
Advice to those who spread tapes and books of innovators

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بِ هَلِّ الدَّرْحِ مِنَ لِحْيِمِ

In the name of Allaah, the Most Merciful, the Bestower of Mercy

Question: The questioner says: “What is your advice to those who spread the tapes and books of the innovators and those from the deviant methodologies, while abandoning the books of the virtuous Scholars?”

Shaykh Saalih al-Fawzaan (حفظه الله)¹: They are included with:

لَّذِينَ يُلْفِتُونَ مَا نُزِّلْنَا مِنْ الْبَيِّنَاتِ وَالْهُدَى

[Those who conceal the clear proofs, evidences and the guidance]²

It is obligatory to spread beneficial knowledge that which contains benefits for the slaves, and guidance for the slaves to that which is good. As for spreading misguidance and spreading fitnah and animosity between the people, then this is concealment of authentic knowledge and spreading corrupt and harmful knowledge. We ask Allaah for safety and security.

¹ حفظه الله May Allaah the Most High preserve him

² سورة البقرة Soorah al-Baqarah [2:159]