كيف تختار مهنتك ؟

(How will you choose your career?)

Allah has made the different creatures in themselves, in their abilities and deeds, to make the life straight and serve one another. Almighty Allah said: "Do they distribute the mercy of your Lord. It is we who have apportioned among them their livelihood in the life of this world and have raised some of them above others in ranks so that some may employ others in their works. But the mercy of your Lord is better than whatever they accumulate /Surah zukhruf,32

And the livelihood differs from one environment to another and it varies among the individuals. The human beings are dependent upon one another, the poor depend upon the rich and the rich depend upon the poor. The messenger of Allah says: "work, it will be made easy for each person to do that for which he was created" (Hadith Ibn Maza) And if all people work in one profession, the rest of their interests would be disrupted but Allah has exploited some of them to serve others. And this comes from the different professions and businesses. The farmer for example plows and other Bakers eat from his plantation and as for a teacher and doctor they in turn make bread for themselves, and the teacher educates his children and the doctor treats the sickmen from his family and so on.

The young people in the past were often learning the profession of their parents, even when they grew up, they worked these professions and therefore some families were more likely to associate with a specific profession and even they might be called by it. In the present days, the matter has been changed, and most of the professions and businesses have been attached with the government or big companies and the young man for the first time of his life, face the problem of choosing the right profession, after the completion of his studies and this is a difficult decision that needs for thinking; because it has a physical and psychological effect on the young man in the future of his life. So how will the young man choose his career?

The young man should know where to put his foot before he chooses a profession for himself wherein he likes to work and earn by it his livelihood. He should know his own characteristics and what is in him the strength and weakness. He should make sure of his inclination towards it. And he must know the professions he likes and what he dislikes. If a person himself is an honest man, then it will help him mostly in choosing the future career. and he will be satisfied with the good choice. The young man after knowing himself and his qualities, he must get acquainted with a number of professions in order to choose one of them which will be suitable for him and this is not an easy task. He may not find the profession that will be suitable for his capabilities and arrangements towards his inclination and desire.

In order to reach the young man to a sound decision, he should become a flexible man and realise that he can be a master in a certain profession than many other professions. There are some other professions in which he will be unable to be skilled at them.

The young man needs the training of the professions which he thinks to be suitable for him and to get experience from it, by achieving the basic skills and informations relating to them in a practical way and thus he prepares for himself the sufficient arrangement of the career and sometimes there are many competitions in some professions than others. Some professions have the glamours but the wages of workers are not sufficient. The young man must be aware of this, when he chooses a profession and know the true features of the professions. The young man who knows himself well and knows the different jobs, will make him able to choose what will be suit for him in professions; then his choice will come closer to a right decision.

Every young man must realize that the growing personal qualities will change a young man in himself and this will be followed by the differences of his desires and inclination. It is the result of a new experience what he achieved or a culture he acquired or his intercourse with the people what he had not previously interacted with. During the time of studies, it is good for a young man to pay much more attention to his studies and achievements before reaching to the stage of choosing his career in order to

set for himself to a flexible planning that will allow him to change and work, as per what he attains from the experience and knowledge.
