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Virtues of Zul Hijjah

1. Zul Hijjah is from the four sacred months of the Islamic calendar. The four sacred months are Zul Qa'dah, Zul Hijjah, Muharram and Rajab. The rewards of any good deed done in these months are multiplied, and the sins committed in these months are also regarded as more serious. (Surah Tawbah, Verse 36)
2. The greatness of the first ten days and nights of Zul Hijjah can be ascertained by the fact that Allah ﷻ took an oath (Surah Fajr, Verse 2) by the first ten nights of Zul Hijjah in the Holy Qur'an, and special virtues have been recorded in the Ahaadith of Rasulullah ﷺ regarding these days.
3. One should exert oneself in Ibaadah during the first ten days of Zul Hijjah. Great rewards have been mentioned regarding the Ibaadah performed during these ten days.
4. One should fast during the first nine days. By fasting any of the first nine days of Zul Hijjah, one will get the reward of fasting the entire year.
5. One should endeavour to make as much Ibaadat as possible in the first ten nights of Zul Hijjah. Performing Ibaadah on these nights earns one the equivalent reward of Ibaadah on Laylatul Qadr.
6. Nabi ﷺ has mentioned that Paradise becomes Waajib for that person who worships Allah ﷻ on five nights. i.e. the night of Tarwiya (8th of Zul Hijjah), the night of Arafah (9th of Zul Hijjah), the night of Nahr (10th of Zul Hijjah), the night of Eid ul Fitr and the night of the 15th of Sha'baan.
7. It is Sunnah for one (who is not in the state of Ihraam) to fast on the day of Arafah i.e. 9th of Zul Hijjah. Apart from receiving the reward of one year's fast, two years sins will also be forgiven. It is impermissible to fast on the 10th, 11th and 12th.
8. It is Sunnah for those intending Qurbaani not to clip their nails nor trim their hair from the beginning of the month of Zul Hijjah till their Qurbaani animal is slaughtered.
9. Takbeer-e-Tashreeq should be recited by both males and females from the Fajr of the 9th of Zul Hijjah till Asr on the 13th of Zul Hijjah. The males will recite it audibly while the females will recite it softly after every Fardh Salaah.

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