

Chicago Gourmets!



4027 West Irving Park Road
Chicago, Illinois 60641

A TASTE OF MOROCCO

Wednesday, December 6, 2017

6:00 P.M. Reception Followed by Dinner

"In Morocco, we don't eat in restaurants"

Moroccan cuisine is extremely diverse, thanks to Morocco's interaction with other cultures and nations over the centuries. The cooks in the royal kitchens of Fez, Meknes, Marrakesh, Rabat and Terouan refined it over the centuries and created the basis for what is known as Moroccan cuisine today.

Khalid Kamal, the owner, says, "I've been in the restaurant business for the last 22 years. I worked different places, but I thought, 'I have to share Moroccan cuisine.' I opened Shokran in 2008."

Shokran is a BYOB, family-run restaurant in the old Irving Park neighborhood where the menu includes a lot more than couscous. The vegetables and spices are among the most important components to the meal.

There are other cuisines with similar ingredients - Turkish and Lebanese come to mind - but there's nothing quite like the Moroccan pantry, with its really unique spices, and honestly, the tagines and the couscous alone are worth the trip. *Steve Dolinsky of ABC7's Hungry Hound*

Hosts: Don Newcomb and Margaret Sheridan



Khalid Kamal, Owner



Served with Wine

Passed Appetizers

Chicken Bastilla, Veggie Sampler, Kefta (Moroccan Meatballs)

Entrée

Choice of One

Chicken, Lamb, Merguez or Vegetarian Tagine

Or - Lamb, Chicken or Vegetarian Couscous

Or - Chicken, Lamb or Merguez Kebabs

Or - Chicken Casablanca

Dessert

Cookies

Beverages

Mint Tea



A real hidden gem!

Join Chicago Gourmets! Membership is \$45 per year per household.

Please reserve online at www.ChicagoGourmets.org Discover, MasterCard & Visa accepted.

Prepaid reservations must be received by December 3, 2017; no refunds after that date.

Reservations are secured with receipt of payment on a first-come basis. Events often sell out early!

E-mail: margsheri55@gmail.com Tel: 312-912-1449

For non-internet reservations, mail check to:

Chicago Gourmets, ATTN: Paul Grosso, c/o Hobbit Travel, 200 East Howard, Suite 280, Des Plaines, IL 60018

SHOKRAN Reserve _____ at \$59 per member, _____ at \$69 per non-member, inclusive = \$ _____ enclosed.
12/6/17 _____ Membership/Renewal payment (\$45) enclosed. See expiration (exp) date on mailing label.

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