

وقال (عليه السلام): إِنَّ اللَّهَ سُبْحَانَهُ وَضَعَ الثَّوَابَ عَلَى طَاعَتِهِ، وَالْعِقَابَ عَلَى مَعْصِيَتِهِ، ذِيادَةً لِعِبَادِهِ عَنْ نَقْمَتِهِ، وَحَيَاةً لَهُمْ إِلَى جَنَّتِهِ.

368. Amīr al-mu'minīn, peace be upon him, said: Allāh, the Glorified, has laid down reward for obedience to Him and punishment for committing sins against Him in order to save men from His chastisement and to drive them towards Paradise.