

Bismillah hir Rahmanir Rahim In the Name of Allah, the Compassionate, the Merciful



No hay Otro Dios más que Allah y Muhammad su último mensajero

Assalamu' Alaykum,

A new American minority is growing:

Latino Muslims

A 2007 ABC News story reported that 200,000 Latino Muslims live in the US.

Approximately 60% of Latino Muslims are women.

Among the reasons that Latinos embrace Islam are:

- ❖ Muslims value the dignified role of Jesus and the Virgin Mary in Islam;
- ❖ They cherish a direct relationship with God without any intermediaries;
- ❖ They find no compulsion in learning about Islam;
- ❖ They discover the Muslim heritage from al-Andalus

You can view more about Latino Muslims at www.lalma.org

URGENT APPEAL

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- ❖ Teach the fundamentals of Islam to Latino non-Muslims
 - ❖ Improve Islamic knowledge for Latino Muslims
 - ❖ Provide spiritual support for new Muslims through inclusion into the Muslim community of Southern California

LALMA created **Luz del Islam Publishers** to import high quality Spanish Islamic books

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The Message of the Qur'an (Spanish), Muhammad Asad
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LALMA ACTIVITIES

- ❖ Sunday Islamic Classes in Spanish (covering Islam, Quran & Tafsir, Seerah, Islamic History, Fiqh, Women in Islam, Hajj, & Arabic Language)

Interfaith events with the Catholic Archdioceses of Los Angeles & The United Methodist Church

- ❖ Introduction to History of Al-Andalus Presentations to Huntington Park and Cahuenga Public Libraries
- ❖ Participation in Health Fairs and Humanitarian Day

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Surah Ibrahim 14:4

"We sent not a messenger except (to teach) in the language of his (own) people, in order to make (things) clear to them.

LALMA is part of LLAMO
(League of Latino American Muslim Organizations).

<http://www.llamo.org>

LALMA has launched Islam 101 in Spanish at IIOC Omar al-Farook Mosque. For more information, visit: www.lalma.org

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