

Subject: MEVLANA RUMI'S BIRTHDAY Celebration in Berkeley, SUNDAY SEPT 30th

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Salaams dear Shafee,

Please POST this to SufiPaths.

Thank you and Love, Hilal



Dearest Friends,

Bay Area Mevlevi Order of America Senior Teachers will be joined by Shaykh Issa Chishti and invite you to:

An evening of MUSIC, ILLAHIS, WORDS FROM MEVLANA, TURNING and ZIKR-ALLAH

Please join us to celebrate the 811th Birthday of Mevlana Jelaluddin RUMI

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 at 7:30pm at

Mahea Uchiyama Center for International Dance

729 Heinz Avenue, Berkeley, CA

Space has large parking lot!

Suggested \$10 donation or more!

Please be generous! We are raising funds to bring

Makam Postneshin Jelaledin Loras back to the US for a visit in 2019!!

ALHAMDULILLAH!

Please bring friends!

For more information or to RSVP, please reply to this email.

Words from MEVLANA:

*Cautious people say, "I'll do nothing until I can be sure."
Merchants know better. If you do nothing, you lose.*

*Don't be one of those merchants who won't risk the ocean!
This is much more important than losing or making money.*

*This is your connection to God! You must set fire to have light.
Trust means you're ready to risk what you currently have.*

*Think of your fear and hope about your livelihood.
They make you go to work diligently every day.*

*Now consider what the prophets have done.
Abraham wore fire for an anklet.
Moses spoke to the sea. David molded iron.
Solomon rode the wind.*

*Work in the invisible world
at least as hard as you do in the visible.*

*Be companions with the prophets even though
no one here will know that you are,
not even the helpers of the qutb, the abdals.*

*You can't imagine what profit will come!
When one of those generous ones invites you
into his fire, go quickly!
Don't say, "But will it burn me? Will it hurt?"*

YA MEVLANA HAQQ DOST! HU!

Salaams and Love,

Hilal