

PRAY

FOR THE PERSECUTED

LOCATION & OVERVIEW:

Sudan is located in Northeast Africa. For nearly 50 years, Sudan has conducted a brutal campaign to Islamize the nation, destroying churches and imprisoning Christians while seeking to implement strict adherence to Islamic law. Until recently, the Islamization campaign also included the bombing of villages, crops, hospitals and churches.

MAJOR RELIGION:

90 percent of the Sudanese people are Sunni Muslims. 5 percent are Christians.

PERSECUTOR:

The Sudanese government has intimidated, arrested, imprisoned and tortured Christians.



Sudan

FOLLOWING CHRIST HERE:

In times of peace, Sudanese Christians have been able to attend church openly, but Christian leaders are detained and sometimes imprisoned if their activities are viewed as threatening Islam. Most Christians who have not fled the current violence must meet underground in small groups.

ACCESS TO BIBLES:

As a result of the regime's long-standing campaign to Islamize the country, Bibles and Christian literature have become scarce.



PRAY FOR:

How to pray for SUDAN

- Pray that God will silence the voices of Islamic extremists.
- Pray that Christian converts from Islam will have peace with their families and communities.
- Pray for the protection and boldness of front-line workers and for fulfillment of their needs.
- Pray for unity and harmony among Sudanese churches and their leaders.