

The image features two hands reaching towards each other against a bright, sunlit background. The hands are silhouetted against the light, creating a warm, golden glow. The sun is positioned between the hands, casting a bright light that fills the scene. The overall mood is one of hope, connection, and charity.

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**The Pillar of
Charity in Islam**

Zakat (زكاة)



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Zakat is a key pillar of Islam, requiring Muslims to give a portion of their wealth to help the poor and needy.

It purifies one's wealth, fosters social justice, and ensures that resources are shared fairly.

Unlike charity done for self-satisfaction, Zakat is given solely for the sake of Allah, making it a truly moral deed.

By focusing on pleasing Allah, rather than personal gain, Zakat reflects the purest form of compassion and generosity.

الَّذِينَ يُنْفِقُونَ أَمْوَالَهُمْ بِاللَّيْلِ وَالنَّهَارِ سِرًّا وَعَلَانِيَةً فَلَهُمْ أَجْرُهُمْ عِنْدَ رَبِّهِمْ

وَلَا خَوْفٌ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا هُمْ يَحْزَنُونَ
Those who spend their wealth [in Allah 's way] by night and by day, secretly and publicly - they will have their reward with their Lord. And no fear will there be concerning them, nor will they grieve.

Qur'an [2:274]