



## Sahih Bukhari English

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Muhammad Ibn Ismail al-Bukhari popularly known as Imam Bukhari, (810-870AD), was a Sunni Islamic scholar. He authored the Hadith collection named *Sahih Bukhari*, a collection which Sunni Muslims regard as the most authentic of all Hadith compilations. Bukhari wrote three works discussing narrators of Hadith with respect to their ability in conveying their material: the "brief compendium of Hadith narrators," "the medium compendium" and the "large compendium". The large compendium is published and well-identified.

## Debt Transference from One Person to Another

### Ahadith 3

(2287-2289)

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

In the name of Allah, Most Gracious, Most Merciful

## Al-Hawala

### Hadith # 2287

#### Narrated Abu Huraira:

The Prophet (ﷺ) said,

"Procrastination (delay) in paying debts by a wealthy man is injustice. So, if your debt is transferred from your debtor to a rich debtor, you should agree."

## If somebody's debt is transferred to a rich debtor

### Hadith # 2288

#### Narrated Abu Huraira:

The Prophet (ﷺ) said,

"Procrastination (delay) in paying debts by a wealthy person is injustice. So, if your debt is transferred from your debtor to a rich debtor, you should agree."

## If the debts due on a dead person are transferred to somebody, the transference is legal

### Hadith # 2289

#### Narrated Salama bin Al-Akwa:

Once, while we were sitting in the company of Prophet, a dead man was brought. The Prophet (ﷺ) was requested to lead the funeral prayer for the deceased.

He said, "Is he in debt?" The people replied in the negative.

He said, "Has he left any wealth?" They said, "No." So, he led his funeral prayer.

Another dead man was brought and the people said, "O Allah's Messenger (ﷺ)! Lead his funeral prayer."

The Prophet (ﷺ) said, "Is he in debt?" They said, "Yes."

He said, "Has he left any wealth?" They said, "Three Dinars." So, he led the prayer.

Then a third dead man was brought and the people said (to the Prophet (ﷺ)), Please lead his funeral prayer."

He said, "Has he left any wealth?" They said, "No."

He asked, "Is he in debt?" They said, ("Yes! He has to pay) three Dinars.',

He (refused to pray and) said, "Then pray for your (dead) companion."

Abu Qatada said, "O Allah's Messenger (ﷺ)! Lead his funeral prayer, and I will pay his debt." So, he led the prayer.



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