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The Hand of the Cause, Mirza Ali-Muhammad, was born in Mashhad, Iran, the youngest son of the Hand of the Cause Mulla Sadiq-i-Muqaddas-i-Khuurasani who fought at Shaykh Tabarsi and was tortured with Quddus in Shiraz. Mulla Sadiq-i-Muqaddas was given the title Ismullah'u'l-Asdaq by Baha'u'llah, and as his son showed many of his outstanding qualities, Mirza Ali-Muhammad became known as Ibn-i-Asdaq, son of Asdaq. In 1861, while Ibn-i-Asdaq was still a young boy, he was taken by his father to Baghdad to see Baha'u'llah. The visit lasted two years and made a deep impression on him. On his return to Iran Ibn-i-Asdaq and his father were arrested on the orders of the governor of Khurasan. They and two other Babis were chained and taken to Tehran. The intention was to execute them but the government ordered instead that they be imprisoned in the Siyah-Chal. Here they remained, chained together, for 28 months. Ibn-i-Asdaq fell ill whilst in prison but no doctor would treat a Babi. Eventually the gaoler asked a Jewish doctor, Hakim Masih, to tend to the boy. Hakim Masih attended him for ....(see back)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Sunday morning breakfast during the Summer (see back)</b>				1 Ruhi BK-1, 7pm at Sadeghi's  BD, Gary	2	3 Devotions, 6:30P M & M Lessani's
4 Devotions 10am host needed  Ruhi BK-8, 2pm at the Center	5	6	7	8 Ruhi BK-1, 7pm at Sadeghi's	9 <b>12:00 Noon, Martyrdom of the Bab</b> M & M Lessani (lunch served)	10 6:30pm Open House at Mollaian's  BD, Navid
11 Devotions 10am Angier Ruhi BK-8, 2pm at the Center BD, Anissa	12 <b>7pm, Feast of Kalimat</b> K & M Sadeghi  BD, Kasra	13  LSA, 7:00 pm at Angier's	14	15 Ruhi BK-1, 7pm at Sadeghi's	16  BD, Marilyn	17
18 Devotions 10am Mokhtari  Ruhi BK-8, 2pm at the Center	19	20	21	22 Ruhi BK-1, 7pm at Sadeghi's	23	24
25 Devotions 10am Rattenbury  Ruhi BK-8, 2pm at the Center	26	27  LSA, 7:00 pm at Dunn's	28	29 Ruhi BK-1, 7pm at Sadeghi's  BD, Mahyar	30 Devotions, 6:00P Mollaian's	31 <b>7pm, Feast of Kamal</b> Nazgol BD, Amy Dunn BD, Feryal
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