

Based upon the book "Sifat Wudoo An Nabee" - Description of the Prophet's Wudooby Shaykh Naasiruddin Al Albaani raheemahullaah

Meaning of Wudoo

Linguistic Meaning - Water Used

Shariah Meaning - Wudoo is using clean and cleansing (Tuhoor) water upon certain body parts as Allaah ta'ala has prescribed and explained.

Proof for Wudoo

Allaah ta'ala says:

"O Ye who believe! When ye prepare for prayer, wash your faces, and your hands (and arms) to the elbows; rub your heads (with water); and (wash) your feet to the ankles." [soorat-ul-Maa'idah, 5:7]

Abu Hurairah (radhiAllaahu'anhu) said: Rasoolullah (sallallaahu 'alaihi wa sallam) said: The Prayer of anyone of you breaching purification is not accepted unless he makes wudoo. [Al-Bukhaaree, (Fath ul-Baaree, 1/206), Muslim (no.225) and others].

Merits of Wudoo

- Previous sins are forgiven
- Those who used to perform wudoo would meet the Messenger of Allaah at the pond -Hawdhul Kawther on the Day of Judgment with white blazes and marks from the wudoo
- Purification is half of eemaan
- The limbs of wudhoo would shine on the day of Judgment



How to Perform Wudoo

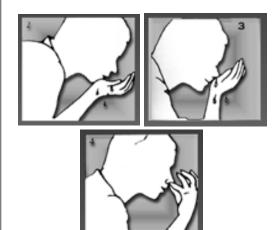
- An Niyyah The intention of the heart to perform wudoo in obedience to the order of Allaah and His Messenger. And the place of An Niyyaah is the Heart. It is incorrect to say it out.
- Start with Mentioning Allaah's Name Saying "Bismillaah" is obligatory.



Abu Hurairah (radhiAllaahu' anhu) said that Rasoolullah (sallallahu 'alaihi wasallam) said There is no wudoo for him who does not mention Allaah's name upon it. [Reported by Ibn Maajah (no.399), At-Tirmidhee (no.26), Abu Dawood (no.101) and others. Ash-Shaikh al-Albaani says: hadeeth Saheeh (Saheeh ul-Jaarni', no.7444)].



- Washing the Hands Wash 3 times
- Washing the Mouth and nose and expelling the water from the nostrils



- ✓ Washing the Mouth -(Al Madmada)
- Washing the Nose (breathing water inside the nose) (Al Istinshaaq) and expelling water (Al Isthinthaar) Take the water in with the right hand and expel it with the left hand
- Washing the mouth and nose with one handful of water
- ✓ Doing this three times



- Washing the Face
- ✓ Everything between the beginnings of the hair
- ✓ down to the cheeks and chin,
- \checkmark and up to the start of the ears,
- ✓ including that which is between the ears and beard
- \checkmark Wash three times

• Running water through the beard with the fingers

 \checkmark Run the wet fingers through the beard

• Washing the Arms including the elbows

- \checkmark From the fingertips to the elbow
- \checkmark Start with the right
- ✓ Wash 3 times

• Wiping the head and the ears

- ✓ Use both hands
- Move them beginning with the front of the head till the nape (end of head - back of the neck)
- ✓ and then return the hands to the place where you began (wipe from the nape till the beginning of the head)
- ✓ then enter the two fore fingers into the ears and wipe the back of the ears with the thumb
- \checkmark Do this once

• Washing feet and ankles

- ✓ Start with the right foot
- ✓ Wash the feet up to the ankles
- $\checkmark\,$ Use the little finger and and wipe in between the toes
- $\checkmark\,$ Washing of the feet should be done three times

Now your Wudoo is complete.



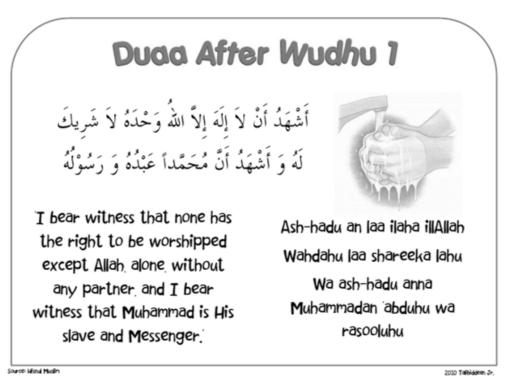


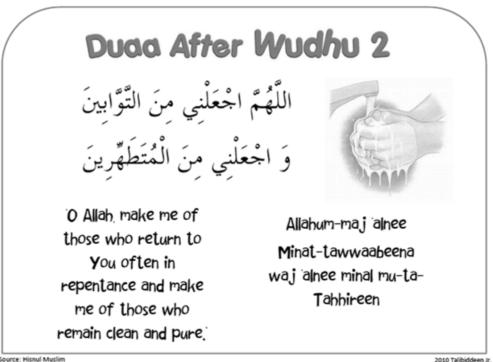




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Then say this Duaa





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