الحديث الشريف

«وأَعْطَاهُ منْ أَصْنَاف الْمَالِ كُلِّهِ »



Question

In «الْقَرَاءَة» in the Shaykh's: «منهج معهد تعليم اللغة العربيَّة والعلوم الشرعيَّة», there is a *hadīth* about the danger of performing actions to show off.

I cannot understand this part of the *hadith*:

«ورَجُلٌ وَسَّعَ اللهُ عليه، وأَعْطاهُ من أَصْنافِ الْمَالِ كُلِّهِ»

I understand it means: ... and gave him from all the types of wealth/money.

If he was given *all types* of money, and not *all* money, why is «الْمَالِ» emphasized, and not «أَصْناف» ?

Fadīlat al-Shaykh Dr. V. Abdur Rahim (حفظه الله) replies:

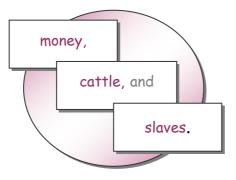


Dear Br Abdullah

وعليكم السلام

According to the Arab concept of wealth, there are three types of المال.

These are:



Each of these three types may have many categories.

Here the word $\langle a u \rangle$ has been emphasized to make sure that all the types of wealth are included, and the reader does not get the impression that only money is intended.

And when the is emphasized the i automatically gets emphasized.

Hope this has helped you to understand the problem.

والسلام, abdur rahim