



## Sounding the Alarm for Christians Who are Standing in the Fire

Persecuted believers have become the new face of genuine Christianity. Persecution is growing just as Jesus promised. According to the Center for Religious Studies, 90,000 Christians were martyred for their faith in 2016. The majority of the persecution came from Muslim terrorist groups within the Middle East. An estimated 600,000 were prevented from practicing their faith. Our goal at UnCharted is to link the Western Church with our brothers and sisters on the front lines and to support them, pray for them, and advocate for them. They are standing in the fire like Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego of Daniel 3.

**Discipleship:** The most persecuted group of believers in the Middle East are from a Muslim background. UnCharted is passionate about discipling new believers from a Muslim background in *safe houses* we help fund and lead. Our Middle East team of national leaders are at this work 52 weeks of the year in Syria, Jordan, Iraq, Egypt, the West Bank, and other Middle East hotspots where believers are standing in the fire for Christ.

"Seen" Events: Women in the Muslim World are mistreated and forgotten. But God sees them. The women's ministry of UnCharted is aptly called Not Forgotten. NF seeks to minister to the women of the Middle East who suffer neglect, discrimination, and massive abuse.

Gatherings are arranged for Muslim women, but the result is women come to faith in Jesus freely through the Not Forgotten ministry team.

**Breakaway Retreats:** UnCharted also brings persecuted believers from Syria, Egypt, the Gaza Strip etc. to *Breakaway Conferences* in safer locations, like the mountains of Lebanon, to hear their stories, minister to them, and bless them before they reenter the spiritual battle.

**8thirty8:** Is a Facebook site that distributes daily prayer requests from the front lines of Christian persecution in real time. Over 28,000 prayer warriors set an alarm to prayer for those *in prison, persecution, and danger at 8:38 PM daily.* Romans 8:38-39 is the theme verse.

**Expeditions:** UnCharted takes teams to work with persecuted believers to:

- 1. Let Western Believers sit at their feet and learn from persecuted.
- 2. Bring Encouragement to the persecuted by providing for their needs.

**Orange Letter Campaign:** Each year UnCharted selects a persecuted people group and runs a National Letter writing campaign with American Family Radio. UnCharted has hand-delivered about 2,500 letters to:

The Egyptian Widows of the 21 Martyrs killed by ISIS in Libya in 2016

Syrian Pastors and Leaders in 2017

North Korean Believers who've defected in 2018

Church Training: Tom, JoAnn Doyle and the UnCharted Team can come to your church and train on how to reach Muslims with the gospel and point you to projects that support the persecuted church. Tom will also preach at your church on the Great Harvest in the Muslims world and the blowback of persecution that is not stopping the growth of the Body of Christ in some of the most dangerous countries in the world. Tom is the best-selling author of:

Dreams and Visions-Is Jesus Awakening the Muslim World Killing Christians-Living the Faith Where it is NOT Safe to Believe Standing in the Fire-Courageous Christians Living in Dangerous Times

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