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4 other true stories with  
harms of video games

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### Du'ā for Reading the Book

Read the following Du'ā (supplication) before you study a religious book or an Islamic lesson, you will remember whatever you study, بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

اللَّهُمَّ افْتَحْ عَلَيْنَا حِكْمَتَكَ وَأَنْشُرْ  
عَلَيْنَا رَحْمَتَكَ يَا ذَا الْجَلَالِ وَالْإِكْرَامِ

**Translation:** Yā Allah عَدَّوَجَلَّ! Open the doors of knowledge and wisdom for us, and have mercy on us! O the One who is the most Honourable and Glorious! (*Al-Mustatraf, vol. 1, pp. 40*) **Note:** Recite Ṣalāt-‘Alan-Nabī ﷺ once before and after the Du'ā.

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أَلْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ وَالصَّلَاةُ وَالسَّلَامُ عَلَى سَيِّدِ الْمُرْسَلِينَ  
أَمَّا بَعْدُ فَأَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

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### 1. Child spat into well

Sayyidunā Shaykh Muhammad Bin Sulaymān Jazūlī عَلَيْهِ رَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ الْوَالِي has said, ‘I was on a journey. The time of Ṣalāh came at a place. There was a well but no bucket and rope. I was in anxiety. Meanwhile, a girl looked from the top of a house and asked, ‘What are you looking for?’ I replied, ‘Rope and bucket.’ She asked my name. I replied: Muhammad Bin Sulaymān Jazūlī. The girl said surprisingly, ‘My goodness! You are the one who is very renowned but your condition

is that you cannot even take out water from the well!’ Saying this she spat into the well. The water suddenly and amazingly rose up. After he made Wuḍū he asked the girl, ‘Daughter! Tell me truly. How have you got this miracle?’ She replied, ‘I recite Ṣalāt-‘Alan-Nabī in abundance. By virtue of it, this miracle has taken place.’

Sayyidunā Shaykh Muhammad Bin Sulaymān Jazūlī عَلَيْهِ رَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ الْوَلِيِّ goes onto say, ‘Impressed by the girl I made a firm intention to write a book about Ṣalāt-‘Alan-Nabī.’ (He عَلَيْهِ رَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ then wrote the book of Ṣalāt-‘Alan-Nabī entitled ‘*Dalāil-ul-Khayrāt*’.)

*(Sa’ādat-ud-Dārayn, pp. 159)*

May Allah عَزَّوَجَلَّ have mercy on them and forgive us without accountability for their sake!

آمِينَ بِجَاهِ النَّبِيِّ الْأَمِينِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ

صَلُّوا عَلَى الْحَبِيبِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ تَعَالَى عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ

### Excellent gift for devotees of Ṣalāt-o-Salām

Dear children: **سُبْحَانَ اللَّهِ!** You have noticed! What a great privilege was granted to the Madanī girl by the blessings of reciting Ṣalāt-‘Alan-Nabī. She spat into the well, and the water of the well rose. Dear children! Keep it in mind that the Madanī girl was blessed with special grace of Allah عَزَّوَجَلَّ and was able enough to cause the water rise by spitting into the well. As for ordinary people like us, we should not

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spit into any pool, pond or well. Like that Madanī girl, we should also make a habit of sending more and more Ṣalāt to the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ. We should try our level best to recite Ṣalāt-‘Alan-Nabī whether we are standing, walking, sitting or lying.

**(Ruling:** If you recite Ṣalāt-‘Alan-Nabī or any other invocation when lying, you should fold your legs.)

*Ẓikr-o-Durūd hār ghāṛī wīrd-e-zabān rahāy*

*Mayrī fuzūl goī kī ‘ādat nikāl do*

*May I always make Ẓikr and recite Ṣalāt-‘Alan-Nabī*

*May I be freed from the habit of useless talking*

صَلُّوا عَلَى الْحَبِيبِ صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ





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## 2. Luminous face

The Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ was first fed by Sayyidatunā Bibī Āminah رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهَا for seven days; then by Šuwaybah رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهَا for few days and then by Sayyidatunā Bibī Ḥalimah رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهَا till the age of two. Regarding the holy childhood of the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ, Bibī Ḥalimah رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهَا has stated: ‘The beautiful and brilliant face of the Beloved Prophet Muhammad صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ used to shine so much at night that there was no need for a lamp for lighting. One day, our neighbour Umm-e-Khawlah Sa’diyah asked me, ‘O Ḥalimah! A type of bright and brilliant light emanates from your home the whole night. Do you light fire at your home at night?’ Bibī Ḥalimah رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهَا replied, ‘It is not the light of fire but that

of the brilliant face of Muhammad صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ.’

*(Derived from: Tafsīr Alam Nashrah, pp. 107)*

Dear children! Allah Almighty عَزَّوَجَلَّ has created His Beloved Prophet Muhammad صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ with Nūr. Our Noble Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ is undoubtedly a human being but a Nūr-created one and the greatest of all human beings.

*Nūr wālā āyā hay hān Nūr lay kar āyā hay  
Sāray ‘ālam mayn yeḥ daykhō kaysā Nūr chāyā hay*

*A great human being has come with Nūr  
And has brightened the whole world with Nūr*

صَلُّوا عَلَى الْحَبِيبِ صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ

# BLESSED HANDS AND SICK CAMEL



### 3. Blessed Hands and sick camel

Sayyidatunā Bībī Ḥalimah رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهَا has stated: As I entered my home with the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ, musk began to emanate from all the houses of the tribe Banū Sa'd. People's hearts were filled with affection for Beloved Mustafa صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ. They developed so strong belief in his blessings that if anyone had a pain in any of his body parts, he would hold the blessed hand of the Holy Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ and place it onto the painful area, curing it immediately by the grace of Allah عَزَّوَجَلَّ. If a camel or a goat of them fell ill, they had the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ stroke it, curing it. (*As-Sīrat-ul-Ḥalbiyah*, vol. 1, pp. 135)

## **Eight astonishing miracles of Blessed Hands**

Dear children! You have noticed the blessing of the holy hands of the Holy Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ! Let me tell you eight more miracles of the blessed hands of the Noble Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ:

1. During a Ghazwah<sup>1</sup>, an arrow hit an eye of Sayyidunā Qatādaḥ رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهُ, a beloved companion, which resulted in the eye coming out of its socket. The Healer of all Healers, the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ took the eye in his blessed hand and placed it into its socket. He صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ then made

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<sup>1</sup> The war in which our Beloved Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ participated himself is called a Ghazwah.

Du'ā, joining the eye to its socket perfectly and making its vision better than even the other one.

2. Once a Qāfilaḥ entered the blessed court of the Beloved Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ. One of the travellers of the Qāfilaḥ was ill and used to have fits. Tapping his blessed hand on the back of the patient, the Prophet of Raḥmah صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ said (whilst addressing the 'evil' present inside the body of the patient), 'Get out! O the enemy of Allah.' Then the Noble Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ stroked the face of the patient. By the blessings of this, the patient recovered and became so healthy and handsome that no one else in the Qāfilaḥ was better than him.
3. Once the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ stroked the broken shin of a

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companion Sayyidunā ‘Abdullāh Bin ‘Atīk رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهُ, the broken shin healed and it seemed as if nothing had ever happened to it.

4. Once the Holy Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ stroked the chickenpox-affected face of a beloved companion Sayyidunā Abyaḍ Bin Ḥammāl رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهُ. His face healed immediately. Even the spots left by chickenpox disappeared.
5. On different occasions, the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ gave some companions sticks or small branches of trees with his blessed hand and those sticks or branches turned into swords.
6. Once he صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ stroked the face of a person and it became bright and brilliant.



7. Once he صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ stroked a patient. By its blessings, the patient became healthy and his body became fragrant.
8. When the Noble Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ stroked the chest of a companion Sayyidunā ‘Uṣmān Bin Abul ‘Āṣ رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهُ his memory became very strong. (*Al-Burhān, pp. 373 to 397, Mulakhkhaṣan*)

*Zarā cheḥray say pardaḥ to ḥatāo Yā Rasūlallāḥ*  
*Ḥamayn dīdār to apnā karāo Yā Rasūlallāḥ*

*Reveal your blessed and brilliant face, Yā Rasūlallāḥ*  
*Grant us the privilege of beholding you, Yā Rasūlallāḥ*

صَلُّوا عَلَى الْحَبِيبِ صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ



**AS IF THE SHE-CAMEL  
SPOKE!**

#### 4. As if the she-camel spoke!

A cousin of the Beloved and Blessed Prophet and a beloved companion, Sayyidunā ‘Abdullāh Ibn ‘Abbās رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهُمَا has said, ‘Once the Holy Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ got separated from his grandfather Sayyidunā ‘Abdul Muṭṭalib رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهُ in a valley of Makkaḥ Mukarramaḥ. Having searched in vain, the grandfather came back to Makkaḥ Mukarramaḥ and then prayed tearfully clinging to the curtains of the Ka’baḥ for the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ to be found. Meanwhile, Abū Jahḥ, an infamous unbeliever, who was returning on a she-camel from the herd of his goats saw the Beloved Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ. Sitting his she-camel, he sat the Noble Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ behind him and tried to make it get up but it did not. When he sat the Holy Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ in front of him, the

she-camel stood up. It is as if the she-camel said to Abū Jah̄l: O foolish person! He صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ is the Imām. How can he be behind a Muqtadī!

Sayyidunā ‘Abdullāh Ibn ‘Abbās رَضِيَ اللهُ تَعَالَى عَنْهُمَا has further said, ‘As Allah Almighty عَزَّوَجَلَّ made Sayyidunā Mūsā Kalīmullāh عَلَى نَبِيِّنَا وَعَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ meet his mother through pharaoh, He عَزَّوَجَلَّ made the Beloved and Blessed Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ meet his grandfather through Abū Jah̄l. (*Rūh-ul-Ma’ānī, Juz 30, pp. 532*)

### Madanī pearls from the true story

Dear children! Have you seen the omnipotence (i.e. power) of Allah Almighty عَزَّوَجَلَّ! Through Abū Jah̄l, Allah Almighty عَزَّوَجَلَّ made His Beloved Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ meet his grandfather. Certainly, Allah عَزَّوَجَلَّ does whatever He عَزَّوَجَلَّ wants. It has also become evident that even animals realize reverence

for the Holy Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ but to hell with those unwise and unable human beings who do not realize it. A perfect Walī and a true devotee of Rasūl, A'lā Ḥaḍrat Maulānā Shāh Imām Aḥmad Razā Khān عَلَيْهِ رَحْمَةُ الرَّحْمٰن has stated on page 112 of his Na'at collection 'Ḥadāiq-e-Bakhshish':

*Apnay Maulā kī ḥay bas shān 'aẓīm jānwar bhī  
karayn jin kī ta'ẓīm  
Sang kartay ḥayn adab say taslīm payṣ sajdāy  
mayn girā kartay ḥayn*

**Explanation of Kalām-e-Razā:** See the glory of the Beloved Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ! Animals revere him; stones salute him with immense respect and trees bow down in Sajdaḥ in front of him.

صَلُّوا عَلَى الْحَبِيبِ صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ

THE BELOVED PROPHET ﷺ HIT  
THE GROUND WITH HIS HEEL AND  
SPRING WATER GUSHED OUT



## 5. The Beloved Prophet ﷺ hit the ground with his heel and spring water gushed out

Abū Ṭālib who was the uncle of the Holy Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ has said, 'I was once present with my nephew at a place called 'Zul-Majāz'. Suddenly I was thirsty. I told Muhammad Mustafa (صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ), 'O my nephew! I am thirsty.' I had informed him of it in order not to ask him for water because he had no water but to share my problem.

Abū Ṭālib has further said, 'As he صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ listened to me, he immediately got off his horse and said, 'O uncle! Are you thirsty?' I said, 'Yes'. Listening to this, Sayyidunā Muhammad صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ hit the ground with his blessed heel, and water gushed out. He صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ then said to me, 'O uncle!

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Drink water.’ So I drank the water. (*Aṭ-Ṭabqāt-ul-Kubrā li-Ibn Sa’d, vol. 1, pp. 121; Ibn ‘Asākir, vol. 66, pp. 308*)

The joint connecting the foot to the leg is called an ankle, whereas the back part of the foot below the ankle is called a heel.

صَلُّوا عَلَى الْحَبِيبِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ تَعَالَى عَلَى مُحَمَّدٍ

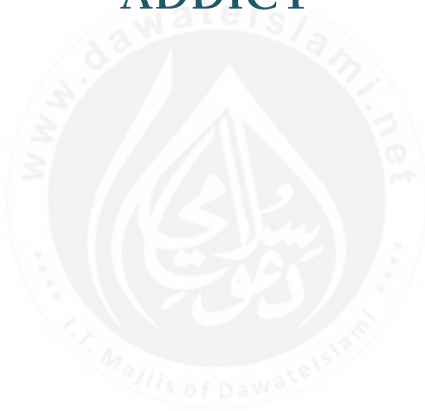
### Eyesight never goes weak

If a person looks up to the sky after making Wuḍū and recites Sūrah Qadr, his eyesight will never become weak, *إِنْ شَاءَ اللَّهُ عَزَّوَجَلَّ*.

(*Masāil-ul-Quran, pp. 291*)



# I WAS VIDEO GAME ADDICT



## I was video game addict

An Islamic brother from Shakargarh district Narowal, Punjab, (Pakistan) has stated: In my childhood, I used to waste plenty of time playing video games. I did not use to offer Ṣalāh regularly. Fortune smiled on me when my father had me admitted to a Madrasa-tul-Madīnah. **اَلْحَمْدُ لِلّٰهِ** I first finished the Nāzīrah of the Holy Quran and then became Hāfīz. In addition, I learned good manners. **اَلْحَمْدُ لِلّٰهِ** By the blessing of the Madrasa-tul-Madīnah of Dawat-e-Islami, I have started offering the five-daily Ṣalāh regularly and wearing the Madanī dress. The one who used to miss all Ṣalāh is enjoying today even Nafl Ṣalāh such as Tahajjud, Ishrāq and Chāsht.

After I received the blessing of Dawat-e-Islami, I tried individually upon the father of a child so that he

could also get admitted his son to the Madrasa-tul-Madīnah. At first he refused but when I gave him my own example as to how I have started offering Ṣalāh regularly and wearing Madanī dress by the blessings of Dawat-e-Islami, whereas I used to miss Ṣalāh and wander pointlessly bareheaded in past, so he was inspired and had his son admitted to the Madrasa-tul-Madīnah where his son completed the Nāẓirah of the Holy Quran and is now becoming Hāfiẓ. **اَلْحَمْدُ لِلّٰهِ**, By the time of the writing of this account, I am also a student of Dars-e-Nizāmī at a Jāmi'a-tul-Madīnah.

*Allah **عَزَّوَجَلَّ** karam aysā karay tujh pay jāhān mayn*

*Ay Dawat-e-Islami tayrī dhūm machī ho*

*May Allah **عَزَّوَجَلَّ** bless Dawat-e-Islami with such grace*

*That it becomes glorious at each and every place!*

## Video game

Dear children! You must have noticed that the child who was a video game addict started offering Ṣalāh and became a righteous and pious child by the blessings of the Madanī environment of a Madrasa-tul-Madīnah of Dawat-e-Islami. You should also associate yourself with the Madanī environment of Dawat-e-Islami forever. Allah عَزَّوَجَلَّ forbid if you are in the habit of playing video games, try your level best to give it up.

## Loss of religion and faith through video games

Very few children are aware of the fact that the enemies of Islam are producing games in order to ruin the new generation of Islam. These games are aimed at taking Muslim children away from Islamic teachings even inciting hatred in their hearts against

Islam. For instance, some of the characters of the game are shown killing those characters dressed in Islamic clothing with beards, caps or turbans. Sometimes, Islamic characters are shown as terrorists, and the video game-playing person sees all these scenes on the screen. Will these games increase or decrease love for Islam in the heart of the video game-playing person? The answer of this can better be obtained from one's own conscience.

### **Diseases caused by video games**

The video game-playing person can suffer from eyesight-weakness, cramp in muscles and headache.

### **Terrible disasters of video games**

Due to repeatedly watching the immodestly-dressed characters of the video games, the cleanness of

children's mind drowns into the dirty mire of shamelessness, causing them to become addicts of unlawful gazing. Furthermore, drug dealers also have an easy access to video game clubs and many children and boys become their victims. Some are trapped so badly that they are unable to get rid of them throughout their life. At such places, 'dirty things' are done to the children. Those who go there secretly without informing their family members particularly become the victims of dirty-minded people. As a result of playing the games full of fighting, killing and violence, children either lose or lack kindheartedness, tolerance and forgiveness. Influenced by watching these character-spoiling games, sometimes immature teenagers get involved in the crimes of theft, plundering, dirty things and even murder.

## **Video games teach bloodshed**

Video games often contain scenes of brutality and cruelty. In some games, some of the characters are shown kneeling before 'the hero' and begging him for mercy in an imploring manner but he shoots them down mercilessly. In order to reach the final round, the playing person shoots everyone. There is blood everywhere and the playing one keeps enjoying all such things. In some games, the hero driving a car runs over people. In some games, extremely terrible and horrible scenes like slaughtering humans and cutting their heads off are shown.

In some games, the scenes of houses and bridges being blown up by bombs are shown. Are all these things not harmful to the delicate and sensitive minds of children? Of course, it will not be pointless to say

that the rapidly growing crimes in society have a very closer link with video games.

### **Acknowledgment from Americans**

According to a research carried out in America, 80% people like playing games containing scenes of actions, fighting and violence. An American psychologist has said, 'We consider computer games only a pastime but unfortunately they are taking our society to a wrong direction. We are teaching our children all those things through computer games which can be learned much later on through any other means. Children not only become aware and familiar with different types of modern weapons but they also learn how to shoot humans and animals.'



## Fourteen admonitory incidents of curse of video games

(The names of people and video games are omitted.)

1. Two students of 17 and 18 years of age from Columbian High School murdered 12 students and a teacher on 20<sup>th</sup> April 1999. Habitual of playing a video game, both of them committed this terrible crime in the same way as they had seen in the game.
2. In April 2000, a Spanish boy murdered his parents and a sister with 'katana sword' copying the hero of a video game.
3. In November 2001, an American aged 21 committed suicide. His mother remarked that he was a video game addict.

## Luminous Face

4. In February 2003, a 16-year-old American boy influenced by a video game murdered a girl.
5. On 7<sup>th</sup> June 2003, an 18-year-old boy shot two policemen dead. Finally, he was arrested with a stolen car.
6. On 25<sup>th</sup> June 2003, two American step brothers aged 14 and 16 killed a 45-year-old woman and injured a 16-year-old girl with a rifle. They both were imitating what they had watched on a game.
7. In Leicester, England, on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2007, a 17-year-old boy took a 14-year-old boy to a park and killed him with the repeated attacks of a hammer and a knife. After the investigation, it came out that the boy was influenced by a video game.

8. On 27<sup>th</sup> December 2004, a 13-year-old boy committed suicide by jumping from the top of a 24-storey building. He had been playing a video game for 36 hours before he committed suicide.
9. In August 2005, a South Korean man kept playing a video game for 50 hours and died whilst still playing the game.
10. In January 2006, two young boys aged 18 had a bet on a car race in the streets of Toronto, Canada, copying what they had seen on a video game. There was an accident during the car race, which claimed the life of a taxi driver.
11. In September 2007, a Chinese man played a video game online for three days. Finally, the addiction of the game took his life.

12. In December 2007, a Russian had a bet on a fight copying a video game and was killed in the fight.
13. On 14<sup>th</sup> April 2009, a 9-year-old boy from Brooklyn, New York jumped from the roof of a building with a defective parachute copying a video game and died as a result.
14. In March 2010, a 3-year-old little girl began to play with the gun of her father considering it as a remote control and lost her life from a bullet fired from the gun.

(All these pieces of news have been taken from generation next online magazine, October 2010.)

Dear children! You have read the religious and worldly losses of video games. Now make up your mind like

good children to refrain from video games forever. This way you will be saving your money and precious time besides gaining the betterment of your afterlife. Yā Allah عَزَّوَجَلَّ! For the sake of the Beloved Prophet صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ! Make Muslims get rid of the nasty habit of playing, watching and showing video games.

*Video games say Khudā-e-Pāk sab bachchay bachayn  
Naykiyān kartay rahāyñ achchāy banayñ sīdhāy banayñ*

*May all children refrain from video games, O Almighty  
May they become pious and truthful with sincerity*

صَلُّوا عَلَى الْحَبِيبِ صَلَّى اللهُ تَعَالَى عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ

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## Transliteration Chart

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|---|-------|---|-------|-----------|------|
| ء | A/a   | ڑ | Ř/ř   | ل         | L/l  |
| ا | A/a   | ز | Z/z   | م         | M/m  |
| ب | B/b   | ژ | X/x   | ن         | N/n  |
| پ | P/p   | س | S/s   | و         | V/v, |
| ت | T/t   | ش | Sh/sh |           | W/w  |
| ٹ | Ṭ/ṭ   | ص | Ş/ş   | ه / ہ / ۀ | Ĥ/ĥ  |
| ث | Ṣ/ṣ   | ض | Ḍ/ḍ   | ی         | Y/y  |
| ج | J/j   | ط | Ṭ/ṭ   | ے         | Y/y  |
| چ | Ch    | ظ | Ẓ/ẓ   | َ         | A/a  |
| ح | Ḥ/ḥ   | ع | ‘     | ُ         | U/u  |
| خ | Kh/kh | غ | Gh/gh | ِ         | I/i  |
| د | D/d   | ف | F/f   | و مدّہ    | Ū/ū  |
| ڈ | Ḍ/ḍ   | ق | Q/q   | ی مدّہ    | Ī/ī  |
| ذ | Ẓ/ẓ   | ك | K/k   | ا مدّہ    | Ā/ā  |
| ر | R/r   | گ | G/g   |           |      |