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بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

Muhammad al-Khateeb said, “One time I was working on the roof of the Shaykh’s (رَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ)¹ house to fix some things. I was carrying a heavy rod from one place to another. Then [all of a sudden] the rod overwhelmed me and I was almost, were it not for the grace of Allaah, about to fall off the top of the roof. Later the Shaykh (رَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ) found out about what had happened, so he thanked Allaah that I was safe and quickly fell into prostration out of thankfulness, his eyes then swelled up with tears, crying. He then took out one hundred dinars and gave them to me.”²

¹ (رَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ) (rahimahullaah) May Allaah have mercy on him

² *Al-Imaam al-Albaanee, Duroos wa Mawaaqif wa Ibar*, p. 167

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