

Chapter Thirty-Five

Section in relation to the signs of the Prophet صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ in his blessed hearing

1. Imam Tirmidhi (d. 297 AH), Imam Ibn Majah (d. 273 AH), and Imam Abu Nu'aym (d. 430 AH) عَلَيْهِمُ الرِّضْوَانُ extracted a narration from Sayyiduna Abu Dhar رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُ who stated that the Messenger of Allah صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ said, "Indeed I see what you do not see and I hear what you do not hear. The sky trembles and it is deserving to tremble. There is not a place of four fingers on the sky except that there is an angel placing its forehead in prostration to Allah عَزَّوَجَلَّ."
2. Imam Abu Nu'aym (d. 430 AH) extracted a narration from Hakeem ibn Hizaam who stated that whilst the Prophet صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ was amongst the companions, he said to them, "Do you hear what I hear?" They said, "We do not hear anything." The Prophet صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَآلِهِ وَسَلَّمَ said, "Indeed I hear the trembling of the sky and it is not criticised for trembling. There is not an area of a hand span upon it except that there is an angel there in Sajdah (prostrating) or standing in pray (standing).