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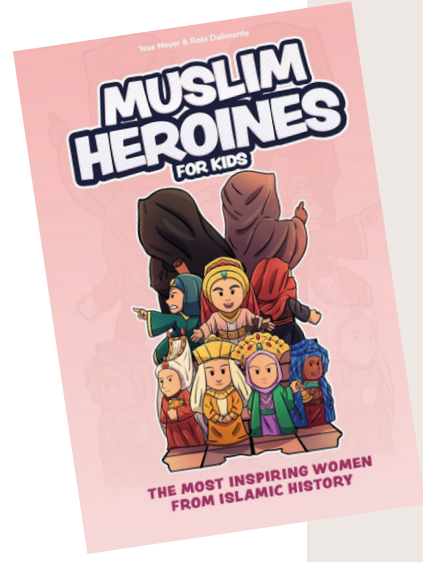
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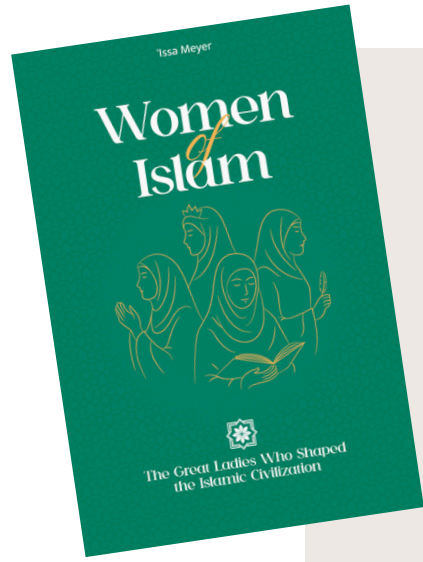


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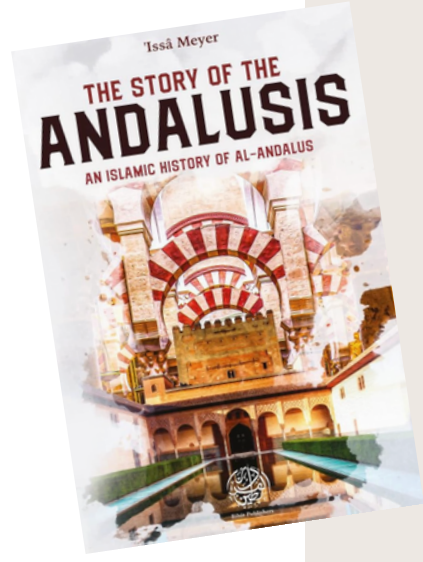


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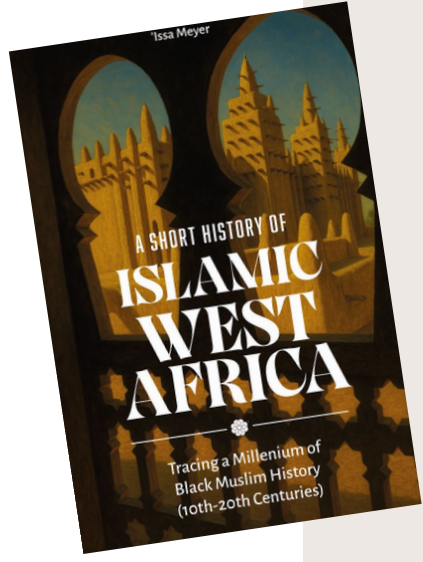


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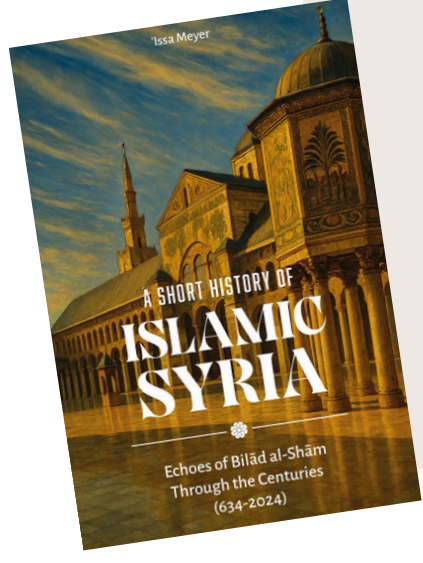
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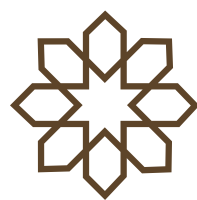
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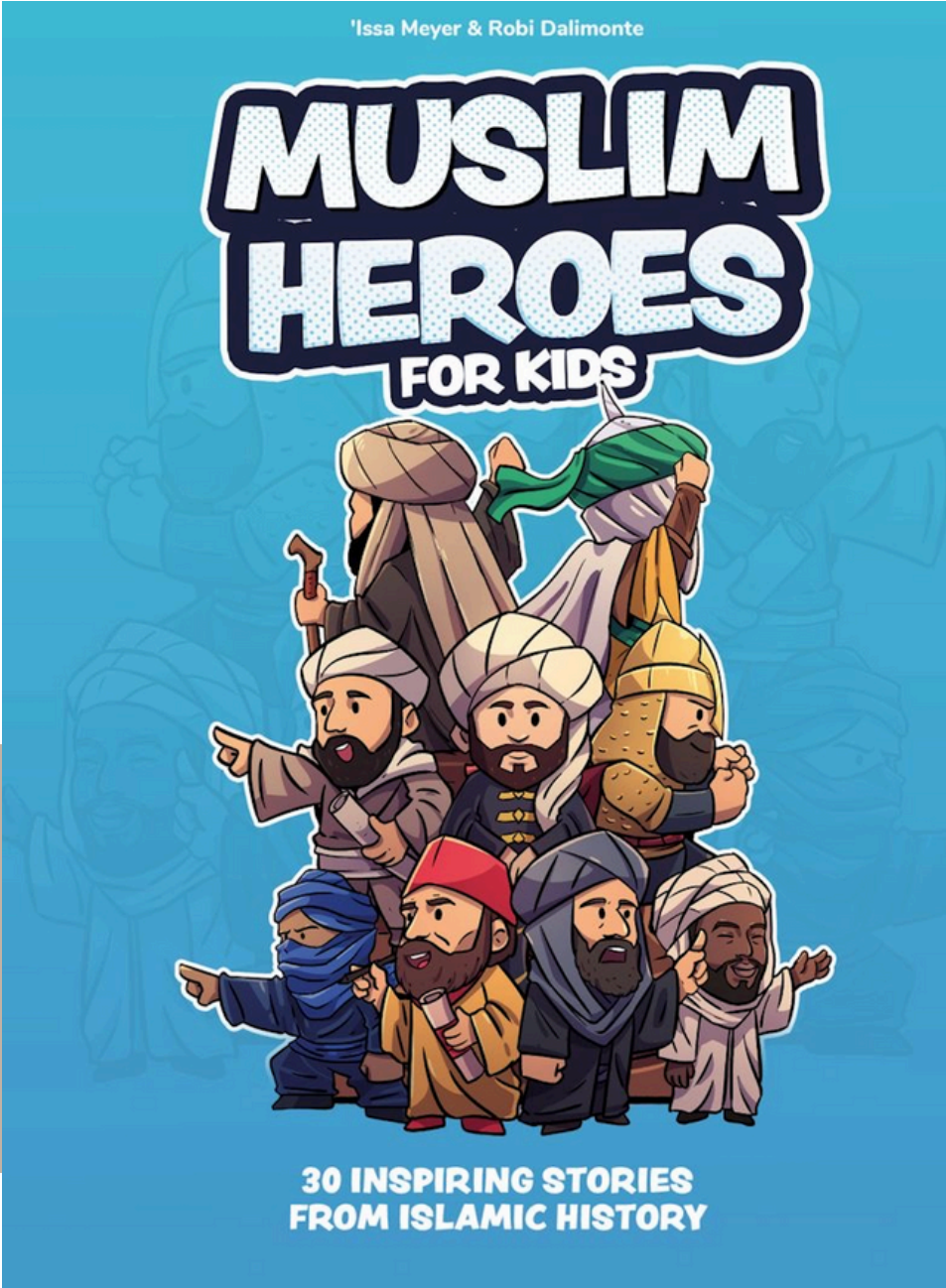
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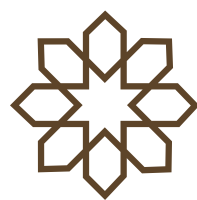
More than 1,400 years ago, the Prophet Muhammad ﷺ began his mission to share the message of Islam.

Since then, many great men have spread his message and helped build the Islamic civilization. Some changed the world through their bravery, justice, kindness, or faith. Others protected Muslims from great dangers. Many inspired people with their knowledge, wisdom, generosity, and sincerity.

From the Prophet's Companions and caliphs to scholars, generals, sultans, and artists — from every time and place — **this book tells the stories of 30 amazing Muslim heroes who shaped the incredible story of Islam!**

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Muslim Heroines For Kids

The Most Inspiring Women from Islamic History

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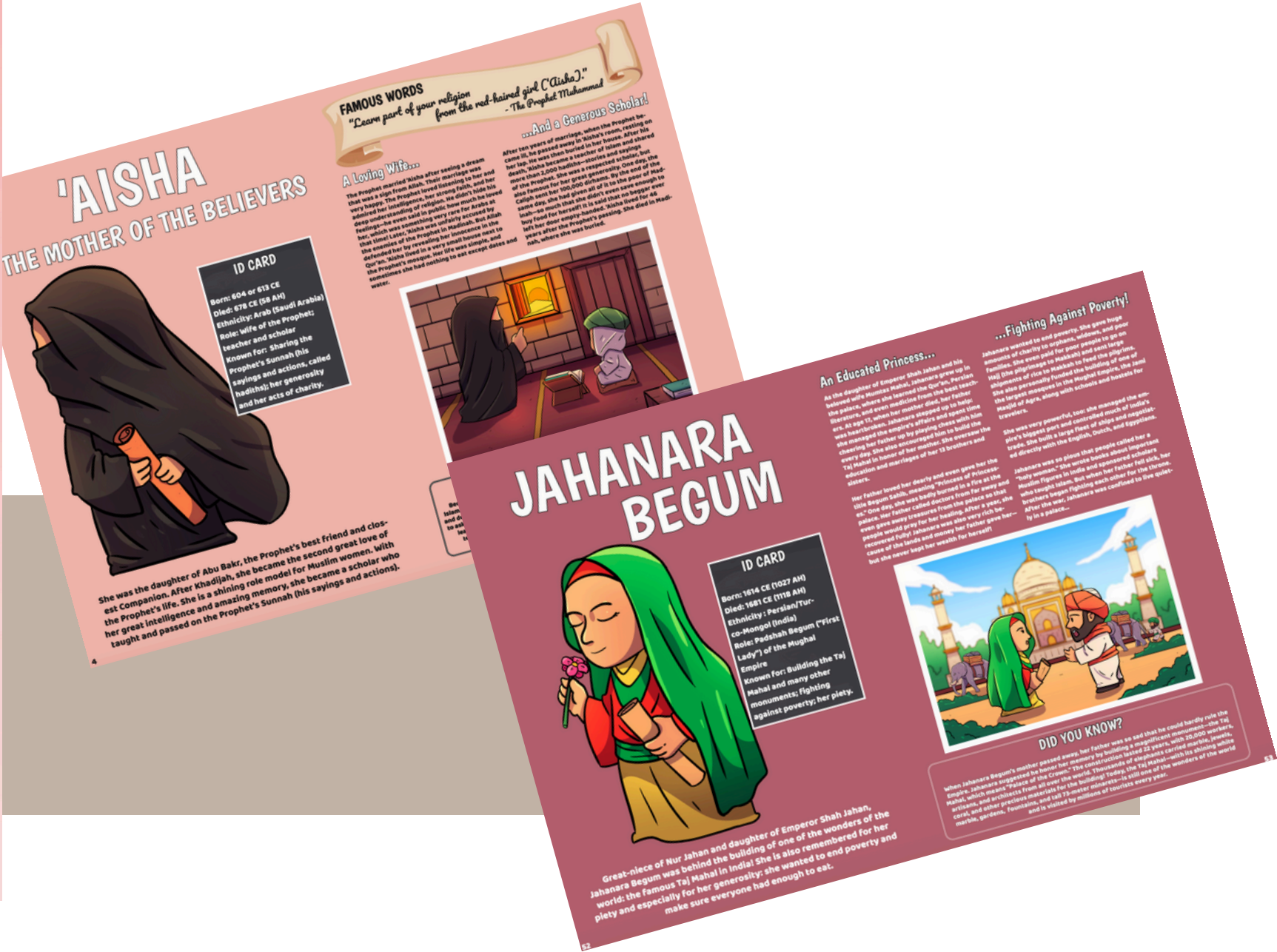
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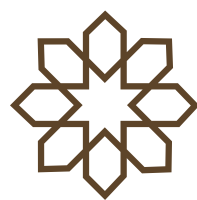
Many people don't realize how important women have been in Muslim history.

Since the time of Prophet Muhammad ﷺ, women have played a big role in society — teaching, sharing knowledge, helping others, and spreading the message of Islam. They were generous and cared deeply toward the poor, built wonderful monuments, and worked to make the world better. Some even led armies and empires, and protected Muslims from great dangers!

Wives, daughters, and Companions of the Prophet ﷺ, as well as scholars, princesses, and warriors — from every time and place — **this book shares the amazing stories of Muslim women with extraordinary lives!**

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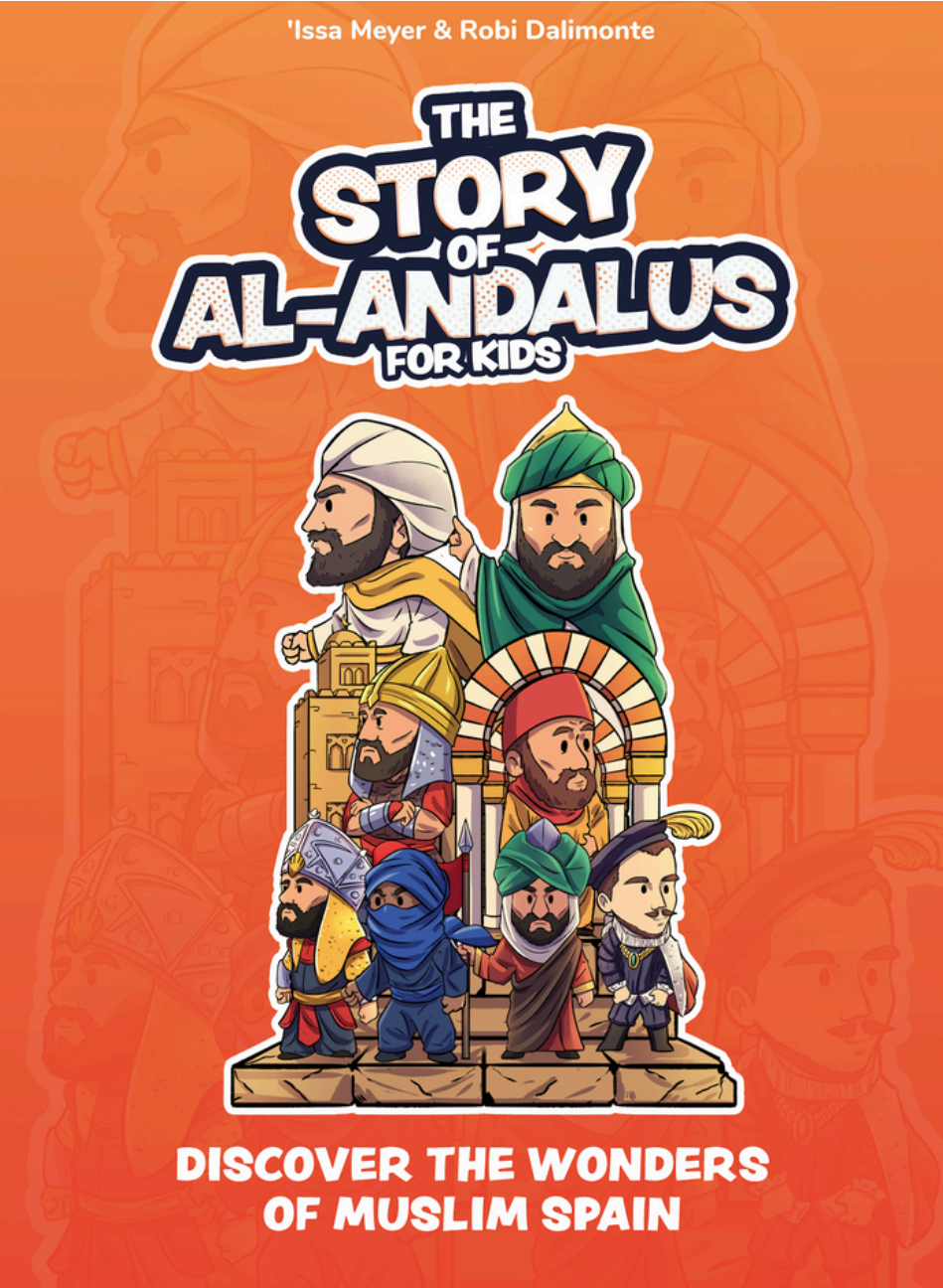




The Story of al-Andalus For Kids

Discover the Wonders of Muslim Spain

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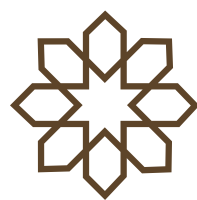


For almost 800 years (from 711 to 1492), Muslims ruled over Spain and Portugal — a land that was called al-Andalus. This wonderful country no longer exists, but it left a great mark on history!

In the Middle Ages, it was the richest and most advanced place in all of Europe — people came from far away to study science, and artists created amazing works like the Great Mosque of Cordoba and the Alhambra Palace!

In this book, you'll discover the most exciting moments and famous heroes of al-Andalus: emirs, caliphs and sultans, scholars, generals, inventors, princesses, and many more... **Get ready to travel back in time and explore the golden age of Muslim Spain!**

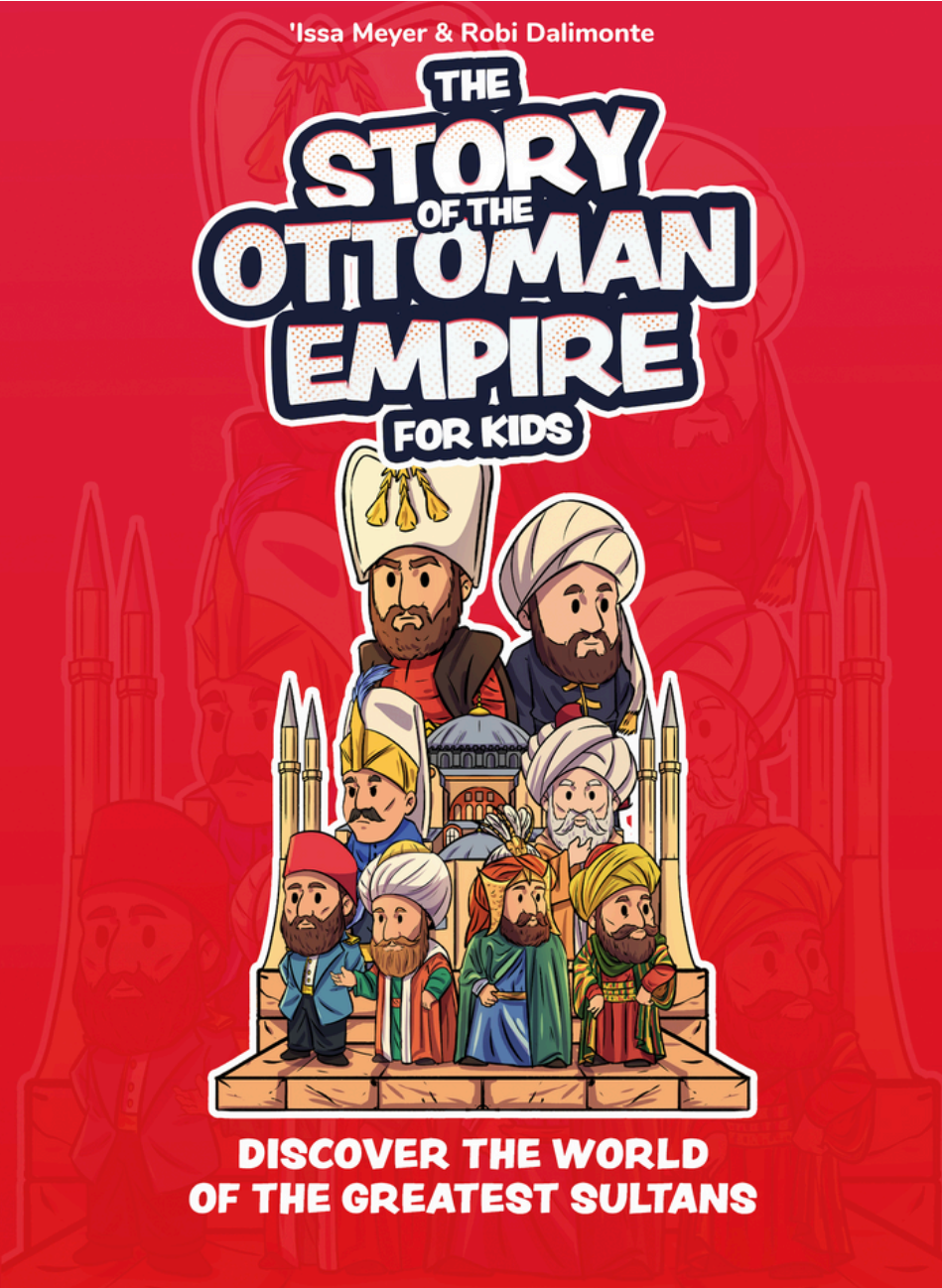
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The Story of the Ottoman Empire — For Kids

Discover the World of the Greatest Sultans

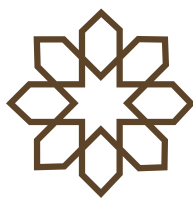
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For many centuries, the Ottoman Empire was the greatest power in the world! The sultans of Istanbul ruled across three continents — Africa, Europe, and Asia — over a huge part of the Muslim world, from Algeria to Iraq and from Ukraine to Yemen! **It was one of the greatest dynasties in the history of Islam**, and the last to carry the famous title of “Caliph.” It’s also the closest to our time, since it only ended in 1922.

In this book, you’ll discover the most exciting moments and amazing people from the incredible story of the Ottoman Empire — sultans and grand viziers, generals and janissaries, sailors and architects, princesses, and many more... **Get ready to travel back in time and meet the heroes who built one of the greatest empires in history!**

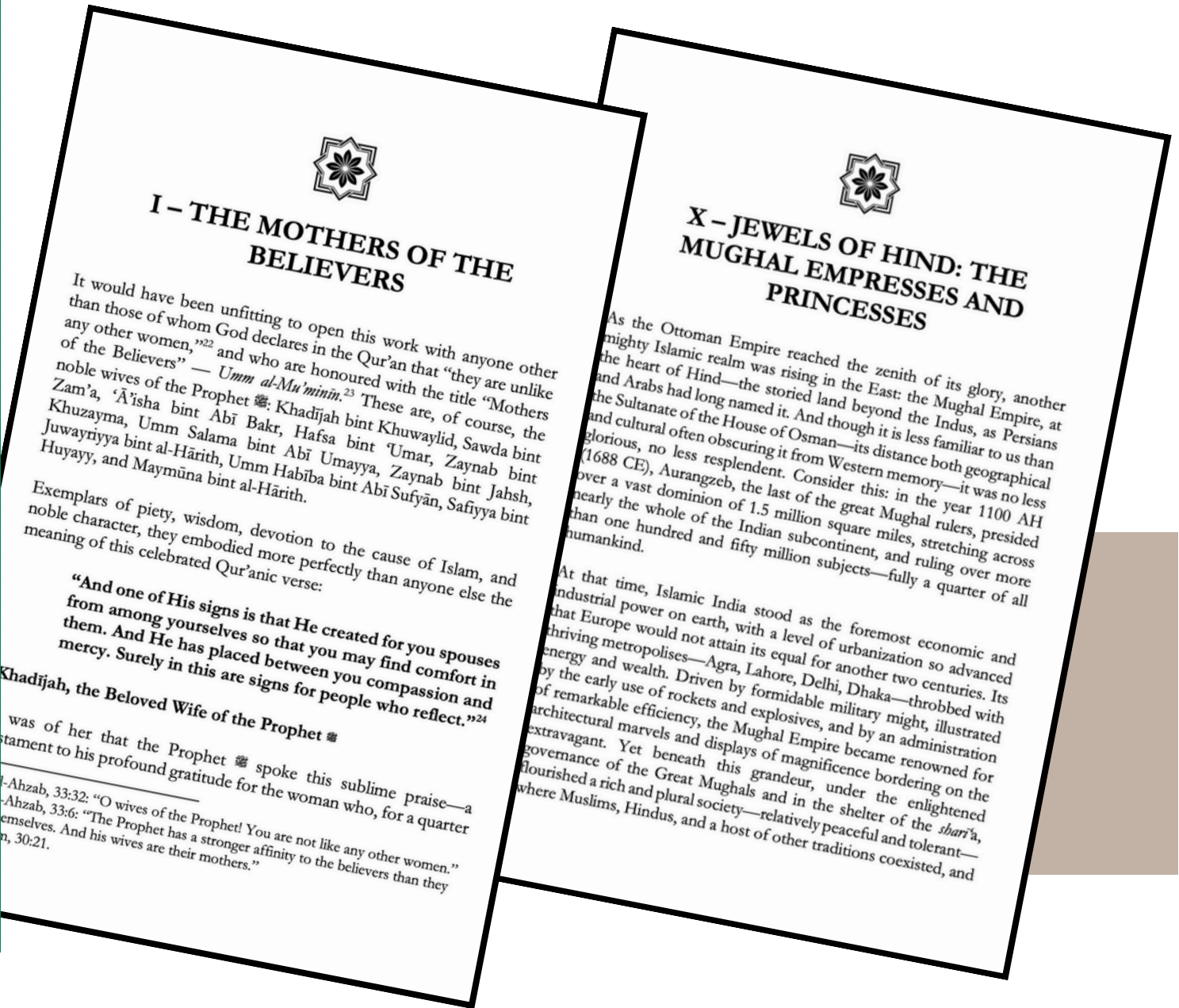
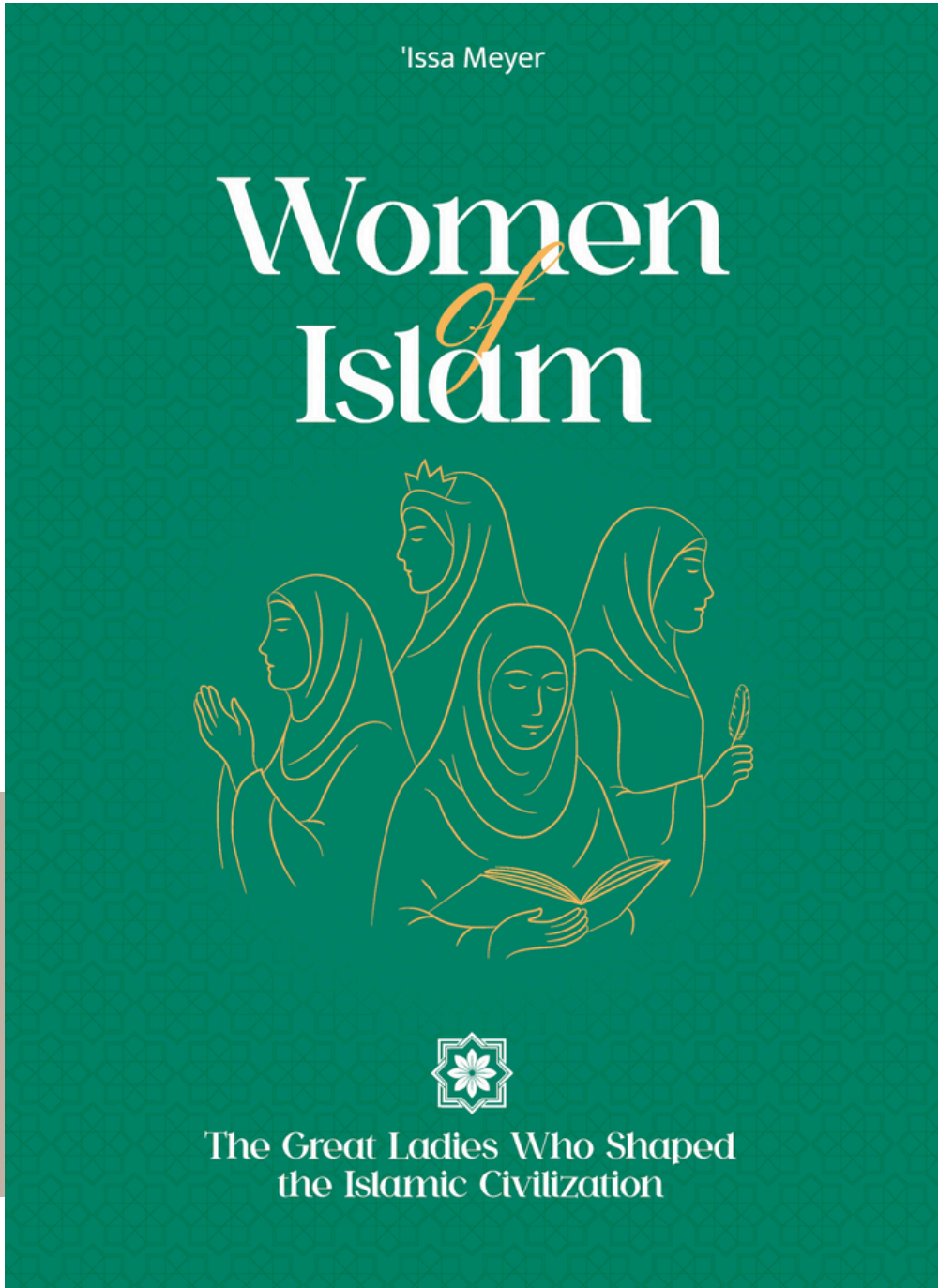
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The Great Ladies Who Shaped the Islamic Civilization

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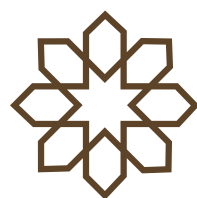


From the earliest days of Islam — Mothers of the Believers, daughters of the Prophet ﷺ, and among his Companions — women stood at the heart of every trial and triumph. Few traditions can claim such an active and vital female presence from their very beginnings.

After the passing of the Messenger of God ﷺ, they became scholars and teachers, guardians of sacred knowledge, and patrons of learning. From Baghdad to Córdoba, the great ladies of Islam's Golden Age — poets, artists, princesses, and philanthropists — shaped the intellectual and cultural life of their time.

Facing the Crusades, the Conquista, or the first waves of colonization, some even rose as leaders of armies; and during the Ottoman “Sultanate of Women,” they guided the destiny of the most powerful empire of the Muslim world. From Mughal India to Istanbul and across Africa, their influence shone through their charity, intellect, and architectural legacy.

Through vivid chronicles spanning centuries and continents, **Women of Islam** pays homage to these remarkable figures — a resounding testament to the deep harmony between the true spirit of Islam and the flourishing of women.



The Story of the Andalusis

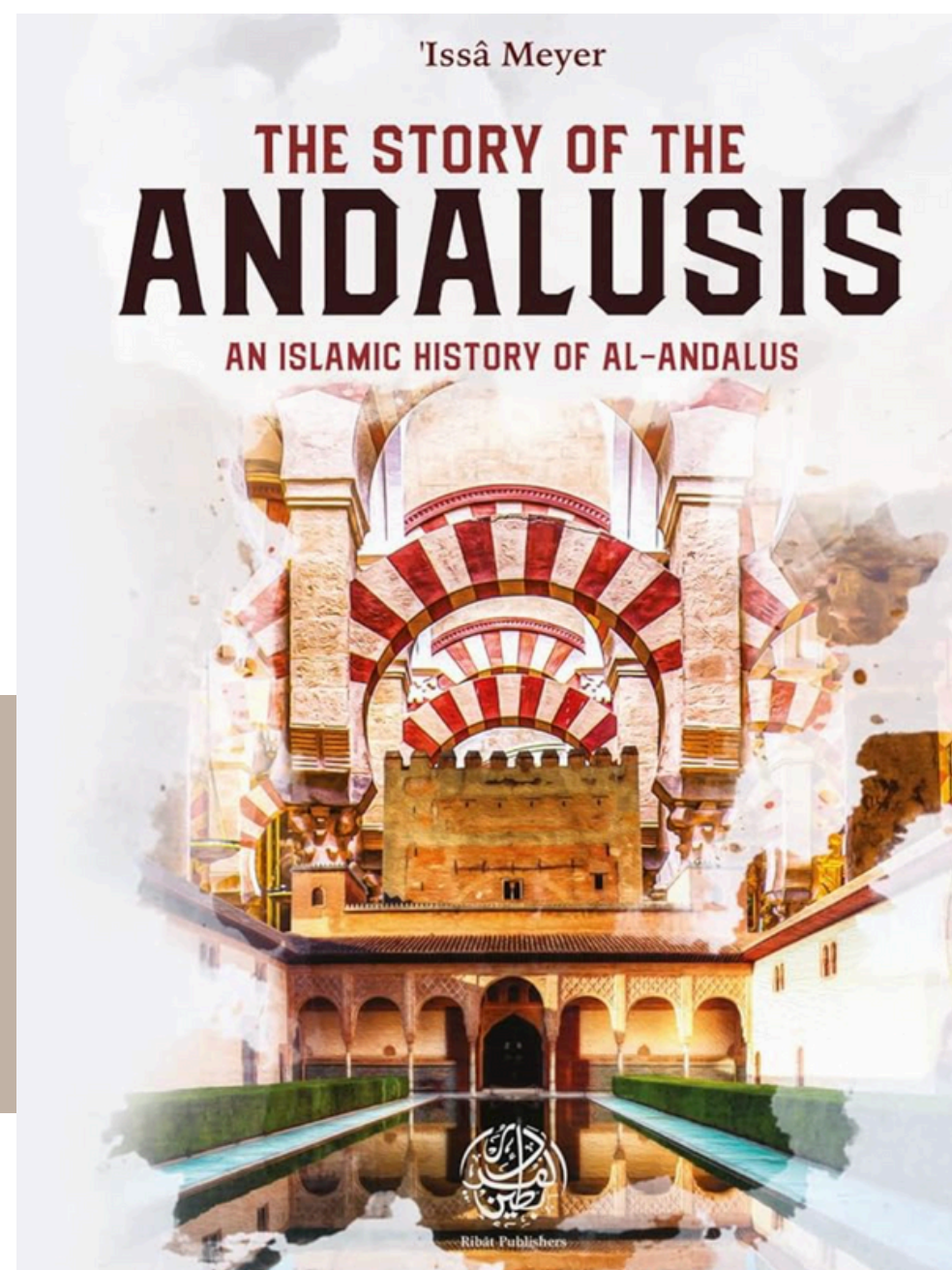
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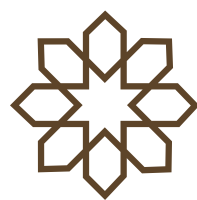
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From Tariq ibn Ziyad's first steps on the soil of the Old Continent, in 711, to the last expulsions of the Moriscos, in 1614, **"The Story of the Andalusis"** unfolds a fantastic epic of 900 years of Muslim presence in Europe through historical upheavals and reversals of fortune, conquests and exiles, triumphs and disasters. A tale of wars, clashing wills and ambitions, but also of exchanges, encounters, waves of ideas, goods and peoples, at the crossroads of civilisations, identities and continents – all this making al-Andalus an exciting human fresco, filled with great and not so great men of power, religion, pen or sword.

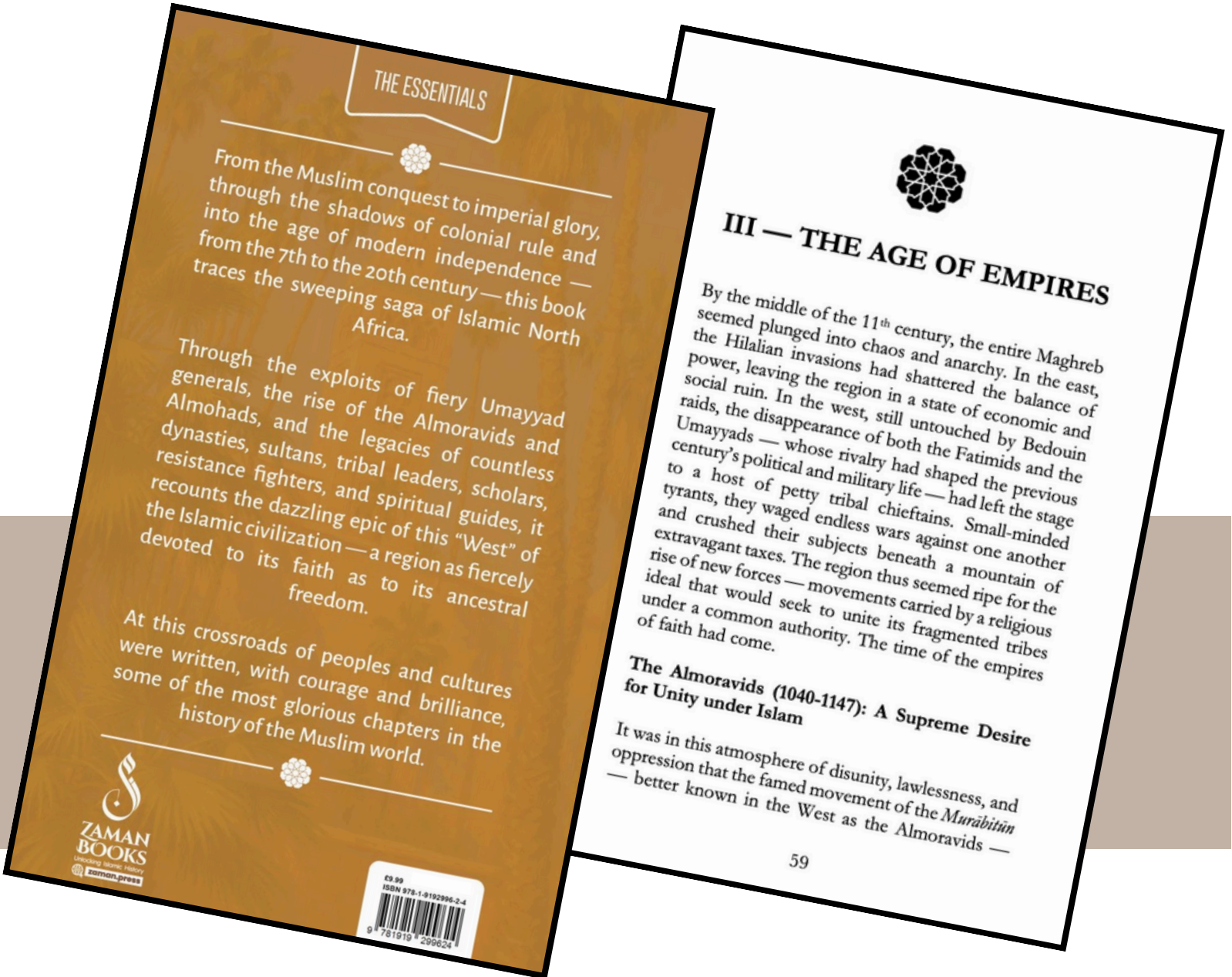
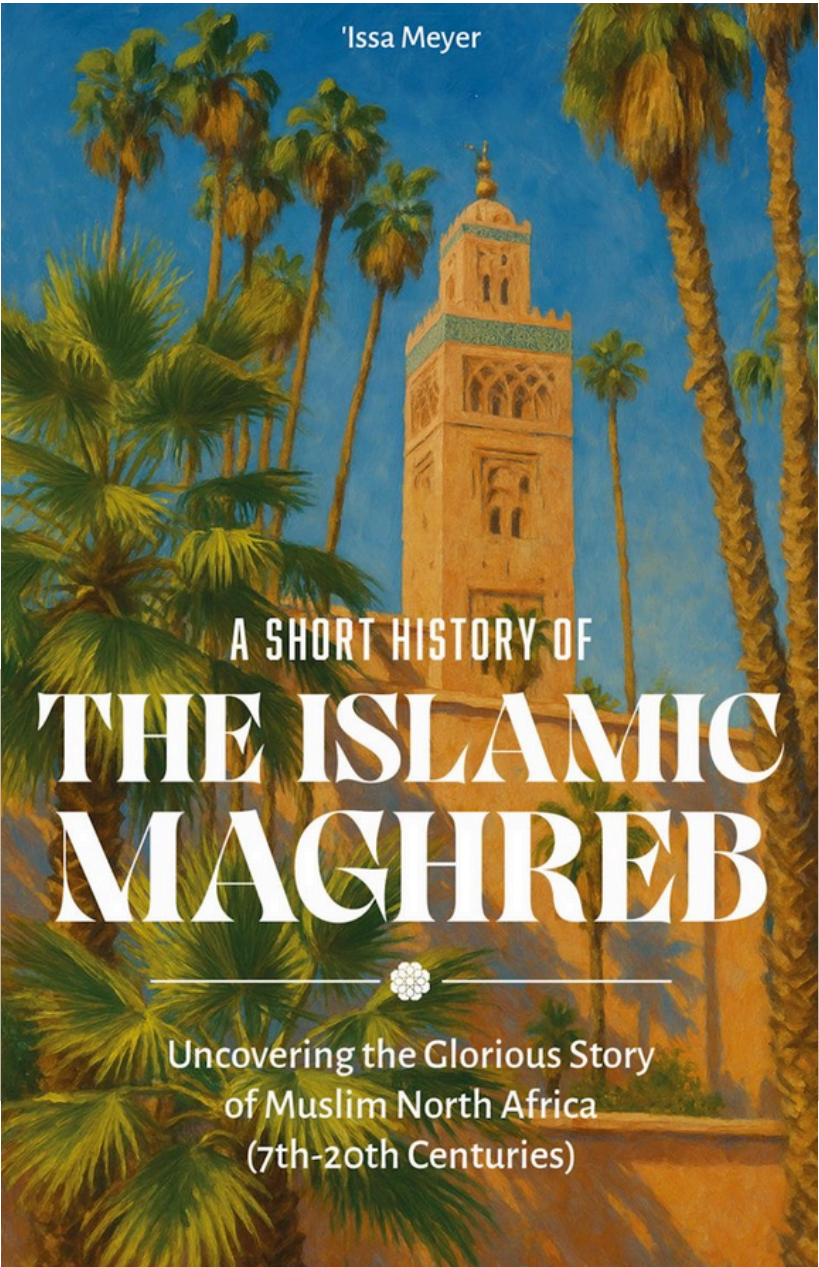
The first opus in our series on the Muslims of Europe, this great historical saga also attempts to dispel the many myths that obscure the understanding of this complex era. But first and foremost, "The Story of the Andalusis" is an ode to a vanished nation – a nation of freedom-loving warriors and poets, fiercely attached to their faith and bound by a common destiny strewn with hardship.



A Short History of the Islamic Maghreb

Uncovering the Glorious Story of Muslim North Africa

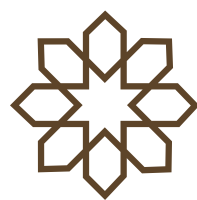
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From the Muslim conquest to imperial glory, through the shadows of colonial rule and into the age of modern independence — from the 7th to the 20th century — **this book traces the sweeping saga of Islamic North Africa.**

Through the exploits of fiery Umayyad generals, the rise of the Almoravids and Almohads, and the legacies of countless dynasties, sultans, tribal leaders, scholars, resistance fighters, and spiritual guides, it recounts the dazzling epic of this “West” of the Islamic civilization — a region as fiercely devoted to its faith as to its ancestral freedom.

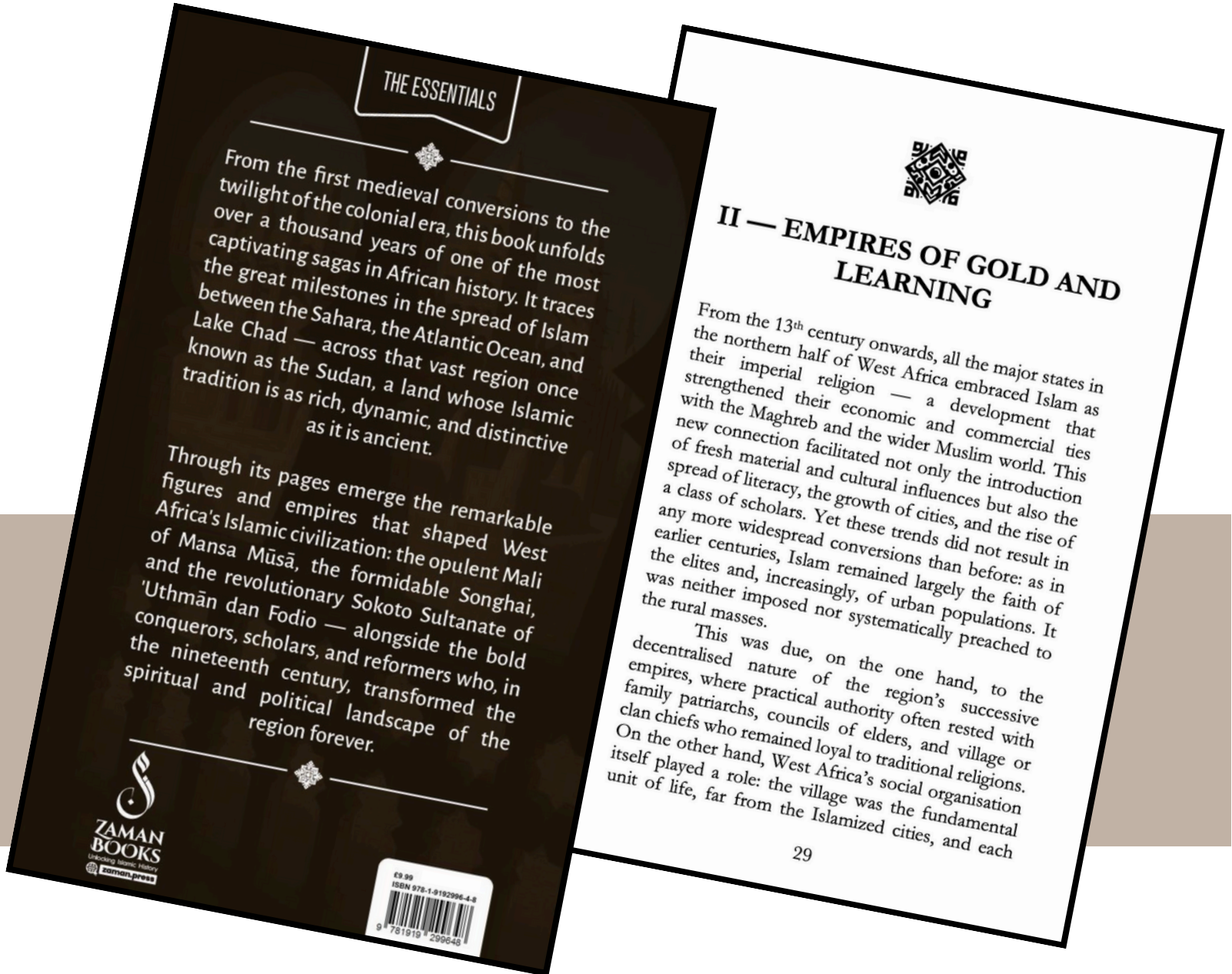
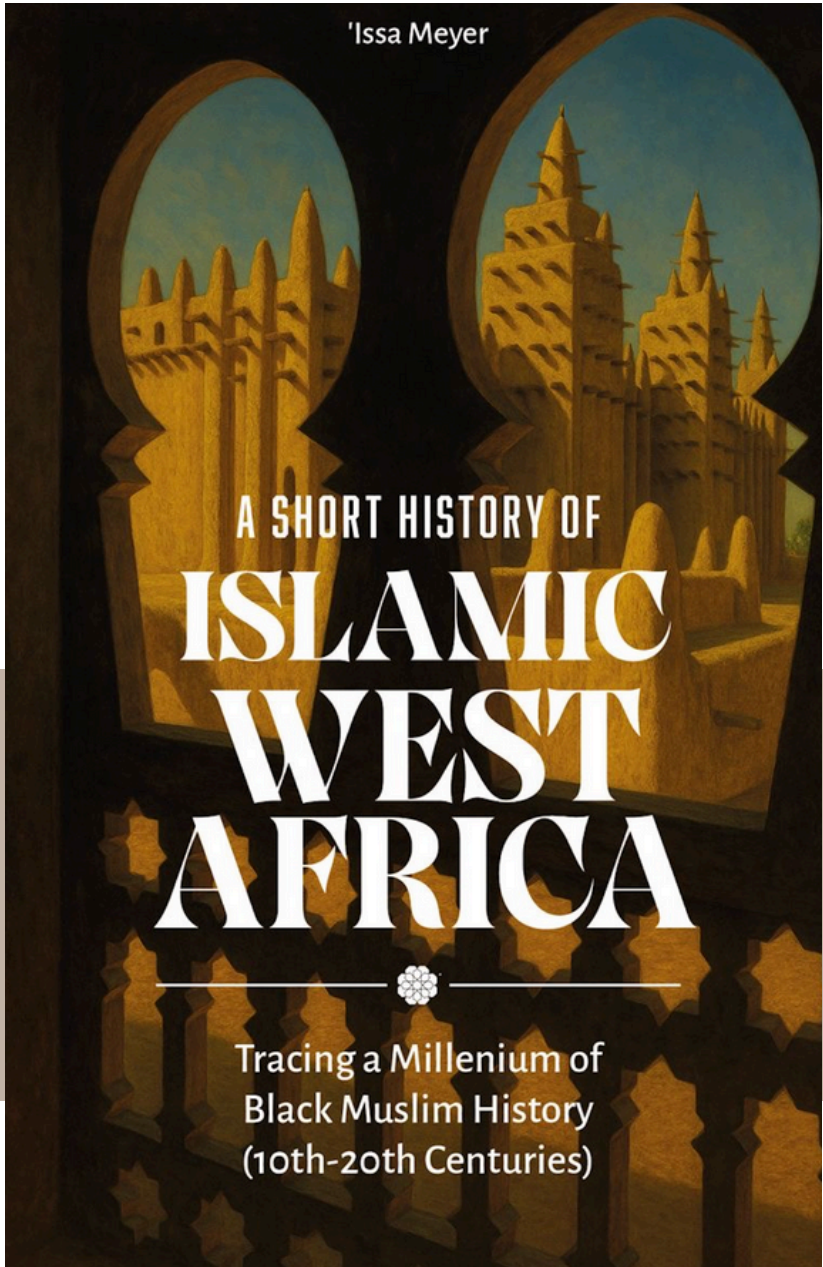
At this crossroads of peoples and cultures were written, with courage and brilliance, some of the most glorious chapters in the history of the Muslim world.



A Short History of Islamic West Africa

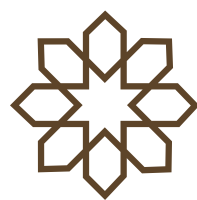
Tracing a Millenium of Black Muslim History

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From the first medieval conversions to the twilight of the colonial era, **this book unfolds over a thousand years of one of the most captivating sagas in African history.** It traces the great milestones in the spread of Islam between the Sahara, the Atlantic Ocean, and Lake Chad — across that vast region once known as the Sudan, a land whose Islamic tradition is as rich, dynamic, and distinctive as it is ancient.

Through its pages emerge the remarkable figures and empires that shaped West Africa's Islamic civilization: the opulent Mali of Mansa Mūsā, the formidable Songhai, and the revolutionary Sokoto Sultanate of 'Uthmān dan Fodio — alongside the bold conquerors, scholars, and reformers who, in the nineteenth century, transformed the spiritual and political landscape of the region forever.

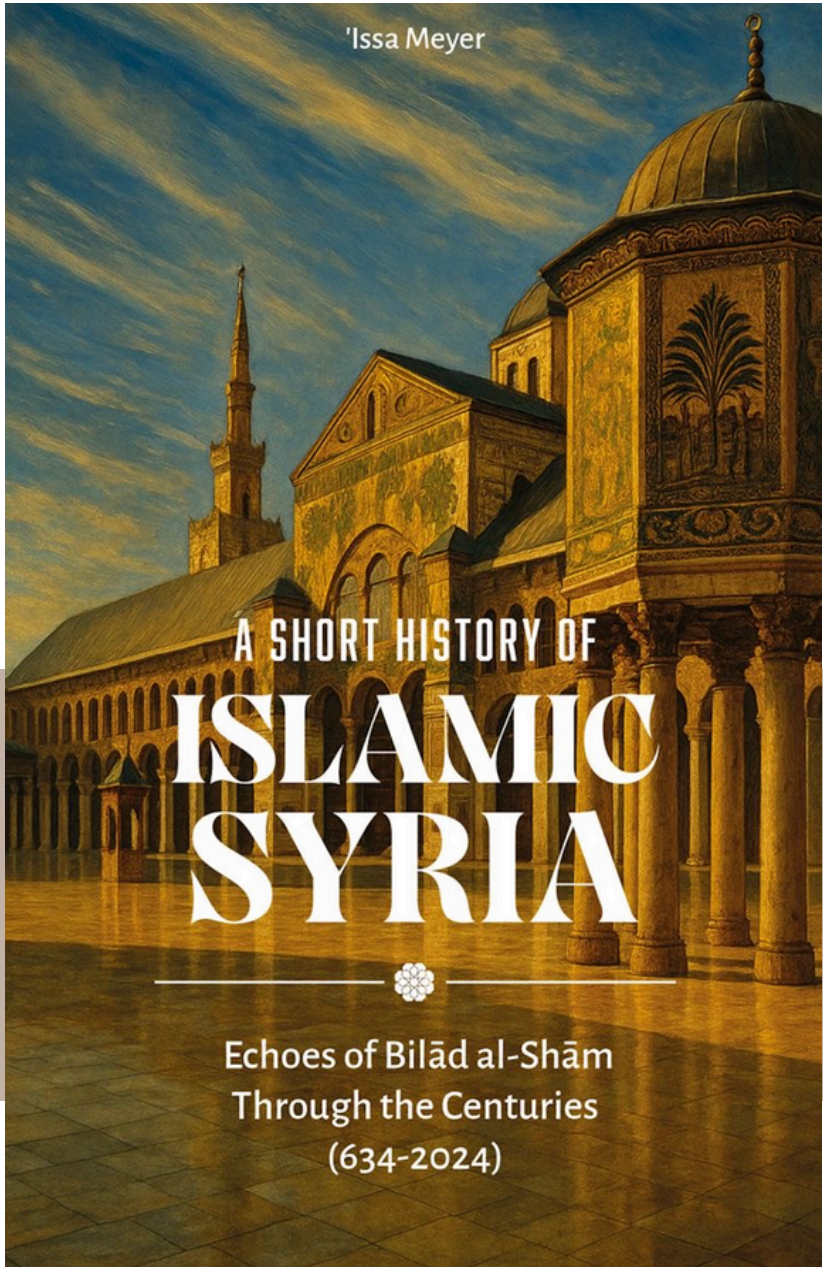


A Short History of Islamic Syria

Echoes of Bilād al-Shām Through the Centuries

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Civil war, refugee crisis, terrorism — over the past decade, Syria has too often made headlines for reasons unworthy of its millennia-old legacy of grandeur, refinement, and learning.

Yet this blessed land — cradle of an exquisite civilization, seat of the mightiest of the caliphates, and stage of the triumphs of more than one illustrious dynasty — holds a truly unique place in the annals of the Muslim world, and indeed, of humanity itself.

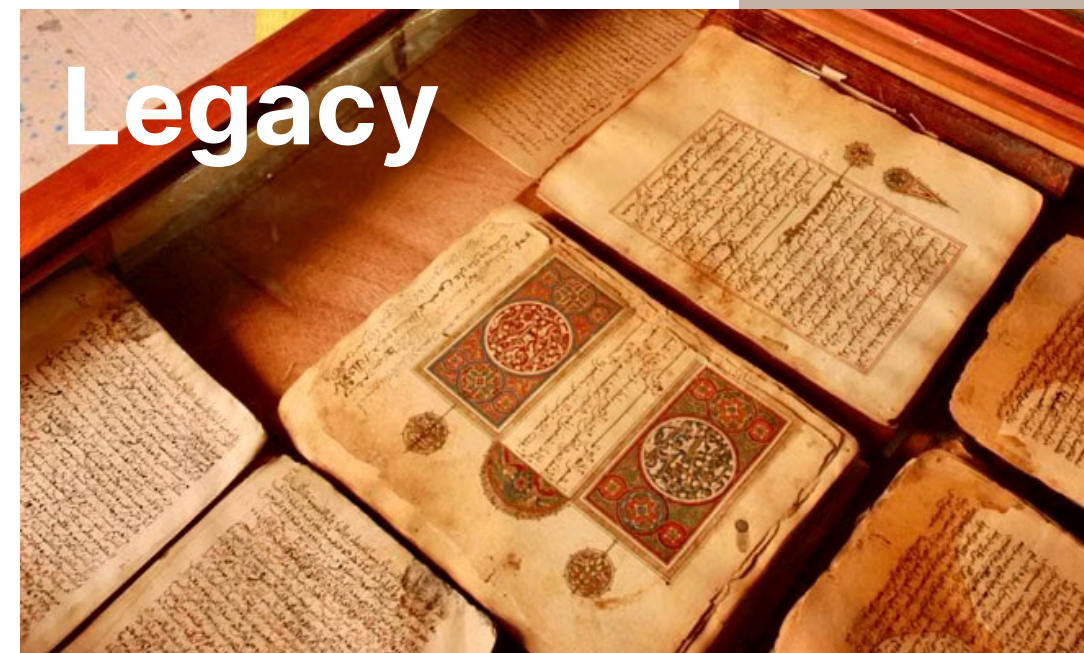
This book retraces the astonishingly rich and eventful history of Bilād al-Shām, from the Muslim conquest of the seventh century to the fall of the Assad regime — a tribute to a people of extraordinary resilience who, through the most harrowing trials, have always found the strength to rise again.

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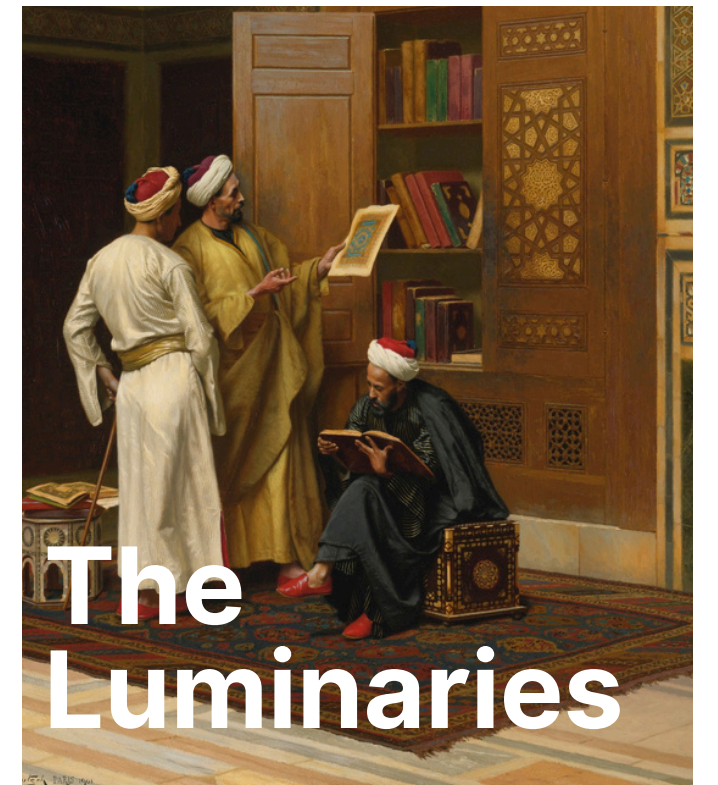


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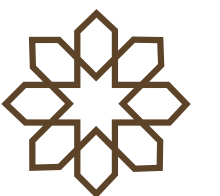


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