## 12692 - How sound is the hadeeth, "Seek to draw closer to Allaah by virtue of my status"?

## the question

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What is the status of the hadeeth, "Seek to draw closer to Allaah by virtue of my status, for my status with Allaah is great"?

## **Detailed** answer

Praise be to Allah.

This hadeeth has no basis.

Ibn Taymiyah and al-Albaani said: it has no basis.

See Iqtidaa' al-Siraat al-Mustaqeem by Ibn Taymiyah, 2/415; al-Silsilah al-Da'eefah, 22