of the Moon for each day of the lunar months.
Annual publication.
In Farsi = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/Ersaal/3/Rasadi/TaqwimQamari.htm</u>
In English = <u>http://aelaa.net/Fa/Ersaal/3/Calendar/EN/Lunar\_calendar.html</u>
In French = http://aelaa.net/Fa/Ersaal/3/Calendar/FR/Astronome\_observation\_lunaire.htm

7- The Public Ephemeris Calendar Astronomer: This astronomer gives "the public ephemeris calendar" for the year of your choice, past or future. Available in Farsi, Arabic, English and French. In Farsi = <u>http://www.aelaa.net/Fa/TaqwimHamegaani.aspx</u> In Arabic = <u>http://www.aelaa.net/Fa/TaqwimFalakiAaam.aspx</u> In English = <u>http://www.aelaa.net/EN/public%20ephemeris.aspx</u> In French= <u>http://aelaa.net/FR/éphémérides%20publiques.aspx</u>

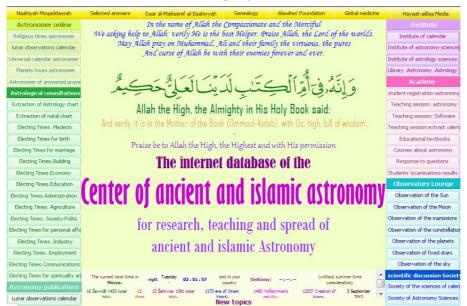
8- The Professional Ephemeris Calendar Astronomer: This astronomer gives "the professional ephemeris calendar" for the year of your choice, past or future. Available in Farsi. In Farsi = http://aelaa.net/Fa/TagwimTakhasosi.aspx

**9- The Astrological elections Astronomer:** *This astronomer gives "the annual letter of the astrological elections" for the year of your choice, past or future. Will soon be available in Farsi.* 

**10- The beginning of the lunar months Astronomer:** This astronomer determines the first day of the lunar months with notes and diagrams about the Helãl for the year of your choice, past or future. Available in Farsi.

**11- Astronomer of the hours of answered prayers:** the Caph star (Beta Cassiopeiae / al Kaff al-Kadib). Annual calendar about the position of " the star of the fulfillment of the prayers" (the Caph star in the Cassiopeia constellation) when transits. Will soon be available in Farsi

**12- Lunar and Solar eclipses times Astronomer:** This astronomer determines the dates of lunar and solareclipses, the time of the beginning, the middle end the end of the eclipsefor all the countries concerned. Also it mentions what kind of eclipse is and mentions the time of the signs Prayer. Will soon be available in Farsi The Annual letter of the Religious Ephemeride number 1437



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Ď = ḋ	ض	h×t	ة × ه	A = a	Fatĥah =			
Ť=ṫ	ط	Ç= ç	ث	0 = 0	Żammah = ,			
ż = Ż	ظ	p = P	پ	E = e	Kasrah =			
ĕ = Ĕ	ع	ĵ = Ĵ		ä = Ä	Esbãĕ Fatĥah			
ğ = Ğ	ى.	Č = č	چ	Ö = Ö	Esbãĕ Żammah			
f = F	ف	$\hat{H} = \hat{h}$	5	ë₌Ë	Esbãĕ Kasrah			
q = Q	ق	Ř = Ř	خ	à = ã	Elongated sound (madd) = $\tilde{I}$			
k = K	اك	d = D	د	$\widetilde{I} = \widetilde{I}$	أي=(Elongated sound (madd			
g = G	گ	ž = Ž	ذ	Õ = õ	او =(Elongated sound (madd			
L = 1	J	r = R	ر	Ā	ی = ( Alef MaqŠõrah )			
m = M	م	z = Z	ز	Å = å	ء أۇ ئ_ئ Hamzah			
n = N	ن	j = J	ۯ	W = W	() the letter (waw)			
h = H	ھ	s = S	س	y = Y	(ي)the letter (yaả)			
W = W	و	Š = Š	ش	b = B	ب			
<b>y</b> = <b>Y</b>	ي	<b>S</b> = <b>S</b>	ص	t = T	ت in Manual of the Dhanetic			

\* To learn more about the basis of this table, refer to the Publication Manual of the Phonetic transcription in the following link: http://aelaa.net/Fa/Ersaal/10/AwaaNegaariyeBargozide.pdf

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