

# "Aramaic Jesus and the Sufis: Shared paths of the heart"

## MP3 workshop.

April 17/18 2009. Columbus, Ohio, USA.

## Contents

### Track 1. Friday evening. 1hr 52m

Introduction to theme for weekend - Aramaic Jesus in Quran, Hadith and Sufi stories.

DANCE: Abwoon d'bashmaya (without counter melody).

Abwoon prayer spoken.

DANCE: Ad dunya qantaraton.

Background to early Islam and Christianity.

CHANT: Shalu b'shemy.

CHANT: Allah hu Alaha (x3), Alaha Allah (part of Shalu b'shemy melody).

Sura Mariam.

Background to Aramaic version of 'Ave Maria'.

CHANT: Shlama l'ki Mariam shlama, meleet taibuta maren emki barikta b'nasha.

DANCE: Shlama l'ki Mariam shlama.

### Track 2. Saturday morning. 48m

Theme is travelling with the breath, using various qualities / names of Jesus from Quran, e.g. Ruh Allah.

CHANT: Shalu b'shemy (second time).

Birth of Jesus as described in Quran.

### Track 3. Saturday morning. 52m

DANCE: Tubwayhun l'meskenae b'ruch / Alaha ruhau (Matthew's first Beatitude).

Jesus' miracles and resurrection.

CHANT: Ya Qayyoom, Ya Ba'ith, Allah.

DANCE: Abba abada haimanuta Alaha.

### Track 4. Saturday afternoon. 18s

Any questions?

### Track 5. Saturday afternoon. 10m

How people viewed time at the time of Jesus and Mohammed.

### Track 6. Saturday afternoon. 15m

How to approach reading Quran.

Book recommendations and translations.

### Track 7. Saturday afternoon. 28m

WALK: Ya Hayy, Ya Iman.

DANCE: Ina d'tayeb l'khun atra.

### Track 8. Saturday afternoon. 16m

"The Table" story from Quran: 'Send down to us a table prepared in heaven.'

Names of Jesus.

**Track 9. Saturday afternoon. 12m**

DANCE: Det habwoon hud l'hud aykana d'ena ahebtakhoon (from John 15:10).

**Track 10. Saturday afternoon. 30m**

Death of Jesus - various interpretations.

CHANT: Alaha d'shrara belhud, Alaha shebah.

**Track 11. Saturday afternoon. 8m**

More names of Jesus.

**Track 12. Saturday afternoon. 13m**

DANCE: Alaha abaru, la illaha illa'llah.

**Track 13. Saturday afternoon. 17m**

Islam and Sufism.

Hazrat Inayat Khan lineage.

CHANT: Fima atarkum fastar bikul.

**Track 14. Saturday evening. 20m**

STORY: Iblis and the goldsmith's daughter.

**Track 15. Saturday evening. 1hr**

ZIKR: Nur-I-Mohammed Zikr of Light

Sura Fateha spoken.