



Zuhra Kiya



Contractual Terms of Service

This contract represents the complete terms and conditions between _____ (client) and the performer Zuhra Kiya.

1) The performer shall provide:

- a. A belly dance performance on ____/____/____ at the below specified location:
- b. Address: (*Please include the venue name or other helpful information for locating the event*):

 (Venue Name)

 (Street address)

 (City, State Zip)
- c. Event time: _____
- d. The performance selection shall be: (*Please initial next to the performance needed*):
 - i. _____ Classic Belly Dance Show (30 minute show ~ \$200)
 - ii. _____ Performance & Lesson (60 minute show ~ \$200-\$300)
 - iii. _____ Weddings (30 minute show and pictures ~ \$300)
 - iv. _____ Private Belly Dance Lesson (60 minute lesson ~ \$50/dancer)
 - v. _____ Other: _____ (*this is less common*)
- e. The performance will include zills/finger cymbals and other props (such as veils, sword, wings, fan veils and fire tray) as discussed with the client.
- f. If appropriate, the performer will encourage audience participation through dancing. The guest(s) of honor may be invited onto the stage to dance, but the performer will not force those who are uninterested in participating.
- g. The performer shall provide music in the form of a CD or iPod with sound dock.

2) The client shall provide:

- a. Payment in the total amount of **\$100** is due prior to the performance with **\$100** serving as a non-refundable deposit. The remaining balance to be paid prior to event or directly upon the performer's arrival and before the scheduled show time. Payment may be made via cashier's check, cash, or credit cards. (*Cash payment is preferable.*) All credit card payments need to be made using PayPal no later than 48 hours prior to the event to the email address zuhrakiya1@gmail.com .

- b. A safe and adequate space for the performer. This includes a floor or stage space that is free of broken glass, spilled liquids, or other hazardous objects. This also includes an environment that is free of harassment of a sexual nature or otherwise. If the performer deems the environment unsafe for the above reasons, she may leave without rendering services, and the client will not receive a refund of any nature. Furthermore, the client will still be responsible for paying the full amount remaining, if any.
- c. A sound system with CD playing capabilities, preferably in the same room in which the performance is to take place. The sound system is an important part of the show and should be tested prior to the arrival of the performer. Louder is better. In some cases, the performer will provide music via sound dock/iPod with prior notification and as discussed with client no later than 48 hours prior to performance date.
- d. The client shall communicate any special suggestions or requests no later than 48 hours prior to the beginning of the performance. The performance has been carefully choreographed, and it is difficult to make changes once the performance has begun. Be assured that, if appropriate, an audience participation song(s) will be included as has been discussed prior with the client.
- e. Often the performer will have more than one engagement per night, so it is important that the show start at the agreed upon time. If the performer is required to start later, an extra charge of \$25 for every 10 mins. will apply. In some cases, lateness may result in a shorter show or constitute a breach of contract on the part of the client.
- f. It is important to pay the performer in a timely manner; therefore, all remaining balances on a performance are to be handled discreetly prior to the performance actually taking place.
- g. A private, secure space must be provided for the performer to change clothes and to store her belongings while performing. This area must not be available to others during the performer's use to ensure space security.
- h. In the event of cancellation client must give more than 48 hours notice. The half payment made to secure the date is non-refundable. The remaining amount is refundable if and only if the client prepaid. If notice is given after 48 hours the full amount will be non-refundable. If full amount has not been paid then client will be charged for remaining amount. My schedule fills up quickly and in the event of a cancellation I need to be able to adjust accordingly. If I need to cancel please be assured that I will only do so in extreme emergency. I can either offer you another performer at the agreed upon amount or I can reschedule.

Agreed to and accepted:

(Performer)

____/____/_____
(Date)

(Client)

____/____/_____
(Date)

____ - ____ - ____
(Phone)

(Email)

~ Performance Options ~

1. Classic Middle Eastern Dance Show ~ \$200:

A 30 minute traditional belly dance show featuring beautiful Isis wings entrance (space permitting), grand veil or fan veil, finger cymbals, taqsim (the mesmerizing slow section) and ending with an exciting and engaging drum solo with the dancer's movements interpreting the dynamics of a drum song. Performance time is 20-25 minutes with the remaining time spent getting the audience members involved in the fun. Even the shyest of partygoers will find themselves swept away. This is a popular choice for birthday parties, showers, charity gala events, corporate events and more.

2. Performance and Lesson or Performance and Presentation ~ \$TBD:

This is a very fun and unique package that is great for Ladies Night Out (aka Hen Parties), corporate events, bridal showers or just to celebrate and try something different and new. Have you ever wondered where belly dancing came from? (Hint: It's not Hollywood). During the 60 mins, I will make a short presentation about the fascinating and surprising history of the dance form. This will give your guests a deeper understanding of the dance and how it fits into Middle Eastern culture. If you're interested in trying the dance out with your friends, I will bring coin hip scarves to loan for a fun group lesson that is sure to get everyone moving.

- a. \$200 / 05 person group (02-05 participants) \$40 each participant
- b. \$250 / 10 person group (06-10 participants) \$25 each participant
- c. \$300 / 15 person group (11-15 participants) \$20 each participant

3. Weddings ~ \$300:

What better way to add something different and exciting to your wedding than to have your very own belly dancer performance. During this 30 min performance I will perform with props such as wings, veil, swords and even a shamadan (candelabrum) if requested. Your guests will be swept away with this mesmerizing dance. This will be a great addition to your wonderful and special day.

4. Private Belly Dance Lesson ~ \$50/dancer:

Looking to learn how to belly dance but a traditional class just doesn't work for you? A private lesson is just what you need. It works perfectly around your home & work schedule. I will design a lesson to meet the needs of what you are trying to achieve. Together we can work on drum solos, those isolations and all those wonderful props.

Please note:

*Middle Eastern dance is a social and family friendly art form that celebrates and empowers women as such **I DO NOT** perform at **ANY** all male events.*