

## When that essence of holiness and reality of sanctity, her honour the Virgin Mary.....

Abdu'l-Bahá

Translated



*[Extract from a Tablet of 'Abdu'l-Bahá]*

When that essence of holiness and reality of sanctity, her honour the Virgin Mary---upon her be salutations and praise---became purified and sanctified from all else save God, she brought forth such a luminous fruit that she became the shell for that divine Pearl and the target for the darts of infinite malice.

---'Abdu'l-Bahá



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