

Lesson 60 (A)

If a word ending in tanwin is followed by hamzat al-waṣl, the tanwin is written as a small υ below the hamzat al-waṣl, and this υ carries kasrah, e.g.,

This is pronounced : nûḥu nibnahû أُو رُحُ إِبَنَهُ

'- The hamzat al-waṣl is an alif at the beginning of a word which is pronounced only when it is not preceded by any other word. When preceded by another word this alif is not pronounced. This alif has no sign above or below it, e.g., فَصَلٌ لِرَبِّكَ وَانْحَرٌ .