

DUA FOR ISTIKHARAH FOM HOLY QURAN

It is worth mentioning that 'Allamah al-Majlisi has reported from some books written by our scholars on the authority of a book handwritten by Shaykh Yusuf al-'Uthmani on the authority of a book handwritten by Ayatollah 'Allamah who said that Imam al-Sadiq (a) is reported to have said:

If you intend for Istikharah() from the Mighty Book (i.e. the Holy Qur'an), you may say this supplicatory prayer:

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ إِنْ كَانَ فِي قَضَائِكَ وَقَدْرِكَ
أَنْتُمْ عَلَى شَيْعَةِ الْمُحَمَّدِ عَلَيْهِمُ السَّلَامُ بِفَرَجٍ وَلَيْكَ وَ
حُجَّتِكَ عَلَى خَلْقِكَ فَأَخْرِجِ الْيَتِيمَ آيَةً مِنْ كِتَابِكَ نَسْتَدِلُّ
بِهَا عَلَى ذَلِكَ-

You may then open the copy of the Holy Qur'an, count six pages, count six lines of the seventh page, and see what is written therein."