## **Scheherazade New - Honorific ligatures**

Unicode has a number of honorific ligatures. The below chart should aid in understanding in what context they should be used. As new characters, applications may have problems with rendering them in right-to-left text. In some cases, you can correct reading order problems by inserting U+200F RIGHT-TO-LEFT MARK after the honorific ligature.

To view the simplified alternate glyphs and for instructions in accessing the simplified alternate glyphs, see the Features document.

Unicode Name ARABIC LIGATURE (for prophets)	USV	Glyph	Meaning
ALAYHI AS-SALAAM	FD47	الشَّيْدِ علتَّيْدِ	Peace be upon him. (The normal honorific used after a prophet's or an Archangel's name.)
ALAYHIM AS-SALAAM	FD48	الشَّارِ عالِمُهنِد	Peace be upon them (masculine plural). (Used for two or more prophets.)
ALAYHIMAA AS-SALAAM	FD49	السَّلا علجهيما	Peace be upon them (both). (Used for prophets and angels.)
ALAYHAA AS-SALAAM	FD4D	الشارا عليها	Peace be upon her. (Used after the name of a woman who was the mother of a prophet.)
ALAYHI AS-SALAATU WAS-SALAAM	FD4A	والشيالية عاليضيالية	Blessings and Peace be upon him. (A lesser used honorific used after a prophet's or an Archangel's name.)

Unicode Name ARABIC LIGATURE (for companions)	usv	Glyph	Meaning
RADI ALLAAHU ANH	FD41	عُنْظُ فِيْخِيْخُ مُنْظِينِة	May God be pleased with him. (Used for companions of the prophet.)
RADI ALLAAHU ANHAA	FD42	لِعَنْهُا لِعَنْهُجُ	May God be pleased with her. (Used for companions of the prophet, and in some regions for others such as Mary or Jesus' apostles.)
RADI ALLAAHU ANHUM	FD43	مَعْلِينَّا مُعْلِينًا مُعْلِينًا	May God be pleased with them (masculine plural, but can be used for a mixed group of men and women). (Used for companions of the prophet.)
RADI ALLAAHU ANHUMAA	FD44	الله خونج خونج	May God be pleased with them (both). (Used for companions of the prophet.)
RADI ALLAAHU ANHUNNA	FD45		

Unicode Name ARABIC LIGATURE (for companions)	usv	Glyph	Meaning
			May God be pleased with them (feminine). (Used for companions of the prophet.)

Unicode Name ARABIC LIGATURE (for saints)	USV	Glyph	Meaning
RAHIMAHU ALLAAH	FD40	الله الحدثة	May God have mercy upon him. (Used for companions of the prophet or other widely recognized scholars. Can be for any believer who has passed away.)
RAHIMAHUM ALLAAH	FD4F	عللاً، مُرْهُ مِنْ	God have mercy upon them (masculine). (Used for widely recognized scholars. Also used for ordinary believers.)

ARABIC LIGATURE RAHMATU ALLAAHI ALAYHIM	FBC6	بحاللة إلى الله الله الله الله الله الله الله ال	May God's mercy be upon them (masculine plural). (Used for relatives or students of companions of the prophet.)
ARABIC LIGATURE RAHMATU ALLAAHI ALAYHIMAA	FBC7	بحالله: عاليه ما	May God's mercy be upon them (masculine and feminine plural). (Used for relatives or students of companions of the prophet.)
SALLALLAAHU ALAYHI WA-AALIH	FD46	بالله ضاعلية علق علق	Blessings of God be upon him and the people of his household. (Used particularly in Shia Islam for leaders who come from the bloodline of the prophet.)
SALLALLAHU ALAYHI WA-AALIHEE WA-SALLAM	FD4C	श्रीरिक्त इस्मान्त्र बार्म्युवी	The blessings of God and peace be upon him and the people of his household. (Used by all Muslims, but particularly in Shia Islam for the prophet Muhammad.)
SALLALLAHOU ALAYHE WASALLAM	FDFA		The blessings and peace of God be upon him. (Used after the name of a major prophet, especially the prophet of Islam.)
QUDDISA SIRRAH	FD4B	ڣٛؾٚؿ فَکْلِّ	May his secret be sanctified. (Used for Sufi saints, and refers to their shrines where people come to worship.)
TABAARAKA WA-TAAALAA	FD4E		May he be blessed and exalted (Blessed and Lofty). (One of the honorifics used only for God himself.)
ARABIC LIGATURE RAHMATU ALLAAHI ALAYH	FD90	44111 42212	May God's mercy be upon him (masculine singular). (Used for relative or student of companions of the prophet.)
ARABIC LIGATURE RAHMATU ALLAAHI ALAYHAA	FD91	<u>چوالله</u>	May God's mercy be upon her (feminine singular). (Used for relative or student of companions of the prophet.)
SALAAMUHU ALAYNAA	FDCF	سُرُا <b>نُهُ</b> عَلَيْنَا	His peace be upon us. (Used by some followers of Jesus to give special honor to him.)
JALLAJALALOUHOU	FDFB	٩	May His glory be glorified. (Used after the name of God.)
BISMILLAH AR-RAHMAN AR- RAHEEM	FDFD		In the name of God, the most merciful, the most compassionate. (Used as the opening of each action

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			in order to receive blessing from God.)
SUBHAANAHU WA TAAALAA	FDFE		May He be praised and exalted (Glorified and Lofty). (The most common honorific for God.)
AZZA WA JALL	FDFF	ٷٛڴ۪ڕؙؖ	The Glorified/Exalted/Mighty and Sublime (Prestigious and Majestic). (The second most common honorific for God.)

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