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### *A Book Forum from Dick Bennett*

## The Literature of Our Enemies

Friday February 22, 2013

7:00 pm at OMNI Center  
3274 No. Lee Ave

Complete information

<http://www.omnicenter.org/events/2013/2/21/literature-of-our-enemies.html>

**WHO IS BEING BOMBED, DISPLACED, KILLED?  
WHO ARE THEY, WHAT ARE THEY LIKE?  
HOW DIVERSE ARE THEY?  
HOW TRUE THE LABELS OF WAR?**

#### Panelists

Jacob George: Poetry of the Taliban: Alex Strick Van Linschoten and Felix Kuehn, eds. Jacob has also composed and will sing a song based upon one of the poems.

Kaveh Bassiri: Forbidden: Poems from Iran and Its Exiles. Edited by Sholeh Wolpé, who also translated many of the poems.

Taymour Elkerim. Reading a poem by a Syrian author.

Dick Bennett: Literature of the "Axis of Evil" (and other "enemies"), World without Borders Anthology.



# Compassion Fayetteville

Developing awareness around compassion  
and fostering a culture of compassion  
in Fayetteville.

**Where:** Fayetteville Public Library

**When:** Saturday February 23, March 30, and April 27  
from 10:30am - 12:30pm

**What:** Share your experiences and learn compassion from others.

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<https://www.facebook.com/Fayetteville.Inclusion>

The mission of the  
Fayetteville Forward Inclusion Group  
is to raise awareness and facilitate  
opportunities for growing Fayetteville  
as an inclusive and compassionate community.

*For more info contact Pattie Williams at 479.443.2096  
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## More OMNI and Community Activity

*Add your events to the list by emailing [omni@omnicenter.org](mailto:omni@omnicenter.org)*

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Feb 22 - 7 pm - Literature of Our Enemies-OMNI

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Feb 23 - 10:00 am - TriCycle Farm POTATO PLANTING!

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Feb 23 - 10:30 am - Compassion Circle - Fay Library Walker Room. Share stories that open space for community. More information Patti Williams, [zipatti@me.com](mailto:zipatti@me.com) .

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Feb 23 - noon - Rooted Vision Healing - OMNI

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Feb 23 - Planned Parenthood Friends Meeting 6:00 at the new Clinic

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Feb 24 - 1:30 pm Fay Library - OMNI 350 - legislative update on advanced energy: Keaton Smith, Joanna Pollock

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Feb 24 - 3:00 pm OMNI - WE Connection - Jimmye Whitaker shares a yoga class. Come join us.

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Feb 26 - pm - drop off donations for Quaker Rummage Sale to benefit Cooperative Emergency Outreach

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Feb 27 - 7:00 pm - Radio Group planning meeting

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Feb 28 - **DIG IN FESTIVAL!** - 2/28 to 3/2, Global Campus on the Town Square. <http://diginfestival.com/>

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Mar 2 - Quaker Rummage Sale - benefits CEO. 8:00 am-1:30 pm @ Rolling Hills Baptist Church. Huge multi-group sale

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Mar 2 - Citizens Climate Lobby - 11:00 am @ OMNI. This group is making a difference, and your voice is needed.

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Mar 2 - **Steve & The Recliners: The Rehash**. 6:00 pm @ OMNI Benefits Syrian refugees Taymour and Sirin, and is super good fun.

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Mar 3 - OMMI 350 - 1:30 Fay Library - advanced energy legislation report from Joanna Pollock and Keaton Smith

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Mar 3 - Rooted Vision Drumming - 1:00-5:00 @ OMNI

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Mar 3 - Open Mic - 7:00 OMNI - Featured Artists: Drew & Chase, new musicians to Fayetteville

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Mar 6 - Citizens First Congress SUPER LOBBY DAY in Little Rock

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Mar 10 - 3:00 pm - WE Connection Salon

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Mar 10 - 6:30 pm - Video Underground TBA

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Mar 12 - 5 pm - Biblical Mothers Reimagined - Rabbi Laura Lieber, Fay Library

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Mar 13 - 6:00 pm - Civil Rights Roundtable, Rogers Center for Nonprofits

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Mar 14 - 5:30 pm - Public Transportation Panel, Fay Library, League of Women Voters panel. Rescheduled from February

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Mar 15-23 -GODDESS FESTIVAL - @ OMNI Center. It'll be beautiful <http://www.goddessfestival.com/>

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Mar 18-22 - Tar Sands Blockade training camp and action

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Mar 24 - Tar Sands Education Event in Oklahoma City. Carpooling to music, speakers, support for Blockaders

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Mar 30 - 10:30 am - Compassion Circle 2 - Fay Library

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Mar 31 - 6:30 pm - Video Underground Special for Women's History Month: Pink Sari's

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**Every week @ OMNI -**

7:00 pm Mondays - Falun Gong meditation group meets in the OMNI library

Quaker Meetings 9:30 am Sundays. Anyone invited.

*The OMNI Center for Peace, Justice & Ecology actively educates, empowers and connects to build a nonviolent, sustainable, and just world.*

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