

**STUDIA ORIENTALIA**

**Vol. 67**

# **STUDIA ORIENTALIA**

**Vol. 67**

**Societas Orientalis Fennica**

**HELSINKI 1991**

**Studia Orientalia**, Vol. 67.

Copyright © 1991 by the Finnish Oriental Society,  
Societas Orientalis Fennica,  
Snellmaninkatu 9-11, SF-00170 Helsinki, Finland

Publication Secretary: Harry Halén

ISSN 0039-3282  
ISBN 951-9380-16-7

PunaMusta  
Helsinki 1991

## CONTENTS

JAAKKO HÄMEEN-ANTTILA

- 'We will tell you the best of stories'. A study on Surah XII ..... 7

JAAKKO HÄMEEN-ANTTILA

- A note on the 'En 'Avdat inscription ..... 33

DIMITRI JERMAKOFF (St. Petersburg)

- Catalogue of the Arabic manuscripts in the Library of Tartu University ..... 37

VICTOR LEBEDEV (St. Petersburg)

- Unresearched sources of Yemenite Arabic ..... 51

HEIKKI PALVA

- The form *jāk* in Bedouin narrative style ..... 55

BERTIL TIKKANEN

A Burushaski folktale, transcribed and translated:

- The frog as a bride, or, The three princes and the fairy princess Salaasír ..... 65

PENTTI AALTO

- Georg Carl von Döbeln's glossary of his Indian diary ..... 127

KLAUS KARTTUNEN

- Herman Kellgren: A bibliography ..... 147

HARRY HALÉN

- Die uigurischen Mannerheim-Fragmente (2) ..... 161

HARRY HALÉN

- Some Kalmuk notes by G. J. Ramstedt ..... 171

- Book reviews ..... 189

