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this book is a mothers book not that it can t be read by fathers as well the outgrowth of a mothers **Societies**

study group which met in kuwait before the gulf war focused on rearing children in an islamic way the mothers were mostly american and british converts to islam although in cosmopolitan kuwait there were women from many other backgrounds the group was an offshoot of meetings for english speaking muslim women held weekly in the home of sister zainab ashry in kuwait for more than ten years prior to the gulf war from their knowledge of islam the women involved wanted to study the implications of their faith on their child rearing practices the first step was to collect information any qur anic verse or hadith that a participant found relevant other information was collected from such knowledgeable people and books as were available monthly discussions were organized on different topics since the war some of the participating sisters have returned to kuwait but many of our group are now scattered all over the world all the notes and papers collected by the study group were in my home in kuwait when the invasion occurred fortunately my husband was able to salvage them and bring them here to our new home in the states i felt an obligation to compile this collected information to share with other muslims especially converts like myself my deepest thanks must go to my husband whose support and cooperation gave me the means to carry out this task this book begins with the birth of a child to muslim parents and the traditional islamic response to the birth following the example of prophet muhammad s very few specific actions are defined and these mostly relate to practices at the time of birth all of these fall into the category of sunnah following the prophet s example or what he approved of in others and though highly recommended they are not fard obligatory actions aside from these few simple practices carried out when a baby comes into the world islam has no ceremonies devoted exclusively to children no first communion no coming of age celebrations children are not segregated into a special world separate from that of adults they are members of families in the great embracing cycle of human life the family supports them when they are young they support the family in their productive years and in old age they are again supported by the family they grow and develop gradually in a system that encourages growth and learning but places little emphasis on milestones and anniversaries a large portion of this book is given to defining relationships from the qur an and hadith to understand the significance of the child in muslim society it is necessary to recognize the total number and value of his or her relationships within it which are different from the relationships defined by other societies chapter 1 includes some of the traditions of the prophet muhammad that apply to the newborn chapter 2 describes the nature

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of the child s relationship with allah and the spiritual world with some suggestions for

encouraging spiritual awareness chapter 3 contains qur anic verses and ahadith relevant to the child s relationship with his or her parents in light of these definitions and with reference to the islamic teachings concerning morals manners and the purpose of life an attempt is made in chapters 4 5 and 6 to present an organized structure dealing with the practical how to of rearing a child in an islamic way from a parent s viewpoint chapters introduction ix 7 and 8 progressively broaden out the child s world by adding brothers and sisters extended family and community relationships the practical suggestions for improving relationships among adult family members in order to pave the way for improving the child s relations with his or her extended family are an important aspect of chapter 8 the only relationship which really changes for the child as he or she grows up is that of accountability to allah since no child is accountable for his or her actions before reaching the age of understanding all other relationships develop and deepen as the child grows but remain basically the same for the general commands to honor parents show respect to elders be gentle with younger ones and honor family ties continue for a muslim throughout his or her life i pray to allah that this book may bring only good to mothers and their children and that he protect them from any mistakes or misunderstandings i have done my best to prepare the material contained within it in a suitable manner and hope to see other literature published on this important subject expanding and enriching it while i alone am responsible for the contents i am deeply indebted to the many sisters who helped collect references and discussed the practical implications of our findings i have no list to prompt me and consequently may have unwittingly forgotten some names but i well remember terry lianna salma noura mia khadijah sandra hicleir debbie sara maryam aneesah dianne karen kauthar and nawal from kuwait all of us working together on this project my friend daaiyah saleem in ohio has also been very helpful offering many suggestions for improvement and clarification as she aided in proofreading my sister in law ghada of course has helped along the way in the course of preparing this book for publication sister zeba siddiqui was chosen by the publisher to edit the text i have known zeba a mother of four and a grandmother and author of several excellent childrens books as well as the the child in islam parent s manual a guide for muslim parents living in north america for several years when i heard she had taken on this task i asked her to add anything she felt was missing from her years of experience and knowledge of the subject she has supplied all of the hadith reference numbers in the text in itself an enormous task in addition to editing she has filled out and amplified several

topics checking and adding material where needed the sections on the hereafter tahara respect for Societies

religion and hospitality are prepared and written by her it was only fair therefore that her name should appear on the title page of this book in recognition of her valuable contribution i am deeply grateful to her for her help and input i also need to thank my children who suffered through my learning experience and projects for self improvement in parenting skills and my mother whose life long interest in the growth and development of children helped me understand the importance of the matter and the need for a book such as this a final note to the book s non muslim readers i have chosen to use the word allah throughout the book instead of the word god the words are interchangeable in english for muslims but all of the women involved in this project have the habit indeed they have the love of referring to god the god of abraham mooses jesus and muhammad by his arabic name allah

this is the first english language survey of pakistan s socio economic evolution mohammad qadeer gives an essential overview of social and cultural transformation in pakistan since independence which is crucial to understanding pakistan s likely future direction pakistan examines how tradition and family life continue to contribute long term stability and explores the areas where very rapid changes are taking place large population increase urbanization economic development and the nature of civil society and the state it offers an insightful view into pakistan exploring the wide range of ethnic groups the countryside religion and community and popular culture and national identity it concludes by discussing the likely future social development in pakistan captivating students and academics interested in pakistan and multiculturalism qadeer s impressive work is a comprehensive examination of social and cultural forces in pakistani society and is an important resource for anyone wanting to understand contemporary pakistan

this fundamental guide to islam introduces the reader to the authority of the quran the life and prophethood of muhammad the primacy of the law in muslim culture the five pillars of islam and other fundamental principles of the religion it also makes distinctions between sunni and shiite traditions and the sufi mystical dimension of islam book jacket

essay comparing traditional islamic economics and ethics with the judeo christian value systems of capitalism covers attitudes to labour productivity domestic consumption civil rights etc references

once in a while a book comes along that can reshape the thinking of the world one person at a time reading the muslim mind is just such a book dr hassan hathout starts out from a simple

observation a lifetime of biculturalism leads him to note that islam in the west is widely known ^{Societies}

for what it is not this encyclopedic personality sets out to guide the reader on a comprehensive tour through islam for this voyage he supplies a keen and lucid anatomy of islamic life but more he provides with incisive clarity the inner guidebook he uncovers the tracing of the mind at work behind the practice the spirit behind the letter the rationale and the ultimate reason god

discover your true purpose and connect with allah are you searching for your true purpose and the meaning of life do you long for a deeper more fulfilling relationship with your creator allah god this comprehensive guide will help you discover allah and build a meaningful connection with him offering a clear and accessible introduction to the teachings of islam what s inside exploration of islamic beliefs and practices explanations of allah s names and attributes introduction to the noble quran and its significance insights into the lives of prophets and messengers detailed overview of the six articles of faith and five pillars of islam examination of key islamic concepts like tawhid shirk and jihad islamic perspective on topics such as jesus christ and women in islam guidance on converting to islam and living as a muslim perfect for spiritual seekers and those questioning their faith those that feel lost and feel an empty gap in their heart curious minds interested in learning about islam new muslims beginning their journey in faith seasoned muslims looking to deepen their understanding chapters include islam unveiled core beliefs and practices allah understanding the one true god the noble quran allah s final revelation prophets and messengers guides to humanity prophet muhammad pbuh the final messenger the muslim identity what it means to submit to allah hadith and sunnah following the prophet s pbuh example the six pillars of faith cornerstones of islamic belief the five pillars of islam foundations of muslim life tawhid and shirk the importance of monotheism jesus in islam the islamic perspective women in islam rights roles and the hijab the afterlife judgment paradise and hellfire embracing islam a guide to conversion why readers love this book comprehensive coverage of islamic teachings in a simple way clear explanations of complex concepts for beginners and long term muslims alike authentic information sourced directly from the quran and hadith practical guidance for applying islamic principles in daily life addresses common questions and misconceptions about islam about the sincere seeker collection the sincere seeker collection offers a variety of islamic resources including islamic blog articles an online islamic bookstore and animated islamic videos designed to educate and inspire those seeking a deeper understanding of allah s god message embark on your spiritual journey today whether you re feeling lost and searching for your life s purpose

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written by a muslim convert and mother of three welcome to islam captures the occasionally poignant but often humorous reality of being a muslim in the current climate as a convert a working woman a mother and as an active member of the local community discover what it s really like living life as a muslim praying the ritual prayers at work in an office when your boss walks in going on hajj with hundreds of saudi women dressed from head to toe in black or explaining to your six year old daughter who is looking at the pictures in the newspaper that the bearded asian muslim who is being arrested for terrorism isn t in fact the family friend we all know and love just someone who looks extremely similar it is rare to pick up a newspaper or watch the television without encountering a muslim issue at least once lucy bushill matthews story brings the faith behind the headlines refreshingly to life

the how to live as a muslim series is an essential guide for anyone who seeks to acquire an accurate knowledge of islam as it elucidates all the facets of islam with precise brevity in three volumes an introduction to islamic faith and thought living in the shade of islam and living the ethics and morality of islam this book covers in detail the other four pillars of islam the establishment of the five daily prayers the prescribed purifying alms observing the fast of ramadan and the pilgrimage to makka the volume also examines cleanliness the issues of marriage and family life the lawful and the unlawful

this selection of fifteen essays by modern french intellectuals focuses on religious syncretism m waseem s introduction outlines the gradual amalgamation of different religious elements during the spread of islam as described by these french intellectuals

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