



## EMLĀ BOḶĀRĀ'Ī, MOḶAMMAD

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**EMLĀ BOḶĀRĀ'Ī, MOḶAMMAD** b. 'Alā'-al-Dīn, Sufi poet of Arab descent, born in 1688 in Sangārak, Afghanistan, died in 1749 in Bukhara. He studied in the Bukhara *madrasa* and remained in that town until his death. He left a *dīvān* with *ḡazals*, *qeṭ'as*, and *robā'īs*. Of the many manuscripts of his *dīvān* in the libraries of the former Soviet Union, twelve are in the Manuscript Fund of the Tajik Academy of Sciences in Dushanbe, one of which was written in the last year of the poet's life.

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