

*Opportunities and
Challenges facing
Scripture
distribution in
Egypt*

The Bible Society of Egypt

*For the word of God is
living and active, sharper than
any double-edged sword,
it penetrates even to dividing soul
and spirit, joints and marrow;
it judges the thoughts and
attitudes of the heart.*

*Nothing in all creation is hidden
from God's sight. everything is
uncovered and laid bare before the
eyes of him to whom we must give
account.*

Hebrews 4:12-13



Egypt is known for its ancient tombs





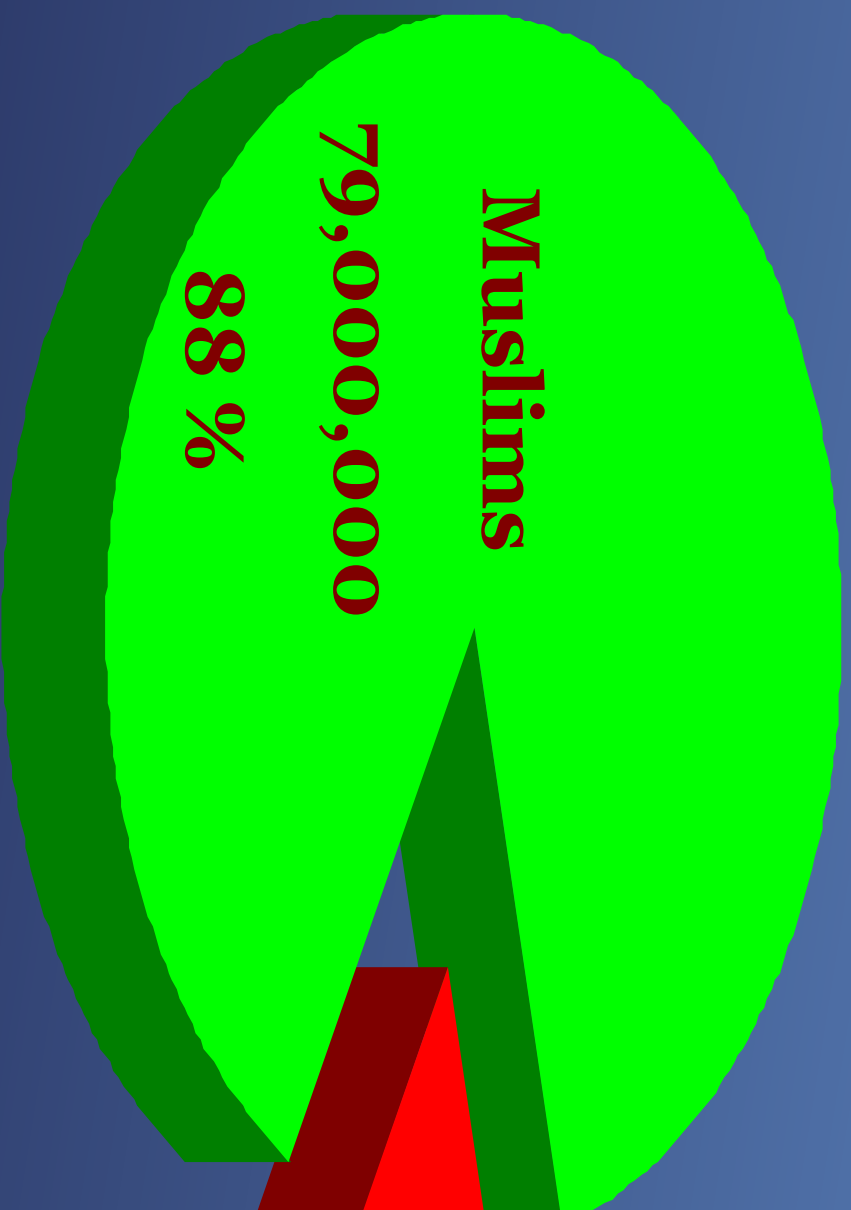
...AND TEMPLES

5000 year old sun boat to take Pharaoh to next world



- ▶ They built their tombs and temples with **stones** which have lasted over 5,000 years
- ▶ But they built their homes and palaces with **mud bricks** which did not last long!

Invested mainly in eternity



Christians

10,000,000

12%


Muslims

79,000,000


88%

Largest Muslim country in Middle East
Half of all the Christians in the Middle East

OUR CHALLENGE is to
present God's Word...

- ▶ ...in a suitable format
 - ▶ ...at an appropriate price
 - ▶ ...within the legal, religious
and political restrictions in
Egypt
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*“When a door is
closed see if there
is a window you
can jump
through!”*



**We are restricted
in givings out free
Scriptures**

***so we sell
them!***





**We can only sell
from**

Christianian outlets

**so we multiply
outlets all over the
country**



*We now have a chain
of 16 attractive Bible
Bookstores “on the
street” in strategic
locations across the
country*







The Bible Society Bookshops

Downtown Alex

East Alex

Tanta

Mansoura

Ain-Shams

Heliopolis

Shubra

Cairo Downtown

Giza

Helwan

Beni-Suef

Minia

Assuit 3

Assuit 1

Assuit 2

Sohag

Luxor

We are not allowed
to “proselytize”

so we advertise



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The Holy Library of Egypt

محدث رسوماتنا البيانية

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• لغة سهلة وبسيطة

• قصص من العهدين القديم والجديد

• مدة الشريط ساعة كاملة

شحن الشريط **١٢,٥٥** جنيها فقط

- القاهرة تـ ٥٨٨٥١٢٥ (خطوط)
- الإسكندرية تـ ٤٨٤٤٢٨ - ٤٨٤٤٢٩
- طنطا تـ ٣٣٣١٧٥ - ٣٣١٧٨٨
- الاقصر تـ ٣١٣٨٩
- المنصورة تـ ٧٨٨٠٩٠

خدمة التوصيل تـ ٥٨٨٥٠٨٠/٧

معرض القاهرة الدولي للكتاب - ٤ - ٦ - ٢٠٠١



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القاهرة

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August 14, 2013

**An attempt to
instigate a civil war in
Egypt**



دار الكتب والهيئات



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دوملا

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The intent was to
infuriate and humiliate
Christians so as to create
civil war in Egypt.

But there was not a
single incident of
retaliation by Christians!



Old Assiut Bookshop

Assiut Bookshop Reopening



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TWO ROWS BY THE SEA



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How the Bible Society of Egypt responded



WHICH ROW PLEASES GOD?

Do not be afraid of those who
kill the body
but cannot kill the soul.

Rather, be afraid of the One
who can destroy both soul and
body in hell.

«Whoever acknowledges me
before me,

I will also acknowledge him
before my Father in heaven.

But whoever disowns me
before me,

I will disown him before my
Father in heaven.

(Matthew 10: 28,32,33)

Two rows of men walked the shore
of the sea,

On a day when the world's tears
would run free,

One a row of assassins, who
thought they did right,

The other of innocents, true sons
of the light,

One holding knives in hands held
high,

The other with hands empty,
defenseless and tied,

One row of slits to conceal glaring-
dead eyes,

The other with living eyes raised
to the skies,

One row stood steady, pall-bearers
of death,

The other knelt ready, welcoming
heaven's breath,

One row spewed wretched,
contemptible threats,


The other spread God-given peace
and rest.

A Question...

Who fears the other?

The row in orange, watching
paradise open?

Or the row in black, with minds
evil and broken?



TWO ROWS BY THE SEA

**1.65
million
tracts
distributed
all over
Egypt**



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NEW OUTREACH TO YOUTH THROUGH BIBLICAL TALENT COMPETITIONS



THE MISSION CONTINUES...

*...seeking more creative
and effective ways to
make God's Word
accessible, affordable, and
understandable to the
people of Egypt*

