

Calling People to the Funeral Prayer for the Dead

The second question of Fatwa no. (6516):

Q 2: Is it permissible to invite the townspeople to offer

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the Funeral Prayer for a dead person, such as their relatives and friends?

A: It is permissible to invite the deceased's relatives, friends and neighbors to offer the Funeral Prayer for them, supplicate for them and attend the funeral. The Prophet (peace be upon him) informed his Sahabah (Companions) of the death of the Negus (may Allah be merciful with him) so that they could offer the Funeral Prayer.

May Allah grant us success! May peace and blessings be upon our Prophet Muhammad, his family and Companions!

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