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## Ambassadors of Change-Dialogue in the desert

November 2009. 18 young western and Arab women, complete strangers, together for 5 days roughing it in the beautiful Oman desert. Exciting, educational, enriching. Discussions on cultural differences, similarities, values and aspirations. Trekking by foot and camel, freezing nights, sweltering days, real adventure and real dialogue, and the world benefits the most; these women go home enriched, with a new perspective of themselves, the world and the future they'll create.

### Listen...

... after talking to the Muslim girls about their faith and watching them pray together, I envy the unity and peace they all seem to have. I now strongly believe that if the core principles and practices of all faiths could be discussed and taught in school then misunderstandings and fiction would be reduced.

– Kate Muir Jones, UK

This journey has made me see the real faces and voices of Middle East people, and I can say right now that they're quite different to the news about this region that we watch in our western media.

– Santiago Lozano Lopez, Spain

### Be Part of the Dialogue

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