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بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ
وَأَتَمُّوا الْحَجَّ وَالْعُمْرَةَ لِلَّهِ .
قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ:
الْعُمْرَةُ إِلَى الْعُمْرَةِ كَفَّارَةٌ لِمَا بَيْنَهُمَا.

THE 'UMRA AND ITS IMPORTANCE

Dear brothers and sisters, the *'umra*, like the *hajj*, is a meeting with the Ka'ba, the House of Allah ﷻ and the center of the world. The *'umra* is entering the holy places where the light of Islam shines and illuminates the earth. The *'umra* is seeking the footsteps of mercy of Prophet Muhammad ﷺ and his companions and tasting the spirituality of Islam at the center of revelation. Dear Muslims, like in previous years, the ISN is also this year organizing *'umra* trips for our brothers and sisters. In particular, let's encourage our youth to reach the heights of this spiritual realm by performing *'umra* and remind them of their alliance with Allah ﷻ.