



‘ABD-AL-VĀḤED HAMADĀNĪ

‘**ABD-AL-VĀḤED** B. JALĀL-AL-DĪN MOḤAMMAD AL-**HAMADĀNĪ**, the son of a shaikh of the Naqšbandī order. Originally from Hamadān, he migrated to Egypt; after staying in a Mawlavī hospice in Cairo, he went to Medina, where he died in 954/1547. ‘Abd-al-Vahhāb reviewed and re-wrote [Aflākī](#)’s *Manāqeb al-‘ārefīn*, correcting some errors, removing some stories and tales, and inserting others with special attention to the histories and genealogies, and gave his work the title *Ṭawāqeb al-manāqeb-e awliā’ Allāh*. It consists of a prologue (*moqaddema*), nine discourses (*dekr*, biographies of the nine saints), and an epilogue (*kātema*). An abridged version of this work is in the Süleymaniye library, Ayasofya no. 2053. *Ṭawāqeb al-manāqeb* was translated into Turkish by Darvīš Sanā’ī Kālīl (d. 950/1543) and presented to Sultan Solaymān the Magnificent. Later it was again translated by Darvīš Maḥmūd Maṭnavī-ḳvān in 998/1590 and presented to Sultan Morād III.

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