

# العالم العربي THE ARAB WORLD

Country	Population	Head of State	Country	Population	Head of State
Algeria	30 Million	Pres. A. Boutaflika	Oman	2.3 Million	Sultan: Qaboos bin Said
Bahrain	700,000	Sheikh Hamad Bin Isa	Morocco	30 Million	King Mohammed VI
Egypt	72 Million	Pres. Hosni Mubarak	Qatar	570,000	Sheikh Hamad Bin Khalifa
Iraq	20 Million	Pres. Jalal Talabani	Saudi Arabia	20 Million	King Abdullah Bin Abdulaziz
Jordan	5 Million	King Abdallah II	Sudan	30 Million	Pres. Omar Al-Beshir
Kuwait	2 Million	Sabāh alAhmad alJābir AsSabāh	Syria	17 Million	Pres. Bashar Al Assad
Lebanon	4 Million		Tunisia	9 Million	Pres. Zaine El Abidine Ben Ali
Libya	6 Million	Col. M. Al-Qadhafi	U.A.E	3 Million	Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed
Mauritania	2.2 Million	Pres. Sidi Ould Shikh Abdallahi	Yemen	17 Million	Pres. Ali Abdallah Saleh

“Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence. For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior” 1Tim 2:1-3



Approximately 300 million Arabs are living today on more than 4 million square miles of a very strategic land. A gateway to three continents; Asia, Europe & Africa.

It is possible to map out three regions within the Arab World: THE GULF, THE FERTILE CRESCENT & NORTH AFRICA. Many Arabs live also in the West.

The 20th century will be remembered in the collective Arab memory as a period of failure & humiliation. Despite vast oil resources, the Arabs find themselves at the dawn of a new century as weak and dependent on outside powers as before.

To make any kind of progress among the Arabs we need to demonstrate Christian love in a hospitable and humble way. We need most of all to pray for the Arab indigenous church to grow. Its future is as bright as we are willing to stand in the gap (Eze 22:30). We need to pray for the Christian migration to cease, for new workers to be sent, for teaching aids to be added and for the Christian mass media to become more effective. May our lord help us to stand to promote His Kingdom in the Arab World.

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