

Arabian Sights 20

FILM FESTIVAL 2015

Celebrating 20 Years of Contemporary Arab Cinema

OCTOBER 16-25

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The Embassy of the United Arab Emirates in Washington, DC presents the

20th Annual Arabian Sights Film Festival October 16 - 25

Featuring the Yemeni Film, I AM NOJOOM AGE 10 AND DIVORCED!



In this feature film, a 10-year-old girl walks into a courtroom, looks the judge straight in the eye and tells him, "I want a divorce." Nojoom Ali's father arranges for her to marry a villager who is three times her age in exchange for a trivial dowry. Based on Nojood Ali's best-selling autobiography, this gripping drama tells of the little girl in Yemen who made headline news in 2009 and became a symbol of the movement against forced and underage marriage.

Saturday, October 24, 6:30 PM, \$13

Sunday, October 25, 2:00 PM, \$13

Both screenings are at AMC Mazza Gallerie, 5300 Wisconsin Ave. NW

★ **Special Guest Director, Khadija Al Salami will be in attendance for both screenings** ★

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