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Introduction

This guide is updated regularly and is available for purchase. It is the only directory of its kind in the nation. Please send us any information about newspapers and organizations so we may include them and update this document. Send your updates to rayhanania@aol.com. Thank you.

How to use this guide

- Use the directory to identify Arab American news media, journalists and writers, and mail, fax or email a press releases to them to promote a new product, an event or contact information on issues of interest to readers.
- Use the directory to network and find employment by reaching out to professionals.
- Use the directory to contact regional leaders who can participate in events and speak to issues of interest to your specific field of service.
- Use the directory to contact various institutions such as mosques, churches, journalism association and other organizations.

The guide is divided into several sections detailing information on National Contacts, Midwest Regional Contacts, non-U.S. locations and Online Internet resources.

Information changes frequently and we update this directory several times each year. New editions are available by annual purchase. And we provide an updated PDF copy for only \$25 at any time from one year after purchasing either a PDF version or a print version. Just email us when you would like to purchase the update. A button will be available on the web site for updates.

If you see data that has changed, please email it to us and we will make any updates immediately. Your suggested updates will help everyone.

Thank you for supporting this project by purchasing the Media Directory.

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October 25, 2007

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Regional Breakdown of newspapers

Midwest – 29 – (6 States) IL., MI., IND, OH, MN, WI

South – 5 – (2 States) FL., GA.

East – 19 – (8 States) NY, NJ, MD, MA, VA, PA DC, CT

Northwest – 2 – (2 States) OR, WA

West – 26 – (4 States) CA, TX, AZ NV

(Including National Magazines – 11)

Most of the newspapers are published either monthly or twice monthly. Nine (9) of the listed publications are magazines, which focus almost exclusively on politics or on religious issues. The rest are based in Arab communities where they are published and provide a mix of mostly international politics and news, and local news. Some are published in Arabic only, and most are published in both Arabic and English.

There are no audited circulation figures for any of the newspapers but a partial survey of the publications show they publish between 3,000 and 30,000 copies per edition. Several of the newspapers claim “regional” distribution, meaning they are published in one state but distributed in several nearby states. This is most common in the East Region.

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Florida - 2

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Information: Racists attempted to burn this church down in September following the World Trade Center attacks, causing more than \$250,000 in damages. The church is one of four Assyrian Churches in the Chicago area serving more than 7,500 Assyrian Arab families. Assyrians are not Arab, though they speak Arabic and live in Arabic countries, mainly in Iraq. They have a very strong history and proud culture and stand side-by-side with the Arab World.

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Metro Detroit Christian Church

33045 Hamilton Court, E117
Farmington Hills MI - 48334
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Peter Dresser
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Email: info@metrodetroit.org

Our Lady of Lebanon

Maronite Catholic Church
950 N. Grace Street
Lombard, Illinois 60148
Telephone: (630) 932-9640
FAX: (630) 932-9463

St. Elias Church,

Pastor Paul,Albert,
4940 Harroun Rd,
Sylvania,Ohio,43560

St. Elias Lutheran Church,

Pastor Gabi Aelabouni

Former Pastor Rimon,Said,
1500 W. Elmdale Ave,
Chicago,IL,60660
773-810-9618
steliasChicago@yahoo.com

St. Martin Melkite Church
Hammond, Indiana
Father Samir
219-933-1457

Holy Transfiguration Antiochian Orthodox Church
28 W. 770 Warrenville RD.
Warrenville IL. 60555
Fr. Bill Calderoni
630-836-1319

All Saints Antiochian Orthodox Church
4129 W. Newport
Chicago IL. 60641
Fr. Patrick Reardon
773-777-0749

St. Vincent de Paul Society
New Gate, Casa Nova Street
P.O. Box 54773 – Jerusalem
Telfax: 972 2 6264432
svpjrs@netvision.net.il
Read about them?

Holy Land Christian Ecumenical Foundation
www.hcef.org
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skerin@hcef.org

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P.O. Box 550846,
Jacksonville, Florida, 32255-0846

ELCA
Middle East Networking
Division for
Global Mission, ELCA

www.elca.org/middleeast
800-638-3522, ext. 6466
www.elca.org/peacenotwalls

The Lutheran World Federation
Office for Communication Services
150, route de Ferney
P. O. Box 2100
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Al-Bushra
www.albushra.org
veryfriendlyto@aol.com
Fr. Labib Kobti

Arabic Bible
www.arabicbible.com T
arab Evangelical and Baptist Churches in the
US.

Holy Cross Melkite-Greek Catholic Church
451 West Madison Avenue
Placentia, CA 92870
714 985 1710
hcmelkite@earthlink.net
www.holycrossmelkite.org Rev. Fr. James
Babcock, Pastor
Rev. Dcn. Edward Faulk, Pastoral Assistant

St. Luke Lutheran Church
9100 Colesville Road
Silver Spring, MD 20910

St. Anne Church
Rev. Fr Albert Wehbe, Pastor
Rev. Fr Alam Alam, Assistant Pastor
Rev. Dcn. George Sayegh
Rev. Dcn. Marion Rimmer
Rev. Dcn. George Karout
11211 Moorpark St.
North Hollywood, CA 91620
Phone: (818) 761-2034

St. Jacob Mission Melkite
2766 Navaho Rd.
El Cajon, CA 92020

(Our Lady of Grace Roman Catholic Church)
Phone: (619) 588-6536

St. Paul Mission Melkite

Rev. Fr. Alexei Smith, Pastor
Rev. Dcn. Irenaeus Dione
538 Concord St.
El Segundo, CA 90245
(St. Andrew Russian-Greek Catholic Church)
Phone: (310) 322-1892

St. Philip Mission Melkite

Rev. Fr. Justin Rose, Pastor
932 Congress St.
San Bernardino, CA 92410
Phone: (909) 889-3579

Virgin Mary Mission Melkite

28900 Front St. #105A
Temecula, CA 92590
(909) 308-1060

Midwest Region Sources

Chicago Arab American Organizations

Arab American Bar Association

PO Box 81325
Chicago IL 60681
312/946-0110

William Haddad, Executive Director
Review: One of the most dependable organizations in Chicagoland. Very active in local professional legal matters and events, supportive of all Arab American individuals, and active in reviewing the credentials of local judges in election campaigns.

Society of Arab American Journalists

Ali Alarabi, director
PO Box 1224
LaGrange Park, IL 60526
Alialarabi@charter.net
www.saaaj.org

Review: Syndicate of writers to promote Arab American viewpoints.

National Arab American Journalists Association

PO Box 2127
Orland Park, IL 60462
708-575-9078 Fax
www.naaja-us.com
rayhanania@comcast.net

Review: *Sponsors the annual Arab American Writers Conference each year in Chicago. Sponsors bi-monthly meetings with journalists and communications professionals. A reorganization of the former Association of Arab American Journalists founded in 1986 - 1990. The only professional writer's forum for Arab American's in the Chicago area. Has more than 71 members in Chicago.*

Arab American Chicagoland Census

7905 S. Cicero Ave

Suite 200
Chicago IL 60652
773-735-7755

Fax: 773-735-8466

Review: *The official Arab American census effort in Chicago region. Works with the US Census office and Arab American Census Representative Anna Mustafa.*

American Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee (ADC)

Office and contact information not provided
Review: National organization dedicated to fighting anti-Arab bigotry. Visit the parent organization web site at www.ADC.org

United Holy Land Fund

6000 W. 79th Street
Lower Level
Burbank, IL 60543
708-430-9731

Review: Proven charitable source with an excellent reputation for supporting programs and needy projects in the Arab Countries, especially in Palestine.

The Lifta Association for Charity

Lifta Association for Charity
P.O. Box 528247
Chicago, IL 60652
Mofeed Bages, President
773-418-1564
Club House Location:
6000 W. 79th Street
Burbank, IL
708-599-3300

Review: *The Lifta Association is a charitable organization working for the benefit of its members and the Arab community at large. It organizes educational, social and cultural activities. Its center is at 6000 W. 79th St.,*

Lower Level in Burbank, IL and is open most evenings. A weekly tutoring program offers children instruction in Arabic language. Picnics and family outings are arranged throughout the year

ALSAC St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Assn.

PO Box 2190 Dept. JES
Oak Park, IL 60603
708-358-0330
FAX: 708-383-3992

Review: Charitable social service organization that helps raise funds and supports St. Jude's Children Hospital. Primarily Lebanese and Syrian American, but has many board members of Palestinian and Jordanian heritage on its board.

AA Assn. of Engineers & Architects

P.O. Box 2160
Bridgeview, IL 60455
708-802-1148

Dr. Soliman Khudeira P.E., President
Dr. Ahmad Hammad P.E., Chairman
E-mail: aaaea@aaaea.org
webpage: www.aaaea.org

Review: Influential professional organization for engineers and architects of Arab American heritage.

Jordanian Arab American Business Assn

Ihsan Sweiss
PO Box 671
Oak Lawn, IL 60453
708-599-1300
FAX: 708-599-2121

E-mail: vojnews@aol.com Review: An affiliate of the Voice of Jordan Newspaper.

The Ramallah Club of Chicago

2700 N. Central Ave
Chicago IL 60639
773-237-2727

FAX 773-237-0214
email: afrpchicago@hotmail.com
Web page: www.afrpchicago.org

Review: Palestinians from the Town of Ramallah constitute nearly 50 percent of all the Palestinians who live in the Chicago area. This is also a chapter of one of the largest national grassroots social organizations in the country, the Ramallah Federation of Palestine.

Turmusayya Palestine Club

1257 N. Milwaukee Ave, 3rd Floor
Chicago, IL., 60613

<http://tormusayya-online.com/>

Review: Organization of Americans originating from the Palestinian village of Turmusayya.

Syrian American Congress

1415 West 22nd Street, Tower Floor,
OakBrook, IL 60523
(630) 645-3839

newsletter@sacongress.org

www.sacongress.org

Chicago Islamic Cultural Center

3357 W. 63rd Street
Chicago IL 60629
773-436-8083
773-436-8785 fax

FUHEIS AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF CHICAGO

<http://fuheisclub.org>
Samih Ayed Sweis, President
7905 S. Cicero Ave, Ste 206
Chicago, IL 60652
telephone # 773-284-0201
fax# 773-284-0210.

Arab American Educational Council

Frank Bustany
708-243-7523

Illinois Coalition for Immigration and Refugee Rights

Juliette Abu-Ayoun
www.icirr.org

36 S. Wabash Ave, Suite 1425
Chicago IL 60603
312/332-7360
FAX: 312/332-7044
info@icirr.org

Committee for a Democratic Palestine
Younis Al-Jazaran
773-672-1290

Palestine American Community Center
AbdelGhafer Al-Arouri, President
708-233-6623
6000 W. 79th Street
Burbank, IL 60453
Review: This is the largest organization representing Christian and Muslim Palestinians in the Chicagoland area.

Beitunia American Club
Kayyad Hassan, President
708-923-6312
708-923-7301 FAX
Miriam Zayed, Board member
708-349-4828 *Background: Beitunia is the sister city of Ramallah located in the West Bank, Palestine. Palestinians from Beitunia and Ramallah make up about 90 percent of the Palestinians in the Chicagoland area, split equally.*

ADVISORY COMMISSION ON ARAB AFFAIRS

Chicago Commission on Human Relations
740 N. Sedgwick St, Suite 300
Chicago IL 60610
312-744-4115
312-744-1081
Background: Created in the 1980s, basically takes direction from Mayor Daley and Commissioner Wood on practices of discrimination.

Muslim Americans for Civil Rights and Legal Defense

7667 W. 95th St, Suite 2 W
Hickory Hills, IL 60457
708-598-6640

info@muslimcivilrights.com
www.muslimcivilrights.com

Background: Active in defending Arab Americans and Muslims targeted by bigoted and discriminatory practices by the Justice Department and INS. Very large constituency, including in the Southwest Suburbs. Has sponsored several programs and conference.

Aqsa School

7361 W. 92nd Place
Bridgeview, Illinois

Information: The Aqsa School for Girl's, First Islamic all girl's school in Chicagoland, celebrating our 15th Year (by the way, if you would help publicize Saturday, 28th of April, 2001, our annual dinner, Sponsorship donations \$1000.00, tickets \$125.00). A registered not for profit organization, Board of Trustees, Chairman Mr. Tawfik Nassar, Sec.-Treasurer Dr. Mahmoud Ismail, Executive Director Mr. Faysal Mohamed, oversees operation of Administration and Staff. Principal Ms. Judy Maher. Fully accredited by State of Illinois, Classes taught, girls, preschool thru 4th year High School, boys, preschool thru 4th grade Elementary School, an independent institution funded only by tuition's and donations.

Midwest Federation of Syrian & Lebanese Clubs

PO Box 6835

Villa Park, IL 60181-6835

Emil Haddad, coordinator

Jackie Haddad, Chairman

Web page: www.midwestfederation.org

Information: The Midwest Federation of Syrian and Lebanese Clubs is one of the longest existing organizations of Arab Americans in the country with chapters in cities throughout the United States, including in Chicago.

Arab American Republican Federation

12231 W. Lady Bar Lane
Orland Park, IL 60462-1085
708-301-4269

Shibli Sawalha, Ph.D.

Information: Shibli Sawalha has been a leader in Arab American political activism for more than 36 years in the Southwest Suburbs, actively involved in the Republican Party and serving as a Precinct Committeeman in the 14th Congressional District.

Islamic Community Center of Illinois
4003 W. Montrose Ave
Chicago IL 60641
773-725-5020
773-725-4103

Information: Yousif Marei hosts through the ICCI the very popular Arab Community Radio Show every Sunday at 4 pm on WCEV (1450 AM) radio. They are building a new center to be opened soon at 6435 W. Belmont Ave., Chicago.

American Islamic College of Chicago
640 W. Irving Park Rd
Chicago IL 60613
773-281-4700
Dr. Assad Busool

Information: Center of Islamic study and academic teaching on the Islamic religion

American Friends Service Committee
637 S. Dearborn, 3rd Floor,
Chicago, IL 60605.
Tele: 312-427-2533.
Jennifer Bing-Canar, Middle East program
Director

Arab American Medical Association
Lilly Hussein, MD, President
11025 Terrace Lane
Hillside, IL 60102
312-633-7117

Arab American Family Services

Itedal Shalabi
Nareman Taha
10603 S. Roberts Rd
Palos Hills, Il
708-974-8082

Information: One of the premier social service organizations in Chicago.

United Muslim Americans Association
(UMAA)

Sabri Samirah (refused re-entry into the United States in 2003)

10661 S. Roberts Rd, # 202
Palos Hills, IL 60465
708-974-4472

FAX: 708-974-3389

www.theumaa.org

Information: One of the premier social service organizations in Chicago..

Arab Business & Professional Assn (ABPA)

Talat Othman, President

3432 Monitor Lane

Long Grove, IL 60047

Information: Chicagoland business and professional organization

Institute for International & Cultural Studies

North Park University

3225 W. Foster Ave

Chicago IL 60625

773-244-5592

FAX: 773-583-0858

Robert Hostetter

773-244-5666

Information: Very active and strong program of Middle East studies and activities.

Chicago Lebanese Club

P.O Box 235

Gurnee, Illinois 60031

President Mark Bendok

Vice-President Daisy Malek

Treasurer Elie Dabdab

VP Public Relations Doug Haddad

Secertary Mohommad Abbas

Chicago Lebanese Club founded 1998. The

Chicago Lebanese Club (CLC) is a private

non profit independent social and cultural

organization of Lebanese and Lebanese

Americans in Chicago, Illinois, USA. Through

organizing a variety of events and activities,

CLC aims to provide a forum of social and

*cultural interaction, serve as a support group,
promote awareness of Lebanon, and provide
resources to the Lebanese and Lebanese
American community in Chicago and vicinity.*
847-549-9417
www.leb.net/clc

Jordan Arab American Association

3206 W. Lawrence Ave
Chicago IL 60625
773-588-1098
FAX: 773-267-6844

Iraqi House Community
3334 W. Lawrence Ave
Suite 301
Chicago, IL 60625
Tel: 773-583-1755
Fax: 773-583-1839
Rana Al Edanee, Operation Manager

CAIR Chicago

28 E. Jackson, Suite 405
Chicago, IL 60604
312-212-1520

Chicago Arab American Leaders & Speakers

Christian Religion

Father Nicholas Dahdal, Pastor, 708-656-2927
St. George Antiochian Orthodox Church in
Cicero, Illinois
Chicago's Christian Arab community

Father Victor Kairooz, Pastor, 708-449-5558
Our Lady of Lebanon Catholic Maronite Church,
Hillside, Illinois
Chicago's Christian Arab community

Islamic Religion

Kareem Irfan, President, 847-925-3455
Council of Islamic Organizations of Greater
Chicago
Chicagoland's Muslim Arab community

Assad Busool, Professor, 847-675-1204
American Islamic College, Chicago
A Muslim and religious scholar

Fundraising/Assimilation

Reyad al-Agha, Chicago Chapter President, 708-
430-9731
United Holy Land Fund
*Fundraising efforts of Arab American
community, Palestinian American activism.*

Politics/Media/Christian Arabs

Ray Hanania, coordinator, 708-403-1203, or
eFax 708-575-9078
Arab Writers Group Syndication, Daily Herald
Newspaper; Jerusalem Post; NAAJA, , Author
on Arab American history in Chicagoland and
United States

Politics/Media/Muslim Americans

Moin Khan, leader, 630-889-0588
*Islamic American activist and speaker. Best
contact for Muslim American political activism.*

Palestinian Arab Community

Yacoub Zayed, Board member, 773-237-2727
Board member, American Federation of
Ramallah Palestine, Chicago
Largest Christian Palestinian group in
America
Abdel Ghafar Al-Arouri, President, 708-233-
6623
Palestinian American Community Center,
Chicagoland
*Chicago's Arab American and Palestinian
American community, especially the
Southwest Side and Suburbs. Political
activism and organizational efforts.*

Social Services

Nareman Taha, Itedal Shalabi, Co-Owners,
773-767-3025
Arab American Family Services, Chicagoland
*Social and community challenges facing the
Arab American community. Health and
regional community level challenges.*

Saffiya Shillo

773-585-2657
Muslim, politics, Chicago regional

Bigotry & Discrimination, Immigration

Rouhy Shalabi, attorney, 708-636-1015
*Board member, Chicago Commission on
Human Relations, Arab American Bar
Association President: Issues of bigotry and
discrimination, local community. Status of
discrimination cases.*

William Haddad, Executive Director, 312-
856-1114
Arab American Bar Association

Islamic Community/Civil Rights

Muslim Americans for Civil Rights and Legal Defense,
708-598-6640
Chicagoland's Muslim American community, Islamic issues, discrimination and current status of INS and Justice Department prosecutions.

Arab Journalism/General Contacts

Ali Alarabi, journalist, 864-906-8112
Board member of the National Arab Journalists Association writing about Islam, politics in the Middle East and journalism.
alialarabi@charter.net

Omar Karmi, journalist,
972-505-490175
Former Op-Ed Editor Jordan Times Newspaper

Aladdin Elaasar, journalist, 773-8661358
Journalist, Arab Journalists Association

Dina Rasheed, journalist,
Writes for many journalism publications and online media sources including Islam Online

Ali Ido, photo-journalist, 219 617-4986
Photo-Journalist, Arab Journalists Association
<http://www.idonetworknews.com/>
<http://www.idoprophoto.net/>

Ray Hanania, syndicated columnist
708-403-1203 or eFax 708-575-9078

Jordanian Americans

Samih Ayed Sweis, President
773-284-0201
Fuheis American Association
Can speak on Chicagoland's growing Jordanian American community

Consul General of Jordan, Chicago
Ihsan Sweis
12559 S. Holiday Dr., Unit A
Alsip, IL., 60803

Palestinian American Veterans

Kayyad Hassan, President, 708-923-6312
Beitunia Palestine Club of Chicago
Palestinian American Veterans Assn Can speak to the growing Palestinian presence in Chicago and on behalf of the dozens of Arab Americans who have served in the American Armed Services.

Zyad Hasan, Chicago Director
Association of Patriotic Arab Americans in Military
213-204-2830

Frank Isa, Chicago Chapter President, 708-460-0100
Chicago Fire Fighter
Mr. Isa is also a fulltime Chicago Fire Fighter and can speak to the role of Arab Americans who are assimilated into American society.

Education & Schools

Miriam Zayed, teacher, 708-349-4828
Chicago elementary school teacher, former candidate for Suburban High school board. Can speak to the educational challenges of Chicagoland's Arab American community

Islamic Studies

Assad Busool, Professor, 773-281-4700
American Islamic College, Chicago
Academic understanding of Islam and its impact in society. Author of dozens of books on Islam

Lebanese Americans

Maha Noujeme, President, 847-549-9417
American Lebanese Clubs of Chicago
Can speak to the Lebanese Arab Americans, the first Arabs to settle Chicago at the turn of the Century and late 19th Centuries.
Mark Bendok, Chicago Lebanese Clubs
312-969-0369

Politics/Republican Arabs

Shibli Sawalha, coordinator, 708-301-4269
Arab American Republican Federation
Samir Khalil, coordinator 773-767-3333
Chicago Democratic Club

Chicago's Arab Community

Marwan Amarin, Chairman, 773-316-4466
Arab Advisory Commission, Chicago
Commission on Human Relations

Egyptian/International Law

M. Cherif Bassiouni, DePaul University, 312-362-8332
Professor of Law, President, International
Human Rights Law Institute

Arab American Demographics

Jack Mansour, RE/MAX 10, 708-857-1500
Realtor and businessman
Ned Malley, RE/MAX 10, 708-857-1510
Realtor and businessman

Chicagoland Arab American Restaurants

Arab American restaurants are an excellent place to go to get news reaction stories and seek out sources in the Arab American community, as well as enjoy a taste of Arab American cuisine and sample the culture.

These are also excellent places to distribute (with their permission) literature of a non-offensive nature to clientele and the public in general. Small publications, self-help brochures and pamphlets and more.

(If you would like to add your favorite Middle Eastern Restaurant, please email the details to rayhanania@aol.com and we will post it as soon as we can for you. We would like this to be the most complete list available. Thank you.)

Andie's

1467 W. Montrose Ave.
773-348-0654

1146 W. Pratt Ave.
773-465-6500

Located in former hotel in Rogers Park

Andie's Restaurant

5253 N. Clark St.
773-784-8616

Casbah Cafe

3151 N. Broadway
773-935-3339

Andies Restaurant

1467 W. Montrose Ave.
773-348-0654

Al-Khaymeih

4748 N. Kedzie Ave.
773-583-0999
Lebanese

Baghdad Restaurant

3246 W Lawrence Avenue
773-539-5344

Aladdin Cafe

2269 N. Lincoln Ave.
773-871-7327

Basha

3445 W. Dempster St., Skokie
847-329-8855

Ali Baba Restaurant

3508 W. 63rd St.
773-778-7017

Beirut Restaurant

4714 N. Kedzie Ave.
773-509-1800

Two years ago, Mohammad Faraj closed his original Beirut Restaurant at Foster and Clark and reopened here.

Maza Restaurant & Lebanese Cuisine

2748 N. Lincoln Ave.
Chicago

773-929-9600
FAX: 773-929-9394
Yousef Kuri, owner
(see review on Profiles Page)

Byblos Bakery

5212 N. Clark St.
773-271-1005

Tizi Melloul

531 N. Wells Street, Chicago
312-670-4338

Cafe Suron Persian

Review: Moroccan cuisine specialty, Excellent atmosphere. Enjoy the special entrance and sound objects. Roasted lamb with vegetables.

Sayat Nova

157 East Ohio St, Chicago
312-644-9159

Arson Damarjian, Owner

Review: Armenian but really Arab/Middle Eastern cuisine in a great setting. Small but very popular. I always order the lamb shish-kabab and rice, and also the raw kibbee (steak tartar). Great side dishes of tabouli, grape leaves and more.

Mataam al-Mataam

In the heart of Chicago's Northwest Side
Ramallah Community
3200 W. Lawrence Ave
Chicago IL 60625
773-588-9063
773-588-9067

Review: Basic, simple setting. Typical of Ramallah Palestinian restaurants, but the food is home cooked quality. Inexpensive. Don't look for excitement here, but you can have a great meal and watch al-Jazeera TV (as you can at most good restaurants.)

Reza's

432 W. Ontario, Chicago
312-664-4500
5255 N. Clark Street, Chicago
773-561-1898

Review: Iranian, Arab and Middle East specialties. A large dining area, great for big groups. Also offers side rooms. I always order the well done lamb shish-kabab with Persian rice, the only place I know where you can order this wonderfully, spiced, dill rice.

Julianna's Restaurant and Banquet Hall

3001 W. Peterson, Chicago, Il., 60659
773-334-0600
312-334-0000
Albert "Oscar" Baba

(The happening place where everyone from the Middle East sets aside politics and enjoys life and great food.)

Al-Khayam Restaurant/Banquet Hall

2326 W. Foster Ave., Chicago
773-334-0031

www.al-khayamrestaurant.com

Mary Alexander, Manager

Belly Dancers Friday and Saturday Night
(One of the top food and entertainment night spots in Chicago. Sister restaurant of Julianna's)

Marrakesh Moroccan Cuisine Rest.

3334 W. Dempster
Skokie, IL 60076
847-676-1948
847-676-1940

Uncle Tannous (CLOSED)

(Former co-owner Yousef Kuri has opened Maza, above)

(Historical reference, now closed))

2626 N. Halsted St, Chicago
773-929-1333

Yousef Skaff and Yousef Kuri, Owners

Review: When I want the food that my mom used to cook, this is where I go. I always order the Grape leaves, the best I have had anywhere. Small dining room, but offers a back garden area for parties. This is a great place for the hummos, tabouli and other side dishes, and also for ordering and enjoying Lebanese wine. Love it!

Old Jerusalem Restaurant

1411 N. Wells St., Chicago
312-944-0459

Review: Chicken sandwiches, and a great offering of sweets. Excellent side dishes, including grape leaves, hummos, bread, and tabouli. Convenient but hard to find parking on a busy weekend. But within walking distance when enjoying the offerings of Old Town.

Steve's Shish Kabab House

107th and Ridgeland., Palos Hills
773-581-8920

Steve Adawi, owner

Review: This is the neighborhood restaurant you want to visit when you want to really enjoy old fashioned, home cooking when you are on the Southwest Side in the heart of old Little Arabia. This restaurant is featured in the August 2000 edition of the Arab American View newspaper which is available online.

Kabob 2

3104 W. Devon Ave.
773-508-0415

Kabob Kafe

1300 S. Main St., Lombard
630-627-6112

Kabul House

3320 Dempster St., Skokie
847-763-9930
Afghani food.

Kan Zaman

5204 N. Clark St, Chicago
773-506-0191

Review: Visitors here are complaining because this restaurant offers Middle Eastern food from "Lebanon, Syria and Israel

Shish Kabab House

9250 S. Harlem Ave, Bridgeview
708-599-4011

Review: Located in Little Beitunia near the Bridgeview Mosque next to an Arab grocery store. Nice service.

Pitaria

441 N. LaSalle St, Chicago
312-645-1310

Review: If you need fast Loop service. This is a good place to make a stop.

SOUK

1552 N. Milwaukee Ave, Chicago
773-227-1818

Review: Excellent food. Always stop here when passing through the near North Side. It features the only Narghila (Shisha) bar in the city.

Cousin's

1555 N. Sheffield, Chicago
312-943-9912
2833 N. Broadway, Chicago
773-880-0063
5203 N. Clark St, Chicago
773-334-4553

Review: Haven't been here yet despite the fact that there are three restaurants that are receiving great reviews from patrons. It passes itself off as Turkish American.

Hashalom

2905 W. Devon Ave, Chicago
773-465-5675

Review: Years ago when there was an Arab owned restaurant in Skokie, the Jewish community (led by former Chicago Sun-Times columnist Roger Simon) launched a serious boycott that resulted in it being forced to close. Today, though, Arab Americans enjoy the foods at Israeli and Jewish owned restaurants because we are not like Simon. This restaurant has great Arab food (Moroccan) selections you will enjoy. Food is a great way to cross the great political divide.

House of Baklava

3532 W. 63rd St.
773-776-7114

Jaafar Sweets

4825 N. Kedzie Ave.
773-463-3933

Jerusalem Bakery

3144 W. 63rd St.
773-925-3652

Jerusalem Restaurant

3534 W. 63rd St.
773-776-6133

L'Olive

1629 N. Halsted St, Chicago
 312-573-1515
 3915 N. Sheridan Rd, Chicago
 773-472-2400

Review: Moroccan cuisine. Part of the new burst of Moroccan specialty restaurants in Chicago.

Al-Hana Restaurant (Salam II)

Aiyash family
 9052 S. Harlem Ave.
 Bridgeview, Il. 60455

Nile

7333 W. 87th Street
 Bridgeview, Il, 60455
 708/237-0767

Review: Excellent food, good location in Little Beitunia.

SALAM RESTAURANT & SWEETS

4636 N. Kedzie, Chicago, 60625
 773/583-0776

Review: Excellent food

The Olive Branch

Mariam Munsif, Manager
 617 N. Wells, Chicago, Il., 60610
 312-751-9600

Review: Cozy restaurant with excellent seating in the heart of Chicago's Loop. Easy access. Fresh chicken, lamb and a variety of Arabic food items.

The Grape Leaves Restaurant

129 S. Oak Park Ave
 Oak Park, IL 60302
 708-848-5555

Review: Great food. Quaint, small dining area in a trending part of the west suburbs.

Baladi Restaurant

Issam Jibrin, owner
 7209 W. 84th St
 Bridgeview IL 60455
 708-233-1025

Review: Palestinian restaurant in the heart of Little Palestine. Excellent home cooking. Specialties include grape leaves, stuffed squash, tabooli, Jerusalem salad, hummos, and more. Very reasonably priced. Seats 50 people in informal dining atmosphere surrounded by Palestinian maps, portraits and cultural information.

JimmyZ Mediterranean Restaurant

224 S. Wabash Ave
 Chicago (Loop)

Review: Good location. More Greek than Arab selections.

Olive Mountain in Evanston

814 Church St, Evanston IL 60201
 847-475-0380
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Nile Restaurant

1611 E. 55th St.
 773-324-9499

Nile Restaurant

3259 W. 63rd St.
 773-434-7218

Nile's Restaurant

4821 N. Kedzie Ave.
 773-588-0891

Noon O Kabab

4661 N. Kedzie Ave.
 773-279-8899

This Albany Park Persian restaurant

Noon O Kabab

552-C E. Devon, Elk Grove
 847-956-9200

Jerusalem Restaurant

3534 W. 63rd St., Chicago IL 60629
 773-776-6133

Review: A great Palestinian restaurant.

Taza Restaurant

39 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago IL 60601

312-425-9988

Review: Excellent Saudi Arabian owned Arab restaurant (Taza means "fresh"). Caters to the general public. Strategically located downtown.

ZouZou's Restaurant

1406 West Belmont Ave. Chicago

773-755-4020

Review: Excellent atmosphere. Very quaint. Great food.

ALADDIN CAFE

2273 N. Lincoln Ave, Chicago

773-871-7327

Review: Small cafeteria like dining room, but great Middle East menu. Very affordable.

Al Basha Restaurant, (formerly the Little Egypt Restaurant)

7216 W. College Dr

Palos Heights, IL 60463

708-671-1440

Review: This wonderful little restaurant features the Narghila and great Arabian food. It is reviewed in the May 2001 issue of the Arab American View Newspaper

Ali Baba Restaurant

837 E. Roosevelt Road

Lombard, IL 60148

630-495-0999

Review: Good selection of menu items. Mediterranean cuisine. Excellent atmosphere.

Sesi's Seaside Cafe & Gallery

6219 N. Sheridan Rd.

773-764-0544

Shawerma King

4639 N. Kedzie Ave.

773-588-2250

Sinbad's

921 W. Belmont Ave.

773-477-6020

Sphinx Cafe & Restaurant

8743 N. Milwaukee Ave

Niles, IL 60714

847-967-0030

Ameer Restaurant

11136 S. Harlem Ave

Worth IL., 60482

708-671-1080

Review: Good food.

Naha Restaurant

500 N. Clark Street, Chicago

312-321-6242

www.naha-chicago.com

Michael and Carrie Nahabedian

Armenian American Middle Eastern

Ya Hala Restaurant

10135 S. harlem Ave

Chicago Ridge, IL 60415

Marwan Ali, owner

708-229-9488

Abu Nawas

2411 N. Clark St.

773-529-1705

Named for a Middle Eastern poet.

Al Rasheed Bakery

3255 W. 63rd St.

773-925-4711

Al-Ahman Bakery

2513 W. 63rd St.

773-737-2333

Cedars of Lebanon

1618 E. 53rd St.

773-324-6227

Couscous

1445 W. Taylor St.

312-226-2408

North African

Cousin's

2833 N. Broadway

773-880-0063

Ex Libris
1101 E. 56th St.
773-702-7645
This cafe, located inside the University of
Chicago's Regenstein Library.

Fun Cafe
1250 W. Wilson Ave.
773-878-8079
Owner Mohammed

Garden of Eden
2226 W. Devon Ave.
773-338-3411

Grape Leaves
129 S. Oak Park Ave., Oak Park
708-848-555

King Kabob
3111 W. Devon Ave.
773-262-2707

Middle East Bakery and Pastry
1512 W. Foster Ave.
773-561-2224

Middle East Restaurant
3332 W. 63rd St.
773-778-0900

Mike's Middle East Restaurant
3508 W. 63rd St.
773-436-7750

Mr. D's Shish Kabobs
6656 W. Diversey Ave.
773-637-0042

Old Jerusalem
1411 N. Wells St.
312-944-0459

Olive Mountain
610 Davis St., Evanston
847-475-0380

Pars Cove
435 W. Diversey Pkwy.
773-549-1515

Pepper & Salt
2267 W. Schaumburg Rd., Schaumburg
847-524-1402

Phoenician Nights
6244 N. California Ave.
773-274-1740

Pita Express
State of Illinois Building
100 W. Randolph St.
312-422-0422

Pita House Restaurant
365 S. Roselle Rd., Schaumburg
847-352-4750

Pita Inn
122 S. Elmhurst Rd., Wheeling
847-808-7733

Pita Inn
3910 W. Dempster St., Skokie
847-677-0211

Raffi's on 5th
200 E. Fifth St., Naperville
630-961-8203

Ramina Restaurant
2544 W. Peterson Ave.
773-274-6680

Reza's
432 W. Ontario St.
312-664-4500
Persian cuisine

Reza's
5255 N. Clark St.
773-561-1898

Sarah's Kitchen

3114 W. Devon Ave.
773-761-7882
This cheery Israeli spot offers both Middle Eastern and American cuisine

Savie's Grille
2439 N. Clark St.
773-665-7119

Souk
1552 N. Milwaukee Ave.
773-227-1818

Sultan's Market
2057 W. North Ave.
773-235-3072

Taste of Lebanon
1509 W. Foster Avenue
773-334-1600

Tel Aviv Kosher Pizza and Dairy Restaurant
6349 N. California Ave.
773-764-3776
Israeli

The Works

2676 Golf Rd., Glenview
847-724-0616

Turkish Cuisine and Bakery
5605 N. Clark St.
773-878-8930

Uncle's Kabob Restaurant
2750 W. Devon Ave.
773-262-8600

Al-Khayam Restaurant & Banquets
2326 W. Foster Ave.
773-334-0031 Al-Khayam -- named for poet, astronomer and mathematician Omar Khayam -- serves Middle Eastern

Reza's Restaurant
432 W. Ontario
Chicago IL 60610
312-664-4500

5255 N. Clark St
Chicago, IL 60640
773-561-1898

Non-U.S. Based Organizations

Israel/Palestine Territories

B'Tselem - Israeli Information Center for Human Rights in Occupied Territories

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The National Association of British Arabs
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Website: <http://www.naba.org.uk>
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NABA is an independent British organization working for the interests of the Arab community within Britain. It encourages a positive Arab contribution to British life and promotes integration without surrendering Arab identity.

It works to build bridges with the indigenous population and other ethnic groups and promote positive media awareness of Arabs, their heritage and culture and their views. In addition it seeks to initiate better collective communications with local and central government and NGOs to address the difficulties faced by Arabs within Britain in respect of unemployment, racial discrimination, etc. Membership is open to all individuals and organizations interested in Arab culture and affairs.

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Al-Awda (Palestine Right to Return Coalition)

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Toronto, ON, M4Y 2T8 Canada
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Council on American-Islamic Relations CANADA (CAIR-CAN)

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Palestine Chronicle Online

www.PalestineChronicle.com

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International Arab Journalists Web Page

<http://www.epnworld-reporter.com/>

Palestine Media Watch .Com

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Ahmed Bouzid has an excellent book on how to engage the American news media that is essential for anyone working with the print and broadcast media on the issue of Palestine and the Middle East.

Info: Very connected and active journalism site for Arab Americans. Has lots of links and tips on reaching the media.

Arab Services Online

www.Arabservices.com

Yusef Riadi, Publisher

866-YES-ARAB

Review: Excellent resources on local and national business, media and information.

Arab American Media Services

News Wire Service

<http://AAMS.blogspot.com>

Publishes the press releases and original news and feature articles about the Arab American community.

Common Ground News Service

www.CommonGroundNews.org

Publishes original features and news

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Organizations and contacts that may deal with Arab and Arab World issues not included in the listings above.

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