

عن أبي الدرداء رضي الله عنه قال:
سمعت رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم يقول:
**وَأَنَّ الْعُلَمَاءَ وَرَثَةُ الْأَنْبِيَاءِ،
وَأَنَّ الْأَنْبِيَاءَ لَمْ يُوْرَثُوا دِينَارًا وَلَا دِرْهَمًا،
وَرَثُوا الْعِلْمَ،
فَمَنْ أَخَذَهُ أَخَذَ بِحَظٍّ وَافِرٍ**

It was narrated that Abu'l-Darda' (may Allah be pleased with him) said: I heard the Messenger of Allah (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) say: "The scholars are the heirs of the Prophets. The Prophets did not leave behind dinars or dirhams, rather they left behind a heritage of knowledge, and the one who acquires it acquires an abundant portion."

[Narrated by Abu Dawood]