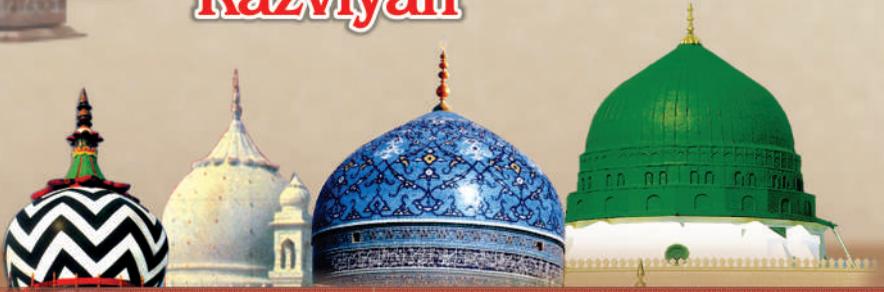


# The Chain of Light

## Tazkira Masha'ikh-e-Qadiriyyah Razviyah



13<sup>th</sup> Noor

Hazrat Shaykh Abul Fadhl

Abdul Waahid Tameemi 

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**His Position in The Silsila :** Khaadim-e-Shariah, Saalik-e-Tariqah, Waaqif-e-Haqiqat, Hazrat Shaykh Abul Fadhl Abdul Waahid Tameemi رحمۃ اللہ علیہ is the thirteenth Imam and Peer-e-Tariqat of the Silsila Aaliyah Qaadiriyyah Barakaatiyyah Razviyah Nooriyah.

He was a great Shaykh of his time. He was the Muqalid of Imam-e-Azam Abu Hanifa رحمۃ اللہ علیہ. Many servants of Allah attained blessings from him. He journeyed on various occasions for Hajj and travelled many parts of the world spreading Islam.

**Birth :** Precise information about his birth is not known.

**Name :** His name is Abdul Waahid Tameemi and is also known as Abul Fadhl. [Masaalikus Saalikeen]

**His Father :** He is the son of Hazrat Shaykh Abdul Aziz Tameemi bin Haarith bin Asad رحمۃ اللہ علیہ [Masaalikus Saalikeen].

**Tameemi :** He is known as Tameemi, because he hailed from a tribe in Arabia which is called the Bani Tameem.

**Shaykh-E-Tariqat :** One narration says that his Shaykh-e-Tariqat is Hazrat Abu Bakr Shibli رحمۃ اللہ علیہ. He was his mureed and was also blessed with khilafat by him. [Masaalikus Saalikeen]

However, other great scholars say that he was the mureed of his father. Hazrat Shah Wali ullah Muhadith Dehlwi رحمۃ اللہ علیہ says, “Hazrat Abdul Waahid Tameemi wore the Khirqa from Hazrat Abdul Aziz Tameemi and he wore the Khirqa from Hazrat Abu Bakr Shibli (radi Allahu anhum) . This is in most of the Shajrahs of the Silsila Aaliyah.” [Masaalikus Saalimeen]

**Character :** He was a very blessed and pious personality. His character was close to that of Hazrat Abu Bakr Shibli رضي الله عنه. He was the greatest Aabid, Zaahid and Imam of Taqwa in his time. He spent his entire life, practising and protecting the Sunnats of the Prophet صلوات الله عليه. [Khazinatul Asfiyah vol.1 pg.89]

**Guidance To The People :** He blessed the people with guidance, for almost 90 years after the wisaal of His Shaykh-e-Tariqat. During these years, he caused the Silsila to grow immensely.

He saved the souls of many people and turned them towards the love of Allah. He formed a huge group of Mubaligheen (Muslim missionaries) and sent them far and wide to serve Islam. [Khazinatul Asfiyah]

**Wisaal :** He passed from this world, on the 26<sup>th</sup> of Jamadil Aakhir 425 Hijri on a Friday. It was during the reign of Khalifa Abbasi.

**Mureeds And Khulafa :** Even after much searching, the list of mureeds and khulafa of Hazrat Abdul Waahid Tameemi رضي الله عنه could not be found. However, Hazrat Shaykh Muhammad Abdullah Tartoosi رضي الله عنه is one of his khulafa who name has appeared in numerous books.

**Mazaar Shareef :** His Mazaar Shareef is in the mausoleum of Hazrat Imam Ahmed bin Hambal رضي الله عنه in Baghdad Shareef.