

"Whoever has a bath on Friday and arrives early at the mosque on foot, sits near the Imam and listens in tranquility, entitles the reward of a full year of work including fasting in the day and praying in the night.

[Reported by Al-Nasa'i and Abu Dawud]

Sodomizing One's Wife

Prophetic Hadiths:

"Allah does not look at whomever sodomizes a woman³⁰

[Reported by Al-Nasa'i]

Whoever has intercourse with a woman during her period, or sodomizes a woman, or who goes to a fortuneteller and believes him, has committed unbelief (if he considers any of these acts permissible).

[Reported by Abu Dawud and Al-Nasa'i]

Once `Umar ibn Al-Khattab came to the Prophet (pbuh) saying, O Messenger Of Allah, I became a loser! What happened, the Prophet (pbuh) asked. He said, I changed the position last night. The Prophet (pbuh) had no answer to say. Then Allah the Almighty revealed,

{Your wives are as a tilth unto you so approach your tilth when or how you will}

[Reported by Al-Nasa'i and Tirmidhi]

³⁰ In his book, Zad al-Ma'ad, Imam Ibn Qayyim said, Approaching a woman from her anus is unlawful. This is because the woman has also the right of sexual satisfaction. She cannot get any kind of sexual pleasure by such position. The only natural and proper way to have sex with a woman is through her vagina.

Guarding One's Nakedness Except from His wife

Prophetic Hadiths:

On the authority of Mu`aawiya ibn Haida, who said: "I said: O Messenger of Allah, which of our nakedness is allowed, and of which must we beware? The Prophet answered, "Guard your nakedness except from your wife or those whom your right hand possesses." (So it is permissible for both spouses to look at and touch the body of his or her companion even the private parts). He said: 'O Messenger of Allah, what about if the relatives live together with each other?' The Prophet answered: "If you can make sure that no one ever sees your nakedness, then do so." He said: 'O Messenger of Allah, what about when one is alone?' The Prophet said: "Allah is more deserving of your modesty than are the people". "

[Ahmad, Abu Dawud and Tirmidhi]

Intercourse with One's Wife during Menstruation

Qur'anic verses:

{They ask thee concerning women's courses. Say: They are a hurt and pollution: So keep away from women in their courses, and do not approach them until they are clean. But when they have purified themselves, ye may approach them as ordained for you by Allah for Allah loves those who turn to Him constantly and He loves those who keep themselves pure