

Errata

Tablets of Bahá'u'lláh revealed after the Kitáb-i-Aqdas —First printing 1978

Page	Line(s)	Now reads	Should read
13	10	... in His great glory!" ...	... in His great glory!'"? ...
13	27	... My Remembrance ¹ ...	... My Remembrance ...
13	fn.	[delete footnote on this page]	
15	25	... in My Name ...	... in My name ...
25	19	... what Thou didst ordain ...	... what Thou didst order ...
41	1	... shall boil ... and when the ...	... shall boil ... And when the ...
66	6-11	... to be wisdom. It is man's unfailing protector. It aideth him and strengtheneth him. Wisdom is God's emissary and the revealer of His Name the Omniscient. Through it the loftiness of man's station is made manifest and evident. It is all-knowing and the foremost teacher in the school of existence. It is the guide ...	... to be Wisdom. It is man's unfailing Protector. It aideth him and strengtheneth him. Wisdom is God's Emissary and the Revealer of His Name the Omniscient. Through it the loftiness of man's station is made manifest and evident. It is all-knowing and the foremost Teacher in the school of existence. It is the Guide ...
67	1	... men is justice ...	... men is Justice ...
79	fn. 2	Siyyid Aṣḥraf, who was martyred in the city of Zanján. (See <i>Gleanings from the Writings of Bahá'u'lláh</i> section LXIX, and <i>God Passes By</i> pages 199-200.)	Mírzá Aṣḥraf, who was martyred in the city of Iṣfahán. (See <i>God Passes By</i> p. 201.)
83	2-5	... adorned this mighty Prison with the presence of their honours 'Alí Akbar ¹ and Amín, ² and hath illumined it with the light of certitude, constancy and assurance ...	... adorned the mighty prison with the presence of their honours 'Alí Akbar and Amín, and hath illumined it with the light of certitude, constancy and assurance. ¹ ...
83	15	— Exalted is he —	— Exalted is He —
83	fns.	[delete both footnotes on this page]	[insert a new footnote 1 to read as follows] The two Hands of the Cause of God, Ḥájí Mullá 'Alí Akbar Ṣhahmírzádí and Ḥájí Abu'l-Ḥasan-i-Ardakání (Amín-i-Iláhí,

Trustee of Ḥuqúqu'lláh), were imprisoned in Qazvín in the year 1891, and then transferred to prison in Ṭihrán.

88	3	... new directions ...	... new direction ...
88	13-14	... observe courtesy. For ...	... observe courtesy, for ...
89	5	... to reach one land ...	... to reach or to benefit one land ...
89	11	... be sacrificed unto Him ...	... be a sacrifice unto Him ...
90	27	... no day passes without ...	... no day passeth without ...
93	14	... in London appears to be ...	... in London appeareth to be ...
94	14	Time and again We have ...	Time and again have We ...
94	19	... the glory of His justice ...	... the glory of His Justice ...
94	29-30	... a certain person went ...	... a certain person ¹ went ...
94	fn.		[add footnote 1 to read as follows] Jamálu'd-Dín-i-Afghání (See <i>God Passes By</i> pp. 296, 317.)
104	4-6	... against Him that He Who is the Mother Book on the Day of Return sorely bewailed His plight. ...	... against Him that, on the Day of Return, the Mother Book sorely bewailed His plight. ...
106	22	... the abode of perdition. ...	... the abode of perdition. ² ...
106	fns.		[add footnote 2 to read as follows] cf. Qur'án 14:33.
106	32-25	... insight and hast been attracted to the Concourse on High through the potency of the most sublime Word! Indeed the birds ...	... insight. I swear by Him Who attracted the Concourse on High through the potency of His most sublime Word! Verily the birds ...
107	16-17	... Through His potency the ...	... Through His power the ...
108	27-28	... enjoined upon him, and ...	... enjoined upon them, and ...
108	fn. 1	¹ Qur'án 21:23	¹ cf. Qur'án 21:23
116	1-2	Advance ye, O people ...	Advance, O people ...
118	5	... by the Lords of Lords!' ...	... by the Lord of Lords!' ...
118	26-28	... 'Yea, by the King of Revelation when He mounted the throne of His Name, the All-Merciful!' ...	... 'Yea, by the King of Revelation! when He mounted the throne of His Name, the All-Merciful.' ...

119	7	... 'Yea, by My Lord! Whilst thou ...	... 'Yea, by My Lord! whilst thou ...
120	8	... prescribed and perpetrated ...	... prescribed, and perpetrated ...
122	20-21	... that which will drawn men ...	... that which will draw men ...
127	27	... that ye loveth his country, ...	... that he loveth his country, ...
128	12-14	... the Trustees are then to then from him that ... [this error appears only in some copies of the book]	... the Trustees are then to take from him that ...
135		[This is the title-page of section 9, the Lawḥ-i-Ḥikmat]	[Under what is presently on the page insert the following] This Tablet was addressed to Áqá Muḥammad, a distinguished be- liever from the town of Qá'in, who was surnamed Nabíl-i-Akbar (see <i>Memorials of the Faithful</i> pp. 1-5). Another distinguished be- liever of Qá'in, Mullá Muḥammad- 'Alí, was known as Nabíl-i-Qá'iní (see <i>Memorials of the Faithful</i> pp. 49-54). In the <i>abjad</i> notation the name 'Muḥammad' has the same numerical value as 'Nabíl'.
137	8	O Muḥammad! Hearken ...	O Muḥammad! Hearken ...
137	9-11	... celestial Tree which hath risen above this blessed and flourishing land: Verily, no God ...	... celestial Tree which hath risen above the land of Za'farán!: Verily, no God ...
137	fn.	[delete the present footnote]	[insert a new footnote 1 to read as follows] In a Tablet Bahá'u'lláh states, 'The Holy Tree [Sadrat] is, in a sense, the Manifestation of the One True God, exalted be He. The Blessed Tree in the land of Za'farán referreth to the land which is flourishing, blessed, holy and all-perfumed, where that Tree hath been planted.'
140	12-13	And concerning the question, 'I did wish to make Myself known', there was God, and His creation ...	And in the station of 'I did wish to make Myself known', God was, and His creation ...

- 141 22 Every event must needs have . . . Every thing must needs have . . .
- 144 20 . . . accounts of the sages, accounts of the sages,¹ . . .
- 144 fn. [Insert a footnote as follows]
 'In many of the passages that follow concerning the Greek philosophers, Bahá'u'lláh quotes verbatim from the works of such Muslim historians as Abu'l-Faṭḥ-i-Shāhristānī (1076–1153 A.D.) and 'Imādu'd-Dīn Abu'l-Fidá (1273–1331 A.D.)
- 147 13–14 . . . voiced by Pliny voiced by Balínús . . .
- 147 15 . . . the Father of Philosophy¹ the Father of Philosophy . . .
- 147 fn. [delete the footnote on this page]
- 147 28 . . . am Pliny, the wise one, am Balínús, the wise one . . .
- 148 15–16 . . . writings of Hermes.¹ . . . Hermetic writings.¹
- 148 fn. [delete the present footnote on this page] [Insert a new footnote 1 to read as follows]
 In one of His Tablets Bahá'u'lláh wrote: 'The first person who devoted himself to philosophy was Idrís. Thus was he named. Some called him also Hermes. In every tongue he hath a special name. He it is who hath set forth in every branch of philosophy thorough and convincing statements. After him Balínús derived his knowledge and sciences from the Hermetic Tablets and most of the philosophers who followed him made their philosophical and scientific discoveries from his words and statements. . . .'. In the Qur'án, Súra 19, verses 57 and 58, is written: 'And commemorate Idrís in the Book; for he was a man of truth, a Prophet: And we up-lifted him to a place on high.'
- 149 3 . . . and of the wise, presently and of the wise,¹ presently . . .

149	fn.		[add a footnote to read] See footnote on p. 144.
156	6	... blessings of His Lord, ...	... blessings of his Lord ...
157	7	... Lord, Thy God, ...	... Lord, thy God, ...
189	2	... divine Tree and no one other	... divine Tree and none other ...
195	11-12	... a Tongue that, no sooner was it unloosed, ...	... a Tongue that, as soon as it was unloosed, ...
197	5	... to harken unto ...	... to hearken unto ...
198	fn.	¹ See footnote page 137.	¹ Nabíl-i-Akbar. See p. 135.
203	6	... Işfáhán ...	... Işfahán ...
205	13	... have sacrificed their souls ...	... have sacrificed Their souls ...
210	para. 3	[The entire paragraph, beginning with the words, "Thereupon hath the cry ..." and ending with "... every man of insight and under- standing."'" should be deleted, as it was reprinted in error from the <i>Epistle to the Son of the Wolf</i> .]	
213	8	... last traces of sunlight ...	... last trace of sunlight ...
214	23	... the signs of Thy Lord ...	... the signs of thy Lord ...
219	3	... we have bequeathed ...	... We have bequeathed ...
221	30	... this sacred Verse ...	... this sacred verse ...
240	7-8	Upon thee by My Glory. ...	Upon thee be My Glory. ...
242	18-19	... is illumined with two luminaries: consultation and mercy.' ...	... is illumined with two luminaries: consultation and compassion.' ...
247	23	... Verily, No God is there but Me, ...	... Verily, no God is there but Me, ...
249	25-26	... and drunk deep against the will of those that have rejected ...	... and drunk deep despite those that have rejected ...
251	2-3	And yet there are others ...	And there are yet others ...
251	11	... I yield thee thanks, ...	... I yield Thee thanks, ...
253	12	Blessed the One Who ...	Blessed the one who ...
259	4-5	... into the strong City?"	... into the strong City?" ¹
259	9	... to them the days of God. ¹	... to them the days of God. ²

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259	fns.	¹ Qur'án 14:5	¹ Psalms 59:9; 108:10. ² Qur'án 14:5.
267	23-24	... the commandment of God on the subject of resurrection and ...	... the commandments of God on the subjects of resurrection and ...
274	4-5	'... the first time.'	'... grievous error.'
275	1-2	'... endowed with discernment!'	'... do not possess it.'
275	3-4		[Insert the following additional note between the first and second notes on this page] 63 21 'The Pen of the Most High ...' to '... endowed with discernment!' (ESW p. 28)
275	21	108 4	117 19 [i.e. correct the page reference for the note beginning 'O thou who hast set thy face ...']
276	32	221 8 'It is incumbent upon ...' to ...	221 23 'It is incumbent upon the <u>Aghsán</u> ...' to ...

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