

I'm Learning Allah's Names

BLUE-EYES THE PEACOCK

Learns Allah's Name al-Jameel

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Dear Parents and Teachers:

It is very important to familiarize our children with the concept of faith at an early age in hopes that it will give meaning to their lives as they grow into adults. It is for this reason that we have prepared the "I'm Learning Allah's Names" series. We have endeavored to open a window on the Beautiful Names of Allah at a child's level through the adventures of the animal heroes. On the last page of this book you will find information on how we seek to explain the particular Beautiful Name of Allah in this book and under the section entitled "Explain and Ask" you will find questions directed to help children better understand the Name which is the subject of the story.

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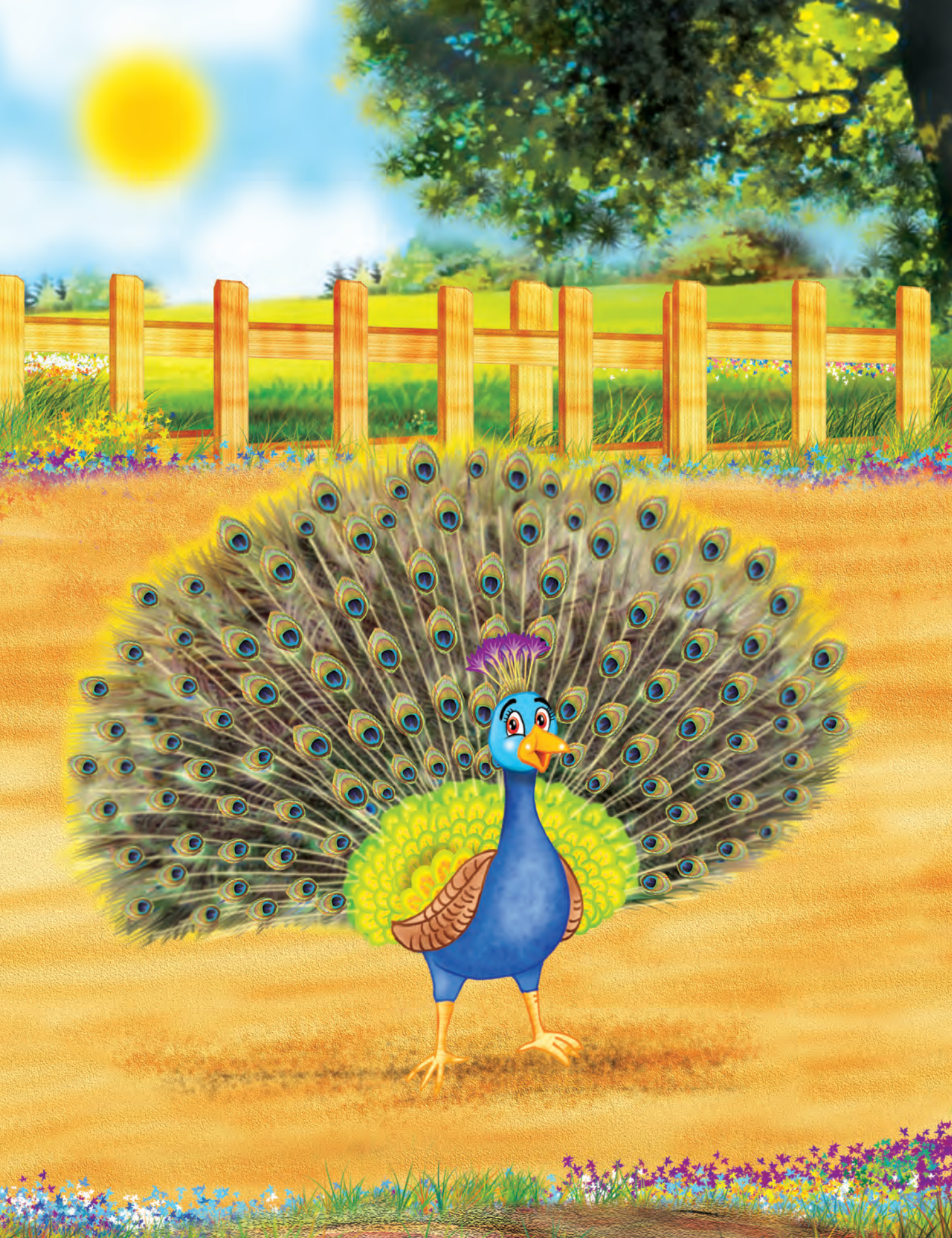
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I AM A PEACOCK



We have wings like all the other birds, but we can't fly for very long. That's why we like to walk swaying along on the ground. The first thing you will notice about us is our gorgeous tailfeathers. They open up like a big fan. I want you to see us with our tailfeathers opened up. You will never get enough of looking at our feathers. They look like a beautiful rainbow!

There is also a tiny crown of feathers on our heads. Maybe we will meet one day. Let me show you my beautiful tailfeathers and my little crown.







It was a lovely sunny morning. Blue-Eyes the Peacock came out of his coop. "What beautiful weather! I love to lie in the sun," he said. Just then a little head popped out of the ground.



"Is it just the weather that is beautiful?" the creature said. "Just look around! What other beautiful things can you see?"

"Who are you?" Blue-Eyes asked in amazement.

"I'm Cupi the Turtle. I was sleeping my winter sleep under the ground. I woke up because spring has come. I can't wait to see all the beautiful things that Allah made with His name of al-Jameel. This name means that He is the Most Beautiful.

That's why I am going to take a walk in the forest."







As Cupi the Turtle started out for the forest, Blue Eyes found a place to sun himself. Very soon he drifted off to sleep.



But suddenly he woke up to the excited sound of Mrs. Hen crying. "Cackle, cackle," Mrs. Hen said as she ran towards the barn. The ducks and even the cows were following after her.

Blue-Eyes called after the animals, "Hey! Where are you all running to?"

"A new colt has been born in the barn!" They all answered.

Blue-Eyes was very happy when he heard this news.

He too ran towards the barn.

