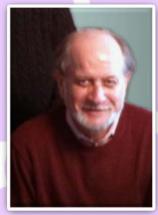


St Stephen's College Presents...

THE UNKNOWN HOLY LAND

in continuation of his 2008-2010 lecture tour by:

LOUIS BUFF PARRY



WITH GUEST LECTURERS:

Imam Dr Usama Al-Atar

Islamic Scholar, Religious Leader, Scientist

Prof Dr Michael Frishkopf

Associate Professor, U of A Dept Of Music Ethnomusicologist, Musician, Composer

Nadir Mellahmer

Edmonton Arts and Design Activist, Interior and Motif Designer, East-West Musician

Date: Tuesday Evenings

Time: 7:00-9:00 PM

Location: St Stephen's College 8810 112 St NW Edmonton

University of Alberta Campus

Cost: \$10.00 per lecture, \$5.00 for students

Seating is limited to 60. Tickets may be purchased in advance from St Stephen's College by phone (780)439-7311 or by visiting the College during Business Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30-4:30pm.

This six-part lecture series focuses on the understated and highly inventive array of contributions the East – particularly Islamic civilization – has made to the Western world, beginning in the land of proto-Abrahamic civilisations. Architecture, literature, astronomy, mathematics, chemistry, medicine, design, motifs, and music will be featured. Expect the unexpected in this series, whatever your spiritual, cultural, or national orientation may be!

Featured Lectures:

Tues, Feb 7	How the Most Potent, Pursued and Persecuted Manichean Christians Vectored Islamic Civilization West
Tues, Feb 14	Azerbaijan: Cradle of Religions and Crossroads of Civilizations
Tues, Feb 21	The Sorcerer's Apprentice and Big-Bang Diffusionism: Orientalism and the Transmission of Islamic Civilization to the West
Tues, Mar 6	The Shi'a Contribution to Western Civilization
Tues, Mar 13	Islamic Design Motifs and Music in the West: Part One
Tues, Mar 20	Islamic Design Motifs and Music in the West: Part Two