

Chapter on the Walking of Sayyidina Rasullullah Sallallahu 'Alayhi Wasallam

The walk of Sayyidina Rasullullah sallallahu alaihe wasallam has been described in the chapter on the noble features of Sayyidina Rasullullah sallallahu alaihe wasallam. In this chapter it has been described specifically. The author writes three narrations in this chapter.

(116) HADITH 1

Hazrat Abu Hurairah radiyallahu anhu says, "I did not see anyone more handsome as Rasullullah sallallahu alaihe wasallam. It was as if the brightness of the sun had shone from his auspicious face. I did not see anyone walk faster than him, as if the earth folded for him. A few moments ago he would be here, and then there. We found it difficult to keep pace when we walked with him, and he walked at his normal pace."

Commentary

That means we could only with effort keep up with his normal pace walking.

(117) Hadith Number 2

Ebrahim bin Muhammad says: "When 'Ali Radiyallahu 'Anhu described Rasulallah Sallallahu 'Alayhi Wasallam, he used to say: Rasulallah Sallallahu 'Alayhi Wasallam walked, he lifted his leg with vigour. He did not drag his feet on the ground like women do. When he walked, because of the speed and force of the legs, it seemed as if he was descending from a high place".

Commentary

This has been discussed in the chapter on the ' Noble features Sayyidina Rasulallah Sallallahu 'Alayhi Wasallam.

(118) Hadith Number 3

Ali bin Abi Taalib Radiyallahu 'Anhu' says: "When Rasulallah Sallallahu Alayhi Wasallam walked he bent slightly forward as if he was descending from a high place".

Commentary

This has been explained in the previous ahaadith.