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Libya



About

Libya has been in civil war since 2011. Organised crime thrives and Islamic extremists violently attack and kidnap Christians. Believers caught evangelising can be arrested. All Libyans are considered to be Muslim and are forbidden from going to church. Christian converts from Islam must hide their faith, especially from family. Many risk their lives to follow Jesus and have to consider fleeing the country.

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Story

“All new believers start as isolated believers... they come to Jesus because of dreams or because of Christian television or websites... The trouble for new believers really starts when they speak out about Jesus.”

– Charley*, Open Doors worker for North African countries.

Pray



Pray for Christian converts in Libya, especially those who are isolated from other believers.

Pray that many Libyans would hear the gospel through Arabic satellite TV and web broadcasts.

Score
87/100



Source Of Persecution

General Population

Christian Population

Main Religion

Region

Government

Leader

Islamic Oppression

6.5 Million

37.9 Thousand

Islam

Africa

Transitional Government

Chairman / Prime Minister

Fayez al-Sarraj