



Gamma Gamma Chi Sorority, Inc.

The first Islamic-based sorority

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First Islamic-Based Sorority Uses Month of Fasting to Help Battered Women

ALEXANDRIA-Most people think of Ramadan as the month of fasting. Gamma Gamma Chi Sorority, Inc. is using Ramadan to reach out to the community and help Family Services of Piedmont provide food for women residing at their shelter in High Point.

The first Islamic-based sorority, Gamma Gamma Chi Sorority, Inc., will host an iftar for approximately 100 people breaking their fasts at the Islamic Center of Greensboro on October 28. An iftar is the meal that Muslims enjoy to break their fasts that extend from sunrise to sunset.

Participants of the iftar are asked to bring canned and other non-perishable food items that will be donated to the Battered Women's Shelter of the Family Services of Piedmont.

Gamma Gamma Chi Sorority, Inc., was founded in Greensboro, N.C., by a mother-daughter team that wanted to improve the image of Muslim women and Islam in general. The sorority unifies collegiate and professional Muslim women and non-Muslim women who support the mission.

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