

The Dimensions of Al-Intezar

Understanding the Philosophy of Awaiting the Savior

From passive waiting to active preparation.

The Universal Instinct

The belief in a last-minute savior is a shared human instinct, reflected in everything from ancient mythology to modern pop culture figures like Superman or Robin Hood.

The Theological Reality

In Islamic theology, this concept is not a fiction. The Savior is already born, living among us, and has been present for over 1,200 years.

- Identity: The 12th Imam, Al-Mahdi (The Guided One).

The Savior is not a future possibility, but a present reality.

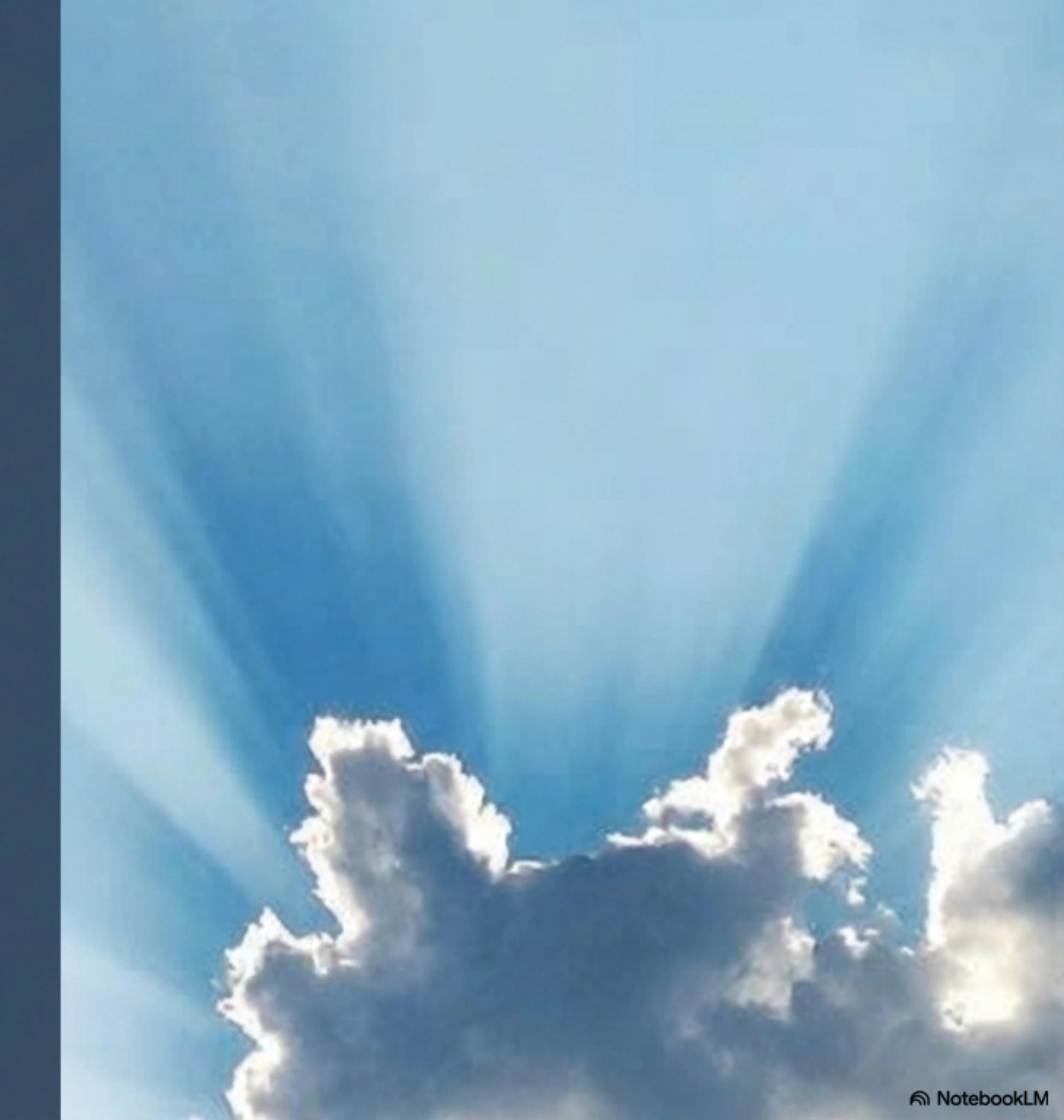
The Sun Behind the Clouds

Ghaybah (Occultation): A hidden or concealed state.

Hujjah (Proof): The Divine representative necessary to sustain the earth.

Just because the sun is hidden by clouds does not mean it ceases to exist or provide warmth. Though the Imam is concealed from our eyes, his guidance and benefit still reach us.

He is hidden from us, but we are not hidden from him.



The Wisdom of Concealment

Why is the Imam hidden?



Independence: To remain free from pledging allegiance to tyrants.



Safety: To protect the final guide from those seeking to destroy him.



Readiness: The delay is due to us, not him. The world is not yet ready to receive him.

"God does not decide to do things in a miraculous way unless the whole world is ready."

Redefining Intizar



The Misconception

Passing time idly
until the end of
the world.

INTIZAR

Root: To Look /
To Anticipate



The Reality

A state of high alert.
Looking forward to the
'Faraj' (Deliverance)
with active anticipation.

The Montazir (The Awaiting One) waits for
The Montavar (The Awaited One).

The Analogy of the Waiting Room



Imagine sitting in a doctor's waiting room. You know your name could be called at any second.

- ✓ You do not sleep.
- ✓ You do not relax or nap.
- ✓ You have your file ready in hand.
- ✓ You are prepared with exactly what to say.

True Intizar is a state of constant, prepared alertness.

Are You Ready for the Guest?

The ‘Party’ Filter:

If the Imam appeared right now, where would he find you?

If your current location or activity would cause embarrassment in his presence, you are not in a state of Intizar.

Sincerity means your lifestyle matches your request for his return.



The Myth of the Miraculous Fix

Does the Imam's arrival magically fix human behavior?

NO

- If that were the case, it would have happened for the Prophet.
 - The process requires blood, sweat, and struggle (Jihad).
The world changes when we change.

“And make ready against them
all you can of power.”

— Surah Al-Anfal, Ayah 60

“The best of the actions that our
Shī‘ahs can do is anticipate the
deliverance.” — Imam Al-Jawad

The Carpenter: Professional Readiness

The Global Islamic State will require experts—doctors, IT specialists, engineers, and builders.

Case Study: The Carpenter

A builder offered his skills to the community.

Years later, on short notice, he was the only one ready to paint and renovate. He was physically and professionally prepared to contribute.

Key Takeaway: Don't just pray.

Master a craft. Your profession is your tool for the future government.



Establishing Connection



Direct Speech

Speak to him in any language. He hears and guides within a split second.



The Letter ('ariyah)

Write a letter to the Imam. Place it in flowing water or a shrine to crystallize your thoughts and desires.



Ziyarah by Proxy

Imam's instruction:
“Whoever cannot see me,
visit the righteous believers.
You have visited me.”

We are never truly disconnected.

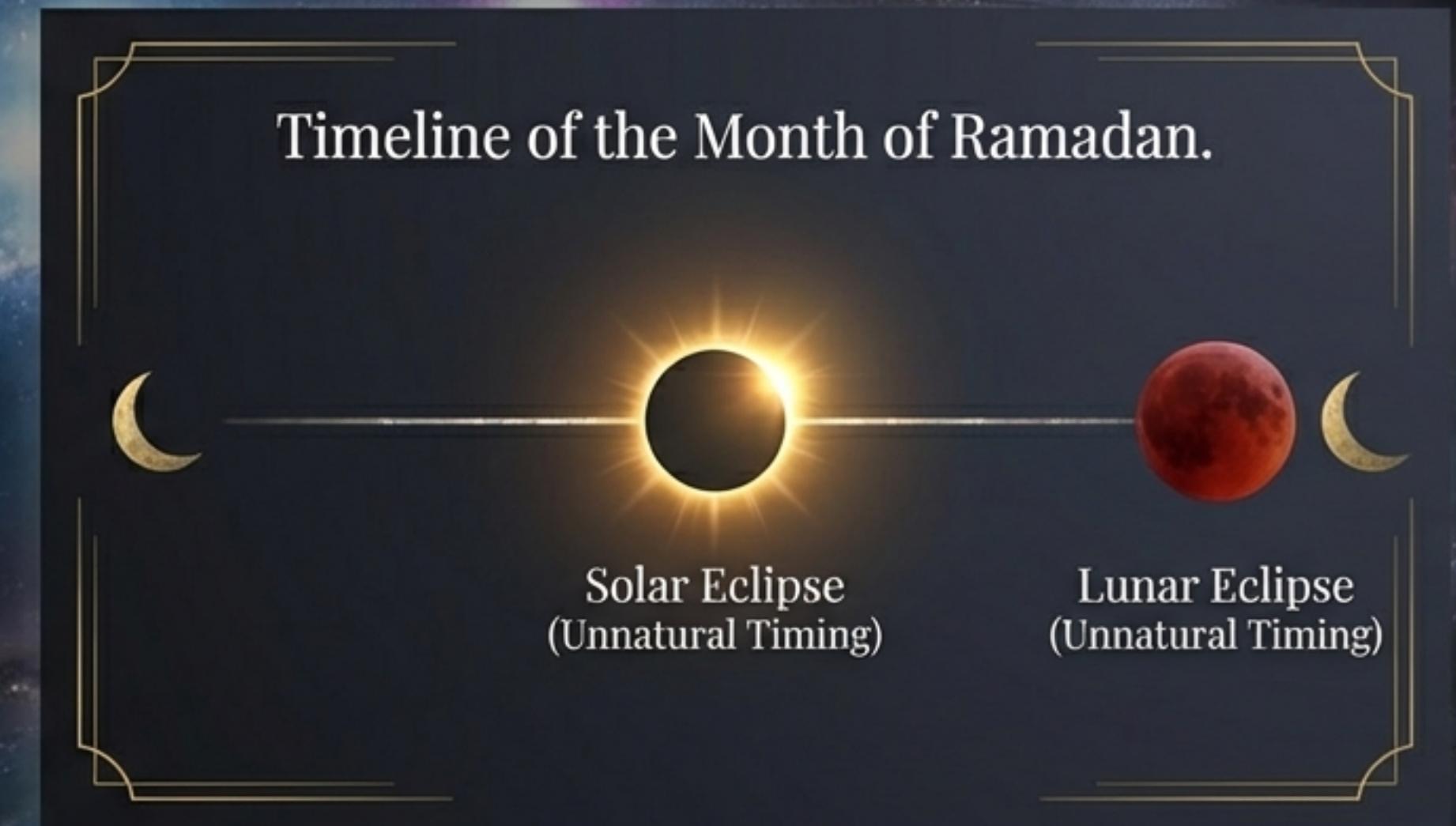
The Etiquette of Love

- **Celebration:** Honor him with beauty and joy.
- **Charity (Sadaqah):** Give specifically for his safety and health, prioritizing him over yourself.
- **Supplication:** Recite Du‘ā‘ an-Nudbah, Du‘ā‘ al-Faraj, and Du‘ā‘ al-‘Ahd.
- **Knowledge:** Study to avoid dying a death of ignorance.



Signs of the Horizon

General Signs: The earth filled with corruption and injustice.



These specific, scientifically anomalous signs indicate proximity, but are not the event itself.

Warning: Rejection of False Timers

“Whosoever tells you they specify the date and time is lying.”

The Eclipse Confusion

People claimed specific years (e.g., 1966, 2016) were “The Year” based on eclipse cycles, ignoring historical recurrence.

The Rumor Mill

False attributions to scholars (e.g., Ayatullah Bahjat regarding the Safiani) must be rejected.

The timing is a Divine secret.

The Destination

A Global State of Justice



Peace & Equity:

Replacing global
corruption.

Continuity:

The skills and piety
developed now are assets
for the future state.

The Promise:

He will fill the earth
with justice as it was
filled with oppression.

The Best of Deeds

The Profile of a Montazir:

1. Alert and professionally skilled.
2. Spiritually connected and pure in conduct.
3. Active, not passive.

**“The best deed of the Muslims is awaiting.
Whoever dies in this state is counted as
a soldier in the Imam’s tent.”**

Transform your waiting into action.