

بِسْمِ اللّٰهِ الرَّحْمٰنِ الرَّحِیْمِ

O' my Provision in time of hardship

يَا عُدَّتِيْ عِنْدَ شِدَّتِيْ

Yaa Ud'-da-tee in-da shid'-da-tee

O' my help in the face of disaster

يَا غَوْثِيْ عِنْدَ كُرْبَتِيْ

Yaa Ghou-thee in-da kur-ba-tee

Guard me with Your Eye that never sleeps

أَحْرُسْنِيْ بِعَيْنِكَ الَّتِيْ لَا تَنَامُ

Uh'rusni bi ainikal-latee laa tanaam

Surround me with Your impenetrable Fortress.

وَإِكْنُفْنِيْ بِرُكْنِكَ الَّذِيْ لَا يُرَامُ

wak'nuf'nee bi ruknikal-ladee laa yu-raam

(End of Dua)

Al-Raabi relates that Imam Jafar As-Saadiq A.S. quietly recited the above Dua when confronted by an angry tyrannical ruler, the anger of the tyrant melted away as Imam walked towards him, and he appeared pleased with the Imam. On asking what he recited, the Imam said that above was the prayer of his great ancestor Al-Husain bin Ali A.S.

Al-Raabi reports that he memorized the Dua, and whenever he fell into hard times he recited it, and Allah swt relieved his distress.