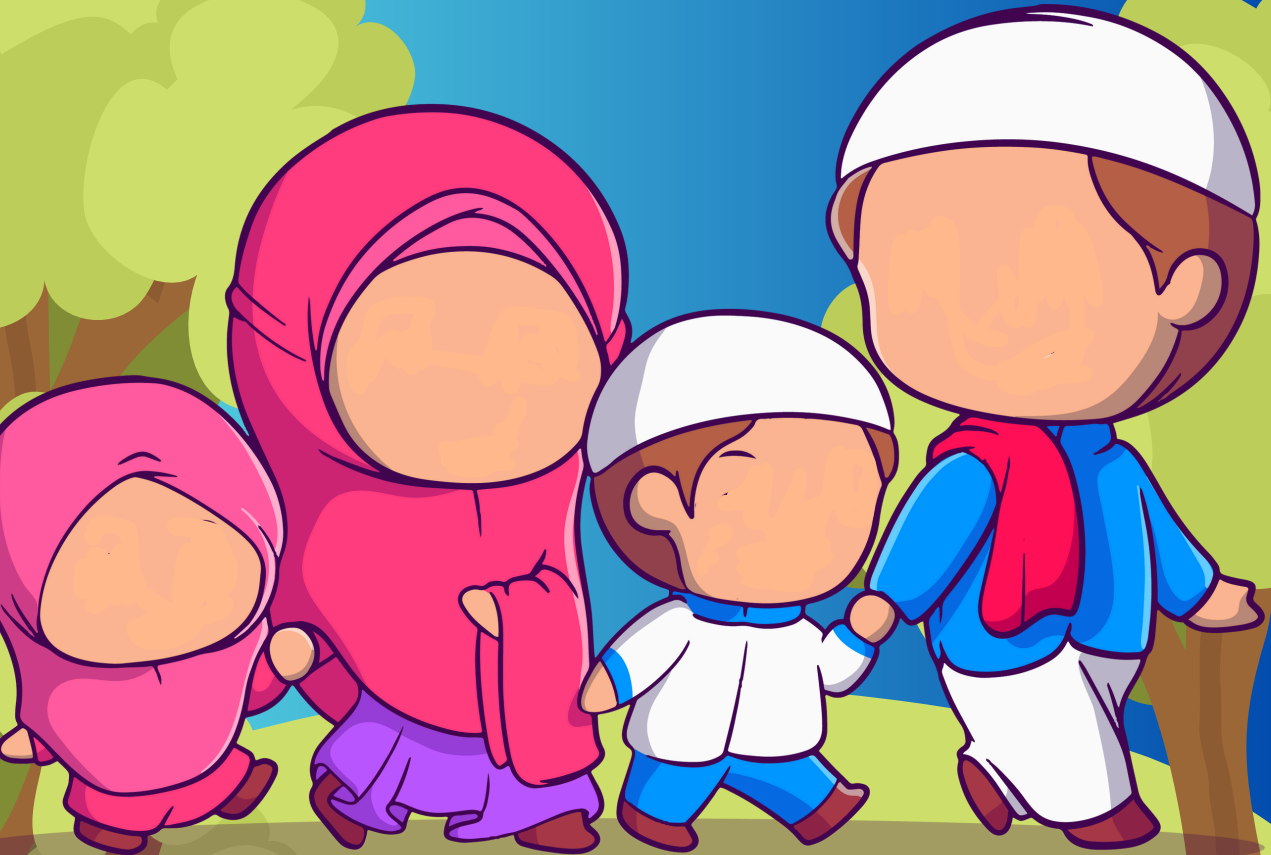


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THE ETIQUETTE OF ENTERING AND EXITING THE BATHROOM

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Fatima was performing ablution at the sink when she saw her brother Muadh running quickly to enter the bathroom.

Fatima called out to him, "Wait a moment, Muadh, don't forget the bathroom manners.

Do you remember them?"

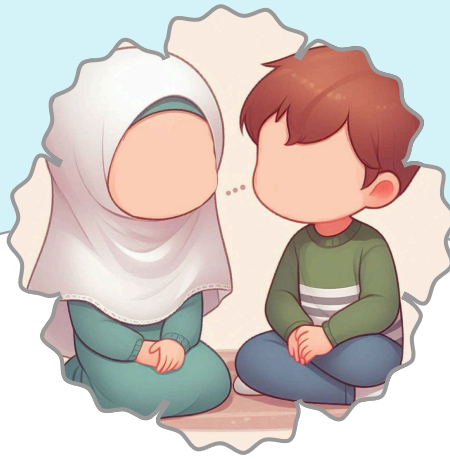


Muadh replied, "Yes, I remember them. Isn't one of them the supplication:

Allāhumma 'innī 'a`ūdhu bika minal-khubthi walkhabā'ith. [I seek refuge with Allah from the male and female devils]?"

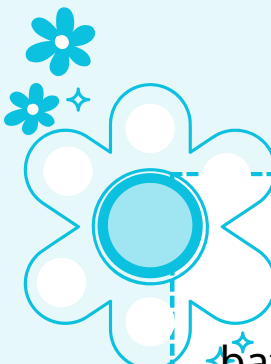

Fatima said, "Well done, Muadh, that is correct. But before that, **you must enter with your left foot** as we have learned from the Sunnah."

Muadh asked, "What do you mean by Sunnah, Fatima?"



Fatima explained, "I mean everything we have learned from our Prophet, peace be upon him, from his words or actions. When we follow the Prophet, peace be upon him, and do as he did, we are adhering to the Sunnah of the Prophet, peace be upon him, and by doing so, we become Muslims in a way that pleases Allah."

Muadh said, "Thank you, Fatima. I love to do as our Prophet, peace be upon him, did."



Then Muadh entered the bathroom as Fatima advised him.

Moments later, he came out, stepping with his right foot first, and saying,

“Ghufrānak [O Allah! Grant me Your forgiveness].”

Fatima looked at him and said with a smile, "Well done, hero."

Muadh replied, "Thank you, my dear sister."

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