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Shamsi Letters



These fourteen letters are called Shamsi letters: ش، ذ، ظ، ت، د، ط، ز، س، ص، ل، ن، ر. The Makhrāj of each of these letters is close to that of ل. Therefore, when ال (the definite article 'the') is followed by any of these letters, ال is dropped for ease of pronunciation and a Shaddah is applied on the letter. The best example for this is: أَلشَّمْسُ (ash-shams). Note that Shaddah is stronger help sign than Madd. Therefore, skip the Madd or any other letter in between which has no sign.

In two words	In one word	Shamsi Letters
بِالْقَوْلِ الثَّابِتِ	وَعَلَى الثَّلَاثَةِ	ث وَالثَّمَرَاتِ
with the firm words	and on the three	and the fruits
غَافِرِ الذَّنْبِ	مِنَ الذَّهَبِ	ذ لِلذِّكْرِ
إِلَّا الظَّنَّ	مِنَ الظَّالِمِينَ	ظ وَالظَّاهِرِ
أُنزِلَتِ التَّوْرَةُ	أَهْلُ التَّقْوَى	ت وَالتَّيْنِ
يَوْمِ الدِّينِ	فِي الدُّنْيَا	د وَالذَّمِّ
وَالْبَلَدِ الطَّيِّبِ	مِّنَ الطَّيِّبَاتِ	ط وَالطُّورِ
شَجَرَةَ الزُّقُومِ	وَاتُّوا الزُّكُورَةَ	ز وَالزَّيْتُونَ

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س وَالسَّمَاءَ خَلَقَ السَّمَوَاتِ سَوَاءَ السَّبِيلِ

ص بِالصَّبْرِ أَقِيمُوا الصَّلَاةَ وَالْعَمَلَ الصَّالِحَ

ل وَاللَّيْلِ هُوَ اللَّطِيفُ وَلَهُمُ اللَّعْنَةُ

ن وَالنَّهَارِ رَبِّ النَّاسِ عَذَابِ النَّارِ

ر وَالرُّوحِ هُوَ الرَّحْمَنُ أَمِنَ الرَّسُولُ

ش وَالشَّمْسِ مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ حُبِّ الشَّهَوَاتِ

ض وَالضُّحَى فِي الضَّلَلَةِ وَلَا الضَّالِّينَ