

# 30 Mosques in 30 Days:

## An American Ramadan Roadtrip Adventure



**7 PM - 9 PM**

**Tuesday, March 15**

**University of St. Thomas O'Shaughnessy  
Education Center Auditorium**

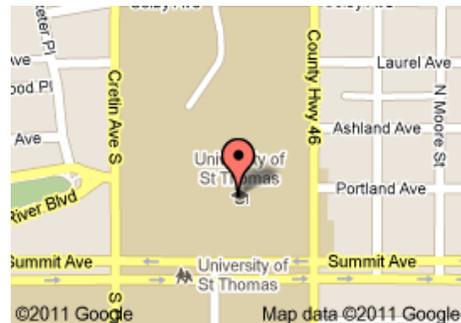
During Ramadan 2010, Islam's holy month of fasting and reflection, New Yorkers Aman Ali and Bassam Tariq took a roadtrip across America, stopping each evening to break their fasts at a different mosque in a different state. The two drove over 13,000 miles during the trip and blogged about it daily on their website. During the trip they prayed inside the infamous "Ground Zero Mosque" in Manhattan, got pulled over by a cop in Mississippi, and visited the first mosque ever built in the U.S. in Ross, North Dakota – a town with only 48 people in it. Along the way they met the protagonists of Dave Eggers' bestselling *Zeitoun*, Cambodian Muslim victims of the Khmer Rouge, a Pakistani-Mormon couple, and many, many others, all of whom are part of the diverse Muslim-American community. Come hear about their journey as they explore what it means to be Muslim in America today. Their experience serves as a powerful counter-narrative to the media's image of a monolithic Islam.

**\*\*Co-sponsors for this event include the Globally Minded Student Association (GMSA), Saudi Club, Muslim-Christian Dialogue Center, Campus Ministry, Students for Justice and Peace, and Muslim Student Association\*\***

**This event will be located at the  
University of St. Thomas, St. Paul Campus,  
in the O'Shaughnessy Auditorium**

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**\*\*This event is free and open to the public\*\***