

DELEGATION FOR
FRIENDSHIP
AMONG WOMEN

VISIT TO EGYPT,
SAUDIA ARABIA, THE
EMIRATES, IRAN

MARCH 31 - APRIL 21, 1978



STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

In 1970 a nonprofit corporation, the Delegation for Friendship Among Women, was formed in Minnesota with the express purpose of promoting friendship and understanding among women leaders of the world of comparable interests and backgrounds.

While women's delegations are becoming increasingly popular these last few years, the Delegation for Friendship Among Women has distinguished itself by virtue of its diversity.

First, in the matter of geography - the members represent every region of the United States.

Their interests are equally as broad - while tied together with the common thread of volunteerism and women's rights.

And, finally, they have a proven record since 1969 of adjusting to conditions without creating problems - and in bringing the story of their visits with other women to the attention of the people of their community.

They have no ties with the government, yet receive the courtesy of briefings and assistance from the State Department. They pay their own expenses and are beholden to no group, organization nor government.

They are, in brief, American women interested — first, in their own community and their own country — second, in the world around them so that they may contribute to peace and friendship throughout the globe.

ITINERARY

March 31, 1978 FRIDAY

6:30 P.M. All luggage must be checked with Mary at the British Air International Departure Desk, New York, JFK before 6:30 P.M. Yellow tags must be attached to luggage.

6:30 to 10 P.M. Reception
Briefing: Andrea Farsakh, United States State Department
Host: British Air

10:00 P.M. Departure for London, British Air No. 510

April 1 SATURDAY

10:40 A.M. Arrival in London. Overnight at London Heathrow Hotel

April 2 SUNDAY

2:15 P.M. Departure from hotel to airport for British Air No. 151, 4:15 PM

9:55 P.M. Arrival in Cairo, Egypt
Note: Itinerary will be given upon arrival in Cairo April 2 to April 5 in Egypt Hotel Meridien

April 5 WEDNESDAY

3:15 P.M. Depart from Meridien Hotel to airport for Saudi Arabian Air No. 746, 5:15 PM.

11:10 P.M. Arrival in Riyadh, Saudia Arabia. Hotel Intercontinental

Note: Itinerary will be given upon arrival in Riyadh. April 5 to April 8 in Saudia Arabia

April 8 SATURDAY

12:45 P.M. Departure from Intercontinental Hotel to airport for Saudi Arabian Air No. 830 2:45 PM

ITINERARY

7:00 P.M. Arrival in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirate. Hilton Hotel

Note: Itinerary will be given upon arrival in Abu Dhabi. April 8 to April 15 in The Emirates

April 15 SATURDAY

2:00 P.M. Departure from Hilton Hotel to airport for Iran Air No. 640, 4:35 P.M.

6:35 P.M. Arrival in Shiraz, Iran. Hotel Darius. Itinerary will be given on arrival.

April 16 SUNDAY

10:00 A.M. Departure from Hotel to airport for Iran Air No. 420, 11:15 A.M.

11:55 A.M. Arrive Isfahan. Itinerary will be given upon arrival.

April 17 MONDAY

10:30 Departure from Hotel to airport for Iran Air No. 416, 12:30 P.M.

1:15 P.M. Arrive Tehran. Hilton Hotel. Itinerary will be given upon arrival. April 17 to April 20 in Tehran.

April 20 THURSDAY

7:00 A.M. Departure from Hotel to airport for British Air No. 202, 9:00 A.M.

12:30 P.M. Arrive in London. Overnight at Hotel London Heathrow

April 21 FRIDAY

9:00 A.M. Departure from Hotel to airport for British Air No. 175, 11:00 A.M.

12:35 P.M. Arrival in New York

DIRECTION FOR MAILING

Your name
Delegation for Friendship Among Women
c-o RIYADH INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL
Maazar St., Box 3636
Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

ABU DHABI HILTON HOTEL
P.O. Box 877
Abu Dhabi
United Arab Emirates

ROYAL TEHRAN HILTON HOTEL
Shemiran Pahlavi Rd., Hilton St.
Tehran
Iran

In case of emergency, your contacts will be:

American Embassy
Cairo, Egypt
Jedda, Saudia Arabia
Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
Tehran, Iran

**DELEGATION FOR FRIENDSHIP
AMONG WOMEN**

OFFICERS:

President Margaret Power
First Vice President Mary Keegan
Second Vice President Lenore March
Secretary-Treasurer Mary Pomeroy

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Estelle Stacy Carrier Douglas, WY
Elisabeth Moore New York, NY
Mary Anne Stewart Washington, DC
Ella Footman Lillington, NC
Helen Galloway Oklahoma, OK
Norma Raffel State College, PA
Elizabeth Athanasakos Ft. Lauderdale, FL
Allene Cooley Winston Salem, NC

PAST PRESIDENTS

Elly Peterson Charlotte, MI
Rhoda Lund Minneapolis, MN

HONORARY MEMBER

Hekmat Mahfouz Cairo, Egypt