

# Unravelling the Tawasin of Hallaj: A Conversation between Nomanul Haq and Carl Ernst



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The Kitab al-Tawasin of the Sufi al-Hallaj (d. 922 CE) is a fascinating versified mystical treatise of a monumental and intriguing figure in the history of Sufism. Hallaj was mercilessly executed by Abbasid rulers in a mêlée of political and sectarian machinations. His fateful cry “I am the Truth” has echoed in Sufi chambers until this day, generating a legacy of devotional, romantic, and even secular resistance poetry and prose. Join us in a conversation between two distinguished scholars and translators of the Tawasin.

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