Dua after Isha

Taqeebat — after the prayer · 18 lines

The method

This dua is quoted from Misbahul Mutahajjid and is recommended to be recited after Isha prayers.

	تعقيب نماز عشاء
O Allah! surely, I have no knowledge of the main source of my subsistence	اللَّهُمَّ إِنَّهُ لَيْسَ لِي عِلْمٌ بِمَوْضِعِ رِزْقِي،
and I seek it only through the passing thoughts that come to me,	وَ إِنَّمَا أَطْلُبُهُ بِخَطَرَاتٍ تَخْطُرُ عَلَى قَلْبِي،
And I wander in cities searching for it,	فَأَجُولُ فِي طَلَبِهِ الْبُلْدَانَ،
perplexed in regard to what I search for.	فَأَنَا فِيمَا أَنَا طَالِبٌ كَالْحَيْرَانِ،
I do not know whether it is in a valley or in a mountain,	لا أَدْرِي أَ فِي سَهْلٍ هُوَ أَمْ فِي جَبَلٍ،
in the earth or in the heavens, in land or sea	أَمْ فِي أَرْضٍ أَمْ فِي سَمَاءٍ، أَمْ فِي بَرٍّ أَمْ فِي بَحْرٍ،
And wonder in whose hands it is, and from whom it is	وَ عَلَى يَدَيْ مَنْ، وَ مِنْ قِبَلِ مَنْ،
But surely I know that You have its Knowledge, and its sources are in Thy hand,	وَ قَدْ عَلِمْتُ أَنَّ عِلْمَهُ عِنْدَكَ وَ أَسْبَابَهُ بِيَدِكَ،
and You distribute it by Thy Kindness, and create opportunities through Thy Mercy	وَ أَنْتَ الَّذِي تَقْسِمُهُ بِلُطْفِكَ وَ تُسَبِّبُهُ بِرَحْمَتِكَ،
Oh Allah, bless Muhammad and his Progeny;	اللَّهُمَّ فَصَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَ آلِهِ،
And Oh Lord! Increase my sustenance that is apportioned by Thee, and make my quest for it easy and the source near;	وَ اجْعَلْ يَا رَبِّ رِزْقَكَ لِي وَاسِعاً، وَ مَطْلَبَهُ سَهْلاً، وَ مَأْخَذَهُ قَرِيباً،
And make me not strive in the search of what You have not decreed for me;	وَ لا تُعَنِّنِي بِطَلَبِ مَا لَمْ تُقَدِّرْ لِي فِيهِ رِزْقاً،

For, surely You are in no need to chastise me	فَإِنَّكَ غَنِيٌّ عَنْ عَذَابِي [عَنَائِي] ،
and I am in need of Thy Mercy	وَ أَنَا فَقِيرٌ إِلَى رَحْمَتِكَ،
Bless Muhammad and his Progeny	فَصَلِّ عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ وَ آلِهِ،
And by Thy Grace show generosity to Thy servant,	وَ جُدْ عَلَى عَبْدِكَ بِفَضْلِكَ،
surely You are the most Generous	إِنَّكَ ذُو فَضْلٍ عَظِيمٍ.