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كيف الحال؟ How are you?

1. (When he was asked ‘how are you O Amīr al-Mu’minīn?’, he replied:) How would he be whom life is driving towards death, whose state of health can be changed to sickness at any moment and who can be approached [by death] from his place of safety?!

- (وَقِيلَ لَهُ - عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ - كَيْفَ تَجِدُكَ يَا أَمِيرَ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ؟ فَقَالَ: كَيْفَ يَكُونُ (حَالُ) مَنْ يَفْنَى بِبَقَائِهِ، وَيَسْقُمُ بِصِحَّتِهِ! وَيُؤْتَى مِنْ مَأْمَنِهِ؟

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