

THE NAMES OF PROPHET MUHAMMAD

(PLEASE AND BLESSINGS BE UPON HIM)

Muhammad

Ahmad

al-Maahi

(the eraser)

*the
Prophet of
Mercy*

*the Prophet
of
Repentance*

*al-
Haashir*

the gatherer

al-‘Aaqib

the last

Prophet Muhammad has several names as mentioned in the hadith below:

It is narrated from Muhammad ibn Jubayr ibn Mut'im that his father (may Allah be pleased with him) said: The Messenger of Allah (blessings and peace of Allah be upon him) said: "I have five names: I am Muhammad, and Ahmad, and I am al-Maahi (the eraser) by means of whom Allah erases kufr, and I am al-Haashir (the gatherer) at whose feet the people will be gathered, and I am al-'Aaqib (the last)."

Saheeh al-Bukhaari (3532)

It was narrated that Abu Moosa al-Ash'ari (may Allah be pleased with him) said: The Messenger of Allah (blessings and peace of Allah be upon him) mentioned several of his names to us. He said: "I am Muhammad, and Ahmad, and al-Muqaffi (the last in succession) and al-Haashir (the gatherer) and the Prophet of Repentance and the Prophet of Mercy."

Narrated by Muslim (2355).