## LETTER FROM THE EDITOR (to the editor)

I've thought a lot about what to write in this section of the journal. I found myself blanking, only fragmented thoughts filled my mind. I quickly looked for inspiration in previous issues of The Oracle, hoping I would break the silence in my mind. But with no luck. I realized later that the problem was the title of this section itself. A "letter from the editor" implies that I'm trying to send a message to the reader(s) before they embark on this journey. I found this extremely difficult. One message to send the reader(s) off. A bit stressful if you ask me. So, instead, I thought I would write a letter to myself. And, in that, I found solace.

Allow your convictions, prejudices, and habitual beliefs to be criticized.

Prepare yourself to be intrigued, shocked, and amazed.

Digest, reason, and reflect.

In challenging the mind, we grow. In defying the self, we overcome.

Now, repeat.

Sincerely, Micheal Habib Editor-in-Chief