EDITORIAL

This is the third year of publication of IRAN ZAMIN and we thank all our readers for their support. We also thank all the scholars who have supported us in our quest to spread the knowledge.

Knowledge when you gain
With minds good use
Having realized wisdom
The path to righteousness
The ultimate message of Wisdom
Through words excellent
We shall turn (convert)
Those who do not know
By speaking

Zarathushtra - Gatha - Yasna HA 28.5 (FR)

Since July 2002 we have been able to present our web site www.ancientiran.com in Farsi. So readers of Farsi can now visit our site and read all the issues of IRAN ZAMIN and much more in Farsi on the net.

In this issue the 'Status of Women in Ancient Iran' is up for discussion and for our next issue we have chosen for discussion 'THE ROOTS AND DEVELOPMENT OF FARSI LANGUAGE'. We shall be glad to receive paper on the topic or any other topic that you would like to be published in our February 2003 issue.

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