
Shaykh al-Albaanee (رَحِمَهُ اللهُ) talking while asleep ...

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Shaykh al-Albaanee's (رَحِمَهُ اللهُ)¹ son, Abdul-Lateef, mentioned that his father:

"... used to say in his sleep, 'Bring me the book entitled 'Al-Ilal. Bring me the book entitled such and such. Bring me the book entitled such and such. Bring me the book entitled 'Al-Jarh wat-Ta'deel.' And one time he said while he was asleep and while he was moving his hand as someone writing would, 'Bring [the book] Sunan Abee Daawood and the problem will be solved.'

One time he said to me whilst he was asleep, 'Bring the first volume of the book Al-Targheeb and Tarheeb.' So I brought it. He then said to me, 'Open it,' and I did. He said, 'Look at one, two, three ahaadeeth. Are these approximately equal in length?' So I said, 'No. There is one amongst them which is long.' He said, 'Go ...' – this is during sleep, he is talking whilst he is asleep. I then said to him, 'This third hadeeth is long.' So he asked, 'Who narrated it?' I replied, 'So and so.' Then he said, 'Enough. Return the book.'"

All of this was when he was asleep!"²

¹ (رَحِمَهُ اللهُ) (rahimahullaah) May Allaah have mercy on him

² *Al-Imaam al-Albaanee, Duroos wa Mawaaqif wa Ibar*, pp. 65-66.