



DUA WHEN PUTTING ON CLOTHES

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أَلْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ الَّذِي كَسَانِي هَذَا الثَّوْبَ وَرَزَقَنِيهِ مِنْ
غَيْرِ حَوْلٍ مِنِّي وَلَا قُوَّةٍ

All praise is due to Allah who has provided this garment and granted it without any effort or power from me.

[Abu Dawud]

DISCUSSION POINTS

- Clothing provides many benefits, including modesty, protection, and a way to express ourselves.
- The function of clothing ourselves arises through many steps beginning with the natural materials required to make it and ending with the ability to purchase and put on the clothing.
- This supplication reminds us that every step involved in clothing is only due to Allah Most High and provides us with a simple way to acknowledge this and express our gratitude.
- Additionally, we learn from the Hadith of the Prophet (Allah bless him and grant him peace) that recitation of this supplication leads to forgiveness of sins.
- Hence, as we physically clothe ourselves to hide our immodesty, we are also provided with the opportunity to cover our shameful acts through the mercy of Allah Most High.