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In the Name of Allaah the most Kind the most Merciful

Question: What is your view O Shaykh concerning the saying of someone: 'I'm Salafee or Atharee?'

Shaykh 'Abdul-Muhsin al-'Abbaad (حفظه الله)¹: The person must be diligent in being a follower of the Sunnah by way of actions. As for if it is said to you: 'Are you Salafee?' Yes, the person says: 'I'm Salafee.' Are you from Ahlus Sunnah? 'Yes I am from Ahlus Sunnah, and all praises belong to Allaah.' As for mentioning this, or saying this, if there is a need for that, and it is applicable, then there is nothing wrong with this.

¹ (حفظه الله) May Allaah the Most High preserve him