

ידן הנינה הפינה הבעם נוצאותה

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- المحيالمناص محمد الحمام محرم وزجا ومعمعناه حمينام وزمعمام i حنام سر حفظ آن آرتد 16 - 4 - 1972 الماهيس عاما حمينام امزمخو i حينا ومدن مدموها - أمزمخو معم حبيا حجات سفيهما ماميميانا ... مقال معانياتهم
- حميكة أزمر أن وحد فاعد فلي تقل عيتال i الميا حسوده ولام لابلا منعده لمنظ عيتال عنيا ولاما فلا لابلا منعده الما محصد وتعمل لاه المحمد متولفان ومسقال وعملوماه . i مصر الملعدة ماليا المنعد الحمد لمقل فلينا محصول المحمد الحمل المعمد ما وحمل فلينا ومالك من واصعد من أزرا ومبعدان محصل أزف للوز على مار لارزمعموم من وهم حكم
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- ن حموم سب حمد هت . مآ . اربحة 28 11 1976 هدن حمد حمد من عمر من حمد من حمد من معد من معد من معد من حمد مع معلما محكم هذا محكم هذا محكم معلما وحمد حمل محمد معن محكم ماهد من معلما مع معلما مع معن مع معلما مع المعن مع مع معلما مع معلما معلم معلما معلما

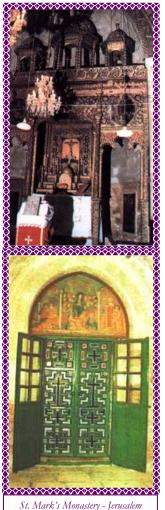
i صفح حاصلاً قبر سے المح 24 – 12 – 1976 مصر 100 اصل الفاط حافزسم المصلحة الحما علام صلح متعال المسلمة المسلم ا ويصفح حصيل هوم وعادت لاصل لمصل وحالفوس – المنظو ؛ حصوله العربييل معصوبا ، 100 وصبحا لافكان مرسوم أحاسم العالمين محتز هو من محصل ا

i حموم لماني حمدا قريق 21 - 12 - 1976 محمد لم يعني موطحيا حلاما من من وحلي ما مكم وحلينياط محمود حلاحت عب اهت حد حديدة إدرا : وأما سحيب أحق أحيم حلي مأرا حملكا أسبارا !

i محصهوبا والحمي عتب وبحترب ملا عصبه . معلى معنا وأسعمه حمد وأسحبتمد أبا محتد حمد ما ممحب كعميهما مبا حزما

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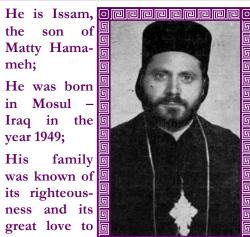
سعل کو اہ اط سط مسعل کے مرتجا ہو ۔ ج

حوزرا فلمناه من حمق المامط قر فرزا - المسكوالاحرا

V. Rev. Fr. Afram Hamameh (1949 - 1976+)

- ÷. the son of Matty Hamameh;
- He was born à in Mosul Iraq in the year 1949;
- His family i. was known of its righteousness and its great love to the holy operation church, thus

lead him by example;



- He obtained his elementary studies in ń Mosul – Iraq;
- In the year, 1965 he joined the St. Ephraim Seminary in Lebanon where he studied theology, philosophy, ecclesiastical history, and Syriac language in addition to other studies;
- On the afternoon of Saturday 7th Sep-÷. tember 1968, and at St. Georges Church, Zahleh, Lebanon The Thrice Blessed H.H. Patriarch Yacoub III (1980+) celebrated the ceremony of the award of the monk hood, thus bestowing on him the name of AFRAM after St. Ephraim the Syriac (373+);
- Sunday, on the 29th of March 1970, and at the hands of the Thrice Blessed H.H. Patriarch Yacoub III (1980+), he was promoted to the rank of FULL DEA-CON, in preparation for a bigger role in the Holy Church;



(Source: page 280 issue 75 of May 1970 year 8 of the Patriarchal Journal).

- Sunday 16th April 1972, he was promoted ÷. and was ordained as a priest, in Jerusalem;
- He served at St. Mark's Monastery demon-÷. strating great enthusiasm, and loyalty. He exerted every effort to bring to light, the magazine "ARAM", in which he published several articles that he authored;
- He was known of his great love and affection to the Holy Church; always exerting the efforts to promote the church's image wherever he goes. In addition, he was known of his remarkable talent and impressive spirit, demonstrating immense and truthful compassion to all. Moreover, he was known of being extremely humble, quiet, modest and respectful; thus was appreciated and respected by whoever met him;
- His excellent reputation spread all over the church, thus the Thrice Blessed H.H. Patriarch Yacoub III (1980+), chose him to become H.H.'s secretary, therefore, he departed Jerusalem, and joined the Patriarchal staff in Damascus - Syria, where, and yet once again he demonstrated his great ability to work hard and smart in the service of the Patriarchate and through the patriarchate the whole Holy Church;
- On 5th October 1975 the Thrice Blessed ÷. H.H. Patriarch Yacoub III (1980+) awarded

him the honor of wearing the Holy Cross, in appreciation to his distinctive services; appointing him the head of the Ecclesiastical court, the affairs of which he ran with great honesty, immense integrity and transparency;

- Sunday 28th November 1976, visited myself à (the undersigned) in Amman - Jordan, advising me of his forthcoming trip to Australia to celebrate Christmas and the New Year. At the time, he requested me to provide him with the Syriac book of the weekly prayers (Shhimo), and he promised to return this book to me on his way back from Australia... I advised him this would be a gift for you, thus no need to return it!
- Friday 24th December 1976, as V. Rev. Fr. ÷. Afram Hamameh was on board Egypt Air's flight on his way to Australia, the pilot lost control, and the plane crashed in a factory building adjacent to Bangkok's International airport in Thailand that led to the instant departure of V. Rev. Fr. Hamameh from this earthly life;
- Monday 27th December 1976, and at 10:30 p.m. the Thrice Blessed H.H. Patriarch Yacoub III (1980+), who sounded very saddened on this loss, called me advising of this sudden and great loss to our holy church.

Thus, on the passing of thirty years on the departure of V. Rev. Fr. Afram Hamameh from this earthly life, and in appreciation to his Great Spirit, compassion and care, this brochure was published. May God the Almighty rest your soul our beloved father, and benefit us with your prayers and supplications.

> **Yours in Christ** V. Rev. Fr. Boutros Touma Issa Perth/Australia 2006/2007