

The Humility of ImÄ mu Dhahabi

Description

A beautiful example of the humility of the scholars is the example of ImÄ m Ad Dhahabi

What his contemporaries said concerning him:

Ibn KathÄ«r Said concerning him: â The Shaikh and great memoriser (of hadeeth), the Historian of Islam and the Shaikh of the Scholars of Hadeeth ShamsudÄ«n Abu Abdillah Muhammad Ibn UthmÄ n Ad Dhahabiâ ¦The one who was the seal of the scholars of hadeeth and its memorisers..â .

(Al BidÄ yah Wan NihÄ yah 18/500)

Ibn NÄ sirud dÄ«n Ad Damishqi said: â The Shaikh, the ImÄ m, The Great Magnanimous Memoriser, the one who benefited (the region of) ShÄ m, The historian of IslÄ m and critique of the scholars of hadÄ«th, the ImÄ m of those who praise and disparage, ShamsudÄ«n Abu Abdillahâ ¦â

(Ar Radd WÄ fir P31)

From his humility is that he added himself to his book concerning weak narrators â Dhailu DÄ«wÄ n Ad Dhuâ afÄ â .

He said concerning himself (345):

â Muhammad Ibn Ahmad Ibn UthmÄ n Al Faariqi (his own full name):

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â He has bad memory, he is not precise, neither is he God-fearing, May Allah pardon himâ

Rahimahullahu Rahmatan waasiâ ah

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