

Fifteenth Annual  
Northern California

# Sufi Sesshin

with Pīr Shabda Kahn, Murshīd Walī Ali, Murshīda Halīma and  
Murshīd Abraham Sussman, Sheikh Rahmat Moore and Sheikh Gayan Long

Friday, February 23 - Friday, March 2, 2018

Eight Days of Zikr, Dances of Universal Peace, and Meditation

**OUR USUAL DATES WERE NOT AVAILABLE ATIONS, SO THIS YEAR'S SUFI SESSHIN IS IN LATE FEBRUARY**

Join us for eight days of Silent Meditation alternating with Zikr and Dances of Universal Peace, integrating active practice with meditation, a deep and joyful experience.

"The Dances of Universal Peace and Zikr are an excellent way to prepare for meditation and meditation is an excellent way to prepare for the Dances of Universal Peace and Zikr."

— Murshīd Samuel Lewis

This potent practice combines the power and resonance of the Zikr Circle /Dance Circle with the profound calm and abiding wisdom of the meditative state. It is our goal that this integrative approach will move us toward a grounded balance of Serenity, Insight and Awareness. The teachings and transmission of Hazrat Inayat Khan and Murshīd Samuel Lewis will be woven into the context of the retreat.

Our retreat site, owned and operated by the Institute of Noetic Sciences, is a beautiful property on the Marin-Sonoma border, conveniently located right off Hwy 101, sheltered by rolling hills. It has a spacious Dance/Meditation Hall, dining hall and comfortable lodging in single or double rooms.

Cost for retreat, lodging, and meals is \$850/double occupancy or \$1050 for a single room. Off-site price \$595. Early birds, before December 31, deduct \$50. Part-time registrants must start at the beginning, \$130 per day on site double occupancy, \$165 per day, single occupancy. \$95 per day for commuters.

Youth scholarship/worktrade available-contact Nur Karima, youth scholarships apply to < <http://www.ruhaniat.org/index.php/youth-scholarships>>.

Sufi Sesshin fees provide only minimal support for the teachers — there will be an opportunity to give "Dana" (further financial generosity) at the retreat. To register, go to <<http://goldengatesufi.org/SufiSesshin>> or send a non-refundable deposit of \$150 to: Nur Karima Patrice, 2821 63rd Street, Sacramento, CA 95817

Checks or money orders can be made to "GGSC (Golden Gate Sufi Circle)" Credit Card payment through Paypal, see online registration form. You can also contact Nur Karima at 916-548-7221 or by email at [CASufiSesshin@gmail.com](mailto:CASufiSesshin@gmail.com).

Reserve your space as early as possible, save money, and avoid disappointment! Previous years have filled our allotted space.

