

# Women in Islam striving for self

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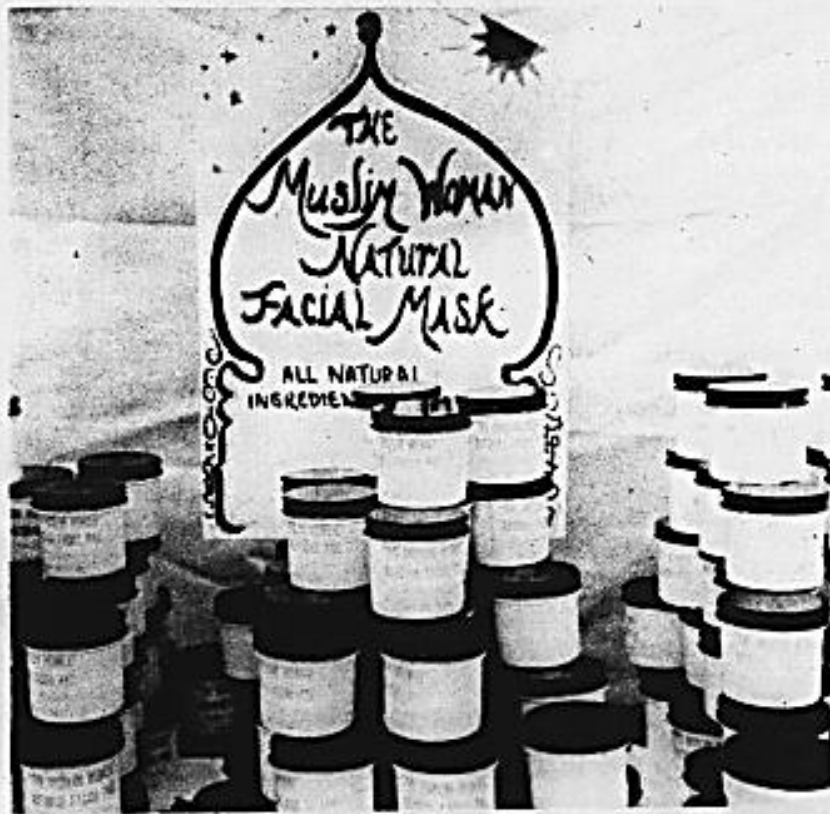
The Honorable Elijah Muhammad who alone has instilled in the Black man and woman in America, pride, dignity and self respect continues to blaze the trail towards new discoveries that we, who are His followers, are being blessed to share in our daily lives.

Knowledge of self is the first key that this dynamic Leader and Teacher has given to His people, and the understanding of that knowledge has made self-improvement the driving force and inspiration of every Black man and woman in America, to work to benefit self today.

Muslim Women taking up the banner of doing for self and kind, are making new women out of themselves. Muslim Women are now forging ahead into the pathways of Messenger Muhammad's perfect guidance towards self-independence, by manufacturing for the first time, products, arts and skills that are expressive of this new Spirit of Islam as projected by the Honorable Elijah Muhammad.

Such a highly motivated and spirited sister is Captain Nisa Islam of Oakland, Calif., long time laborer in the Nation of Islam, who has thrown a positive punch in the direction of self-improvement of the Black woman's image in America and the world.

With skills and talents acquired in



THE MUSLIM WOMEN Natural Facial Pak contains pure, natural ingredients. "For a healthier complexion," says Sister Captain Nisa Islam, "try the Muslim Women Facial Pak." (Approved by the Honorable Elijah Muhammad.) "Apply and wear all day as a protective shield against dry fine lines and wrinkles," Sister Captain Islam said. Sales price \$2.50, and it can be ordered now at the Muslim Import Merchandise Store, 8401 S. Cottage Grove, Chicago, Illinois.

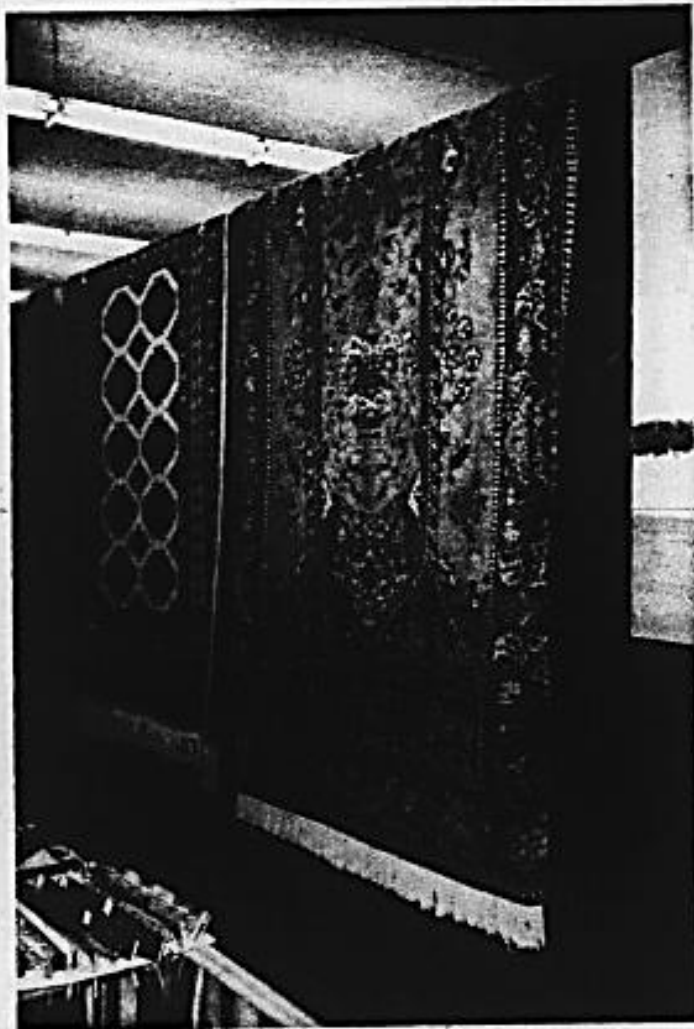
her previous studies ranging from beauty culture, cosmetology, dermatology and chemistry, a new Muslim product is now available on the market called the Muslim, Women Natural Facial Pak.

The product itself, a light weight blend of all-natural ingredients, with its base in pure co-co butter, promotes a more healthy and invigorating skin tone and complexion.

Sister Islam in her zeal to enhance the natural beauty appearance of our women who are the best women on our Planet, offers this all purpose creme with her eye towards the future development of additional products that will meet the Divine and Spiritually discerning eye of our Leader and Teacher, the Most Honorable Elijah Muhammad.

May Almighty God, Allah, Who Came in the Person of Master Fard Muhammad, through His Messenger, continue to bless and inspire our Black sisters in North America to arise to the knowledge of self and then with the understanding of that knowledge move into direct action to do for self and kind.

As Messenger Muhammad is forever guiding us in these words: "Up you mighty Nation, you can accomplish what you will." Let the Black women arise by His words alone. "A Nation can rise no higher than its women."



TOP

Popular decorative Indian Brass placed on ceramic tiled inlaid hot plates of M.G.T. & G.C.C. arts and crafts dept.

LEFT

Highly decorative ancient rug - weaving art of Persia from the district of Qum in Iran, highly prized collectors rugs for their descriptive floral and animal motifs.

RIGHT

Indian Brass Beverage Server and tray on brass inlay tray

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