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The Living Quran

with

Iqbal Akhtar, PhD
Assistant Professor of Islamic Studies
at Florida International University

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Monsignor William Barry Memorial Library, Room 308
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