



When I enter the bathroom:



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بِسْمِ اللَّهِ [بِسْمِ اللَّهِ] اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَعُوذُ بِكَ
 مِنَ الْخُبْثِ وَالْخَبَائِثِ

Bismillah, Allahumma inni 'authu bika minal
 khub-thi wal kha-baa-ith.

'[In the name of Allaah]. O Allaah, I take
 refuge with You from all evil and evil-doers.'

2

Step in with your left foot:



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Commentary.

This (beginning from the right) is not confined to the three acts mentioned in this Hadith. Sayyidina Rasulallah (Sallallahu alayhi wa sallam) began everything with the right, that is why every other deed' has been added in the translation of the Hadith. The basic rule is, that all those things that reflect dignity and elegance, while putting on these the right is preferred, and when removing them the left is begun with, as when putting on clothes, shoes etc. When one enters the Masjid, one enters with the right foot and leaves with the left foot first, as this is the place of dignity and greatness. Contrary to this, in those things that do not have elegance in them, for instance when entering the toilet. (Tirmidhi)



After using the bathroom:



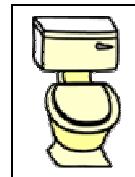
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Make Istinja



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Flush the toilet and clean up after yourself



3

Wash your hands



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Say:

غُفْرَانِكَ



'I ask You [Allaah] for forgiveness.'

5

Step out with your right foot:



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