



## **The Nuba Christian Family Mission**

### **Statement of Purpose**

The Nuba Christian Family Mission has a two-fold mission.

First, to bring assistance to the work of the church in the Nuba Mountains region of the Sudan - building alliances with the Nuba Mountain people to meet their spiritual, social, economic, health, and educational needs.

Second, to assist those in this country in resettlement, and help them to receive the training and education needed in rebuilding their lives in a new land.

Help us to Build for the Future through Education.

Help us to Establish the First Christian High School in the Nuba Mountains.

More complete information about NCFM and the Kadugli-Nuba Mountain Diocese is available at the following web sites:

<http://www.nubachristianfamily.org>

<http://www.ecsnuba.org>

Material from these web sites can be downloaded and printed out for educational and promotional purposes. The web sites are updated on a regular basis.

## **Rebuilding the Future of Nuba**

### **Beginning with Education**

Today there is no high school in the Nuba Mountains. There are 32 primary schools, but no high school. Any student who wants to go beyond eighth grade must go to Southern Sudan, or to Kenya, or to Uganda for high school. This creates an insurmountable hardship for a people already surviving at a subsistence level.

Together, and in relationship with the Episcopal Church of the Sudan and the Kadugli-Nuba Mountain Diocese, we can help build the first high school in the Nuba Mountains.

The Nuba Christian Mission Family is a 501c3 organization, organized with the assistance of The Episcopal Church of the Holy Spirit, Baton Rouge, LA. NCFM is in a support relationship with Bishop Andudu Adam Elnail, Bishop of the Kadugli-Nuba Mountain Diocese. We present to you this opportunity to help create the first Nuba Mountains Christian High School.

## Estimated Cost Details

### Start up Items

2000 Text Books	\$ 25,000
Tables and Chairs	2,500
Supplies	700
Building the Classrooms	5,000
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	\$ 33,200

Land has already been procured.

Truck \$ 25,000

Teachers for one year \$ 24,000

This cost is based on 12 teachers @ \$200 / month.  
Classes will be conducted in English.

**Estimated Total Cost for first year** \$ 82,200

I would like to help establish the first Christian High School  
in the Nuba Mountains.

My gift on behalf of the project is

\_\_\_ \$1,000 \_\_\_ \$ 500 \_\_\_ \$ 250 \_\_\_ \$ 100 \_\_\_ \$ 50 \_\_\_ \$ other

Send check or money order, payable to

Nuba Christian Family Mission, Inc.  
P.O. Box 86714  
Baton Rouge, LA 70879

All contributions are tax deductible. EIN: 75-3096209  
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## Bishop Andudu Visits the United States

This March, NCFM hosted Bishop Andudu on a tour of nine cities throughout the United States. Included in this tour was a visit to Washington, D.C. In a meeting March 9, 2004, with Senator Bill Frist, on behalf of President Bush, Bishop Andudu expressed the gratitude of the Nuba People for the work the United States is doing to bring peace to the Sudan. As a sign of gratitude Bishop Andudu presented to President Bush and Senator Danforth, two ancient Nuba bowls. Below is the letter that Senator Frist will deliver to President Bush along with the Nuba Bowl. It is our pleasure to share this expression of gratitude with you.

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The Diocese of Kadugli Nuba Mountains  
Nuba Christian Family Mission  
Joining Our Voices

March 8, 2004

Dear President Bush:

We bring you greetings from the Nuba Mountains in Sudan, and we pray God's blessings on you, your family, and the work of your service to your people and ours. We recognize and are grateful for the care and concern your administration has shown for our grave situation in Sudan, and especially in the Nuba Mountains. We are also grateful for Special Envoy to Sudan, Senator Danforth, the legislators who sponsored the Sudan Peace Act, and Colin Powell for assisting us in our search for a way to end the destruction of our people.

We hope that you may know and learn of the history of the Nuba, that we are a Biblical people, the ancient people of the Kingdom of Cush in Isaiah 18 and Zephaniah 3, a Christian Kingdom for over 900 years, from the 6<sup>th</sup> to the 15<sup>th</sup> century. The Arabs forced us to seek refuge in the Nuba Mountains, where we remain in our final stand to this day, on the brink of genocide. We are a strong, hard working and peace-loving people. We also desire democracy and freedom of religious expression to worship God freely as those of you in the west. We are longing for peace and crying to God for relief and the strength to build a future for our children through true education, free commerce, and a system of justice that may be applied equally to all.

Please accept this bowl, hand-crafted in the culture of our ancestors, as an expression of our deep gratitude for vital assistance in our pursuit of a just peace. This present cease-fire has given us hope that we may soon find a way to peace and the restoration of our lives and culture. The horrors of this oppressive war have left us with little else than trusting in God in our day to day lives. Your involvement has renewed our hope, in the weariness of our burden, that we are not completely forgotten by the church and civilization of America. Please continue to help us in our fight against terrorism in Sudan, and especially in the Nuba Mountain region that has been cut off for so long from the outside world.

Sincerely,

The Rt. Rev. Andudu Adam Elnail, Diocese of Kadugli and Nuba Mountains  
George Kori Tuto, President-Nuba Christian Family Mission  
Jack Slater Armstrong, Joining Our Voices