

## **English Introduction**

During the month of Shehre Ramadan, one should pray a lot of Munajaat. The literal meaning of Munajaat is 'to talk with in solitude at night'. It is the great fortune for a Mumin that he is able to 'talk', do munajaat with Allah Ta'ala, especially in the month of Shehre Ramadan. Maulana Ali (AS) explains what 'Munajaat' is in one of his Munajaats that is prayed at the time of istiftah namaz during bihori. In this he explains that when the servant of Allah reaches out to Allah reading Munajaat, Allah Ta'ala answers him with 'labbayka', (I hear you and answer you), that I have heard your voice. But how can a servant of Allah do Munajaat? Our Mawali Tahereen have written down many Munajaats which we are privileged to read and do Munajaat. When a Munajaat is read, its melodious sound is joy for our ears and our heart is consoled and feels at peace through its impact and its meanings. What great happiness there is for the one who reads it, when it is Allah Ta'ala who hears it, and through the wasila of our Mawali Taherin in it our prayers are heard.