

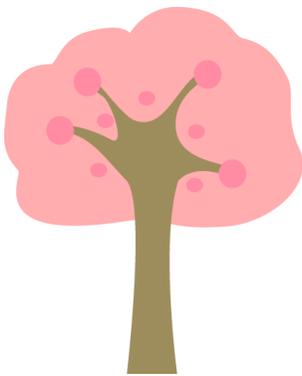
The One Who Will Make Allah Laugh

A *hadith* is something that the Prophet (peace be upon him) said. *Hadith Qudsi* are special *hadith*. They are *hadith* in which the Prophet tells us what *Allah* said.

Have you ever imagined what Jannah would be like? What do you think you will get in Jannah? Let's hear a story about the person who will be the last to enter it.

Allah says that the last person to enter Jannah will be a man who walks once and **stumbles** once and will have been burnt by the fire once. When he gets away from the fire, he will turn to it and say, "Blessed is He who has saved me from you and has given me what He gave nobody in the earlier or later times."

He will then see a tree and he will say, "O my Lord! Bring me closer to this tree so that I may take shade in its shelter and drink from its water." Allah will say, "O son of Adam, if I give you this, you will **demand** something else from Me." The man will promise Allah that he will not ask for anything else, so Allah will let him near the tree.



Then the man will see an even more beautiful tree than before, and he will ask Allah to bring him near to that one. Allah will say, "O son of Adam, didn't you promise me that you would not ask Me for anything else?" The man will reply, "I probably won't ask You for anything else if you bring me near it." So Allah will have mercy on him and let him come closer.

This will happen with yet *another* tree. When he is at the third tree, he will hear the voices of the people of Jannah, so he will ask Allah to let him go to them.

Allah will say to him: “O son of Adam, what will make you stop asking Me for things? Will it make you happy if I give you the whole world and a similar one along with it?”

When the Prophet (peace be upon him) told this story, he laughed and told the people that Allah would laugh similarly. The man will say to Allah, “Are you making fun of me, though you are the Lord of the worlds?”

Allah will say: “I am not making fun of you, but I am All-Capable to do whatever I wish.”

