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Hello Rumeli
by Özcan Pehlivanoglu
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As can be understood from the book named Hello Rumeli, the book will keep its up to date which written in the form of research and investigation, will be able to say the feelings that we are, able to blossom the hopes and end the longing in The Balkan lands that we left and continue to neglect by saying "Farewell Rumelia".

The importance of the Balkans should be evaluated in our education system in terms of Turkish history and European history and transferred to younger generations and our society should be made conscious.

The richness of the sociological, political, religious and cultural diversity of the Balkan geography should not be looked at separating direction but should be assessed from a unifying and integrative point of view. The Turkish nation should know and live as a homeland of Rumeli.

The Turkish nation has not fulfilled sufficiently and adequately its responsibilities towards its brothers who lived in The Balkans till today on the historical scene. The fates of communities living in the Balkans had been written together. It should not be forgotten that The Turkish Republic is one of the most important elements and determinants of this fate.

Ozcan Pehlivanoglu, who reflects the concept of holding up our country and our state by linking plans, program and strategy related with the works about the Balkans, and he has displayed in his work that we should not forget about our past but should protect our future.

