

Zainab's Memories

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Chorus:

Time to say goodbye

Goodbye Hussain

Goodbye Abbas

Verse 1

Are we not the children of Muhammad

Have they all forgotten where we come from

Zainab thinks back to when they were so young

Back to the time where they would all belong

I remember with Hussain I would play

And behind our father how we would pray

The time we were all together (Happily)

Family

Verse 2

Everywhere Hussain went so did Abbas

He was like his shadow never Apart

The greatest peace I felt was at the time

When my Dear Abbas was right by my side

The three of us as children always played

And with Abbas we were never afraid

You were the protector of us (Oh Abbas)(My Brother)

Verse 3

Even as a child Hussain led the way

And with him she never did feel astray

In his presence their knowledge always grew

And everyday they would learn something new

When we were together it was pure bliss

Oh my dear brother those times I do miss

Hussain without you I feel lost (What to do)

(Where to go)

Verse 4

Oh my two protectors where are you now

Zainab laments standing upon the mound

Abbas' Arms that used to Hug her so

Who has cut them here on the sands below

Your forehead I used to kiss my Hussain

I can't recognise through this blooded rain

Then zainab looks up to the sky (blood not rain)

(Upon her face)

The Poet Saeed Alhakeem kindly requests your dua