

In the name of Allah, the Compassionate, the merciful  
**CALENDAR FOR RAMAZAN-UL-MUBARAK, 1434 A.H.**

(July - August, 2013)

Date Ramazan	Date (July / Aug.)	Days	Sahar	Aftaar	Beginning of Isha
1	July 11	Thursday	3:50	7:19	8:51
2	July 12	Friday	3:51	7:19	8:50
3	July 13	Saturday	3:51	7:19	8:50
4	July 14	Sunday	3:52	7:19	8:50
5	July 15	Monday	3:53	7:18	8:49
6	July 16	Tuesday	3:53	7:18	8:49
7	July 17	Wednesday	3:54	7:17	8:49
8	July 18	Thursday	3:55	7:17	8:48
9	July 19	Friday	3:55	7:17	8:48
10	July 20	Saturday	3:56	7:17	8:47
11	July 21	Sunday	3:57	7:16	8:46
12	July 22	Monday	3:58	7:16	8:46
13	July 23	Tuesday	3:58	7:16	8:45
14	July 24	Wednesday	3:59	7:15	8:45
15	July 25	Thursday	4:00	7:15	8:44
16	July 26	Friday	4:01	7:14	8:43
17	July 27	Saturday	4:02	7:14	8:42
18	July 28	Sunday	4:02	7:13	8:41
19	July 29	Monday	4:03	7:12	8:41
20	July 30	Tuesday	4:04	7:12	8:40
21	July 31	Wednesday	4:05	7:12	8:39
22	August 01	Thursday	4:06	7:11	8:37
23	August 02	Friday	4:06	7:11	8:36
24	August 03	Saturday	4:07	7:10	8:35
25	August 04	Sunday	4:08	7:08	8:34
26	August 05	Monday	4:09	7:08	8:33
27	August 06	Tuesday	4:10	7:07	8:32
28	August 07	Wednesday	4:11	7:06	8:31
29	August 08	Thursday	4:12	7:06	8:30
30	August 09	Friday	4:13	7:04	8:29

**What is Ramazan ?**

Ramazan is the month, in which the Qur'an was sent down as a guide to the mankind with clear signs for (criterion for making) judgment (between right & wrong); So, everyone of you, who is present (at his home) during that month, should spend it in fasting, but if anyone is ill, or on a journey, the prescribed period should be made-up by the days later. Allah intends every facility for you and doesn't want to put you in the difficulties, He wants you to complete the prescribed period.

(Qur'an :- 2:185)

**Virtues & Importance of Ramazan**

1. The Prophet of Allah (S.A.W.) is reported to have said that if the people of my Ummah come to know the reality of Ramazan, they would wish that the whole year should become Ramazan.
2. The Prophet of Allah (S.A.W.) has also told that the value of "Amaal" in this month is raised so much so that the reward of one "Nafl" of this Holy month, becomes equal to the "Faraiz" of other months, & the reward of one "Farz" of this month becomes equal to 70 "faraiz" of other months.
3. The Prophet of Allah (S.A.W.) has also been reported to have said that fasting for the whole year other than Ramazan, can never become the return of a single "Roza" of Ramazan, if it has been willfully neglected without any excuse acceptable in Shariah.
4. The return of fasting is given by Allah Himself, and not by His Angels.

**Special Sunnah of this month**

Eating during the time of Sahar, listening to Qur'an in Taraveeh with Jama'ah (for men only) and searching for the "Shab-e-Qadr" during the last ten days of Ramazan, are the important & special Sunnah of this sacred month.

**Note:-** The time given in this calendar under "Sahar" is 05 minuets earlier than the last time of ending Sahar and that given under "Aftaar" is 02 minuets later than the actual time of beginning Aftaar, as a measure of precaution.

**Be careful in this month to protect your:**

- Eyes from watching the forbidden scenes & objects
- Tongue from speaking "lie" & "Back-biting (Gheebat)"
- Ears from listening to music & other forbidden voices
- Hands, feet & other parts of your body from doing wrong & forbidden actions

*Avoid excessive eating & drinking during "Aftaar" & "Sahar" to get concentration in your prayers. ---Learned Scholars*

**Du'aa at the time of beginning Roza:-**

Navaitu-an-asumu-ghadin-min-shahre-ramadaan

**Du'aa at the time of beginning Aftaar:-**

Allahumma-lakasuntu-wabika-aamantu-wa-alaika-tawakkaltu-wa-ala-rizquika-aftartu

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