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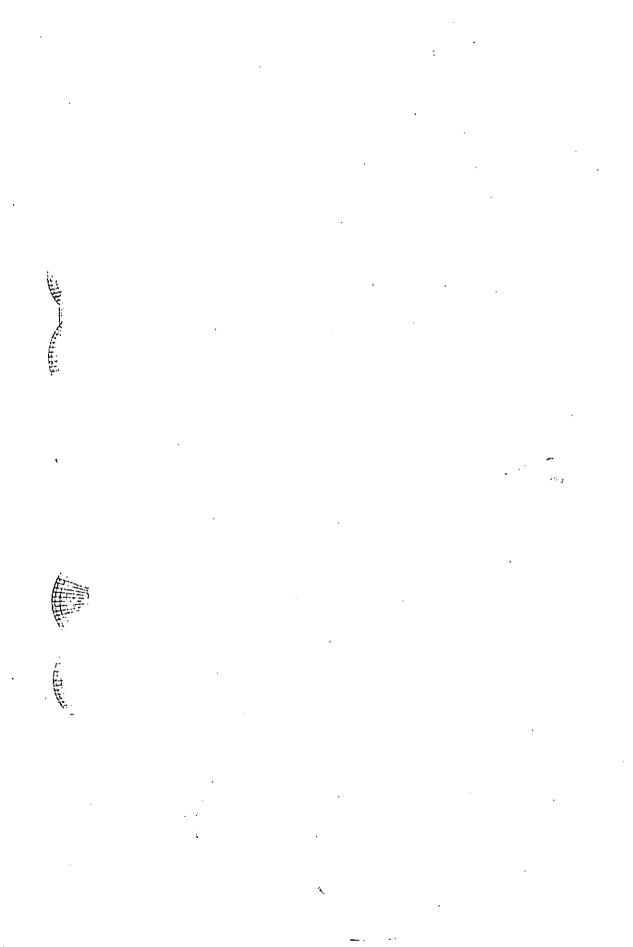
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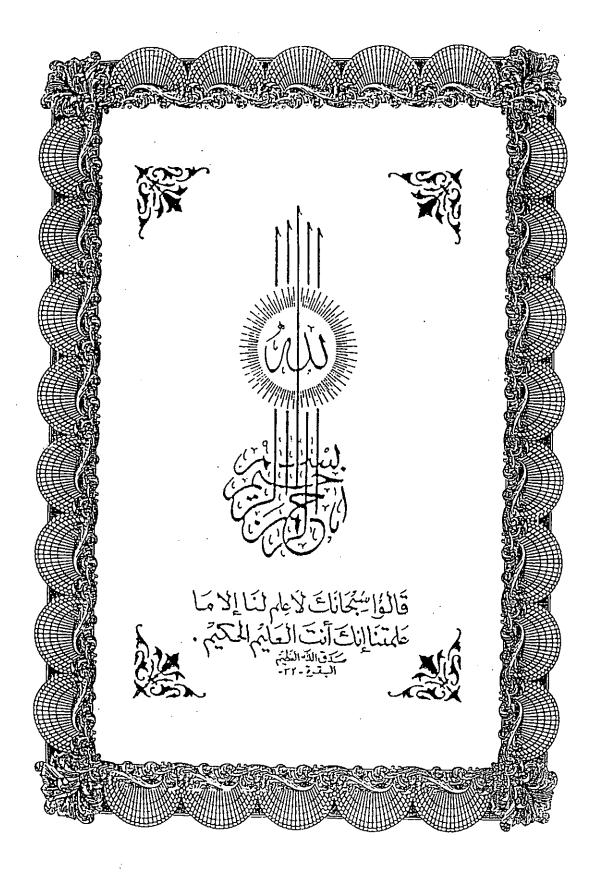
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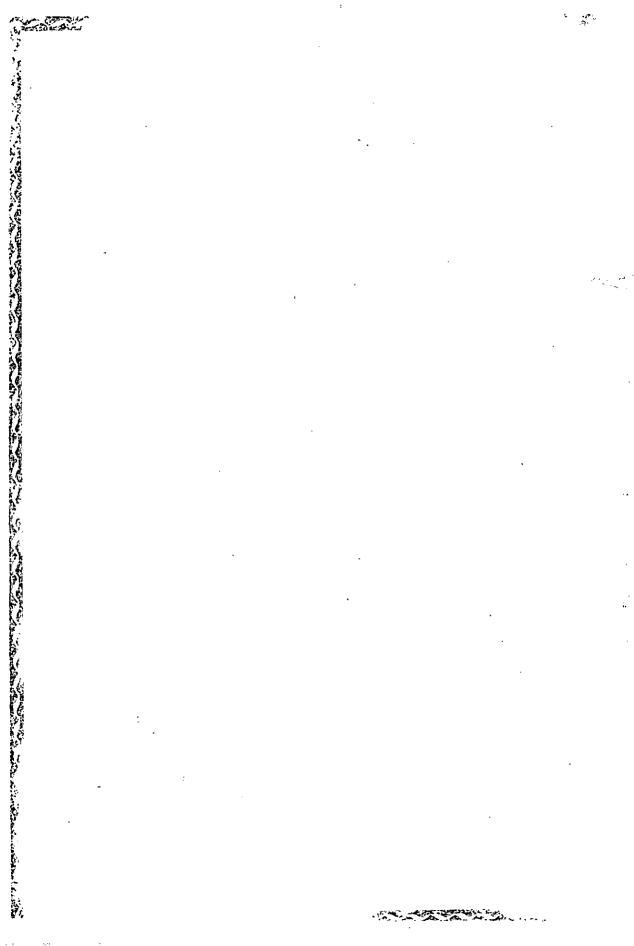
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LIST of ABBREVIATIONS

ALL Acute Lymphoblastic leukemia

AML Acute myeloid leukemia

APL Acute promyelocytic leukemia

ATRA all- trans- retinoic acid

BFM Berlin-Frankfurt-Munster Study Group

CALLA Cytoplasmic acute lymphoblastic leukemia antigen

CCG Children's Cancer Group

CCG Children's Cancer Group trial

CD Cluster designation

DS Down syndrome

EMF Electromagnetic fields

FAB French-American-British classification

FISH Fluorescent in situ hybridization

IBMTR International Bone Marrow Transplant Registry

NCI The National Cancer Institute

PCR Polymerase chain reaction

POG Pediatric oncology group

TCR T cell receptor

TdT Terminal deoxynucleotidyl transferase