

Editors Corner

As Editor of the Ummah's Voice I would like to welcome all our brothers and sisters to this issue. The mission of the Ummah's Voice is to serve as a newsletter for the muslim community of the Islamic Center of New Mexico, and to present news, announcements and articles relevant to Islamic issues and education for the brothers, sisters and youth of our community. .

It is my wish that the majority of these articles come from the brothers and sisters in our community. We welcome the input of the community in the form of relevant articles that deal with Islam our Islamic life-style, the Qur'an, Hadith, the Prophet (PBUH), Islamic historical figures, political issues, and especially issues that are relevant to our community's youth. We welcome differing Islamic perspectives, ideas and issues that exhibit the diversity found in our muslim community in Albuquerque, America and throughout the world.

I would like to thank my dearest brother Sultan Al Sultan who made my trip to Umra possible. I would also like to thank those brothers and sisters of our Islamic community, the Fellowship of Reconciliation and Rabbi Lynn Gottlieb for making my trip to Lebanon, Palestine and Israel a possibility. Thanks to those members of the Albuquerque community that have given us their support and words of kindness during these trying times. Most of all I want to thank my wife Nur for putting up with all the late nights and times away from home this year. May Allah Bless you for your patience. Salaam to all.

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In the Name of Allah
the Most Compassionate
the Most Merciful

**O ye people!
Worship your
Guardian Lord,
Who created you
and those who
came before you
That ye may
become righteous.**

Al Baqarah, Ayat 21



In the Name of Allah
the Most Compassionate
the Most Merciful

**He is Allah;
There is no god
but He.
To Him Be praise,
At the first
And at the last.
For Him
is the Command
And to Him
shall ye all
Be brought back.**

Al Qasas, Ayat 70

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