




**ADOPT A PRISONER PROFILE: MOHAMMAD ZAKI AMAWI PREPARED: Dec 2009**

<b>AGE</b>	<b>29</b>	
<b>NATIONALITY</b>	<b>Jordanian/American</b>	
<b>COUNTRY HELD</b>	<b>United States</b>	
<b>SENTENCE</b>	<b>20 years</b>	
<b>PRISON</b>	<b>FTC Oklahoma City</b>	

**Personal Biography\***

Mohammad Zaki Amawi is a 29 year old of Jordanian descent. He was born in the United States, but also had Jordanian citizenship. Amawi once worked at a bakery.

**Brief Details about His Case**

He was arrested in Toledo, Ohio in February 2006 for allegedly planning to wage a "holy war" that included possible attacks on U.S. troops in Iraq. He was arrested along with Marwan Othman El-Hindi and Wassim Mazloum. On the 15<sup>th</sup> of December 2007 Mohammad Zaki Amawi and two cousins Zubair Ahmed, Khaleel Ahmed, received indictments on further terrorism charges of conspiring to kill, kidnap or maim persons outside of the United States, including US military personnel in Iraq and Afghanistan, including taking weapons training, doing bodybuilding exercises and taking steroids, allegedly to prepare for attacks. In court, a U.S. attorney played audio tapes recorded by Darren Griffin, known as "The Trainer," an FBI informant, who covertly worked to befriend and gather incriminating evidence against the three convicted brothers. The government's case against the three revolved around this FBI informant who recorded the men for about two years beginning in 2004 while they talked about training in explosives, guns, and sniper tactics. Darren Griffin won the trust of the men by posing as a former soldier who grew disenchanted with U.S. foreign policy who was now intent on violence against America. Brother Mohammad Zaki Amawi was sentenced to 20 years along with a court order of lifetime supervision pending his release. Though he was sentenced to 20 years in prison, Amawi was granted credit for the three years he has already spent in federal prison. His is scheduled to be released on 7/25/2023.

**Why Should I Adopt Mohammad?**

Mohammad is your Muslim brother who has been falsely accused of allegations. He did not commit any crime. He desperately needs letters from the Ummah to let him know that we are there supporting the brother in the difficulties he faces. He would really appreciate some mail reassuring him and the other brothers with him of this.

**MAILING ADDRESS**

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