

**(Second Dars on Page 161): Follow the path (tariqa) of those who preceded to become their companions in Paradise**

And he (my master) said, may Allah be pleased with him.

The best of the spiritual path is the beauty of the good deed, the outcome of the good deed, and the beginning of the good deed.

**Innalladhina sabaqat lahum Minnal husna**

Surely, those for whom (our promise of) good has already preceded from Us... (21:101).

And the best (outcome) is Paradise. So we have been guided to the best (outcome), that is, we have been guided to all these for the blessings of those who preceded. And we pass ahead on their spiritual path because if you are in their spiritual path, you are already in safety.

**Fa ulaaika ma'lladhina An'amAllahu 'alayhim min an-Nabiyyina, wa's-Siddiqina wa'sh-Shuhadaa'i wa's-Salihina wa hasuna ulaaika Rafiqa**

..... then they will be with those on whom Allah has conferred (His) favors, from among the Prophets, the truthful believers, and martyrs and the righteous, and what excellent companions they are. (4:69)

Wa mu'afatin minal-fitani  
And exemptions from trials

(That is) the trials and tribulations of the times, and filthy beliefs and modernism.

Or, as he (my shaykh) said (in his own words).