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## Do not criticise Aadam (عليه السلام)

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بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

In the name of Allaah, the Most Merciful, the Bestower of Mercy

**Question:** What is the ruling on the one who says: If Aadam (عليه السلام)<sup>1</sup>, had not eaten from the tree, we would be in paradise. Is there anything wrong with this statement?

**Shaykh Saalih al-Fawzaan** (حفظه الله)<sup>2</sup>: This is not permissible, because this is equates to belittling Aadam (عليه السلام). And Aadam (عليه السلام) repented to Allaah and Allaah accepted his repentance; thus this speech is not permissible. Be concerned with yourself oh my brother. No one is going to enter paradise without actions. You will not enter paradise without actions my brother.

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<sup>1</sup> (عليه السلام) ('alaihi-salaam) Peace be upon him

<sup>2</sup> (حفظه الله) May Allaah the Most High preserve him