

Libya!

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Libya's Country Size

Libya is the third largest country in Africa, and the seventeenth largest country in the world! It is 700,000 square miles!

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Location

The Latitude and Longitude of Libya are 29.9569 degrees North and 15.7461 degrees East

The relative locations of Libya is in the Northern part of Africa. It is on the Northern border of the Mediterranean. Algeria to the west and Egypt is to the east.

Place

The land in Libya are mostly dry grasslands and deserts. both the Mediteranean Sea and the deserts affect Libya's climate. In the winter, it's cold with rain on the coast. In the desert it's very dry and hot in the summer and cold and dry in the winter. During the day the temperatures are mostly around 40 degrees C.

Religion

Islam-97 percent of people are Muslim, Islam is a very popular religion in Libya.

Christianity-Only a small amount of people are Christian in Libya.

Jewish-There are no Jews in Libya. They made anti-Jewish programs, had a war, and killed the whole Jewish community in Libya.

Buddhism-3 percent of people are Buddhist which are immigrants from Asia.

Religion Continued

The reason Libya is 97% Islam is because when the rulers came they were mostly Islamic and they said either change your religion or die. The religion is called Islam, but the people who believe in the religion are called Muslim.

A Major Need in Libya!

- Libya needs more water, more than half the country is without running water. Here we have the luxury of having water when we turn on a faucet but, in Libya they do not have that luxury. It is a big issue that needs to be fixed very quickly. You have to have good clean water to survive, but that has been a problem in Libya.

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- Libya also has a lack of health care facilities, Libya has less than 1,500 health care facilities. Such, as hospitals and doctor's offices. People have to line up outside the country's health care facilities, instead of having the luxury of being able to wait inside of a waiting room.

Pictures!



Government

The government is a Military Dictatorship. As a result of the collapse of the Gaddafi government in August 2011, due to the Libyan civil war, Libya is under de facto administration of the National Transitional Council. The NTC pledged to organize democratic elections by April 2012, and expects Libya to develop into a constitutional democracy by 2013.

Transportation

In Libya the transportation there is a lot like our transportation here. They use buses, cars, bikes, and of course you can walk. But unlike here in America, not all of the highways and airport runways in Libya are paved, since there is a lack of money in Libya and there is a lack of pavement and concrete.

Elections

In July 2012, Muslim voted in it's first national election since Col. Muammar Qaddafi was ousted. And the turnout was over 60 percent.

On Sept. 11, 2012, armed gunmen attacked the American consulate in Benghazi and killed U.S. ambassador Christopher Stevens, and three other embassy officials.

People in Libya!

The people in Libya stand up for what they believe in. On September 11 of this year, the U.S. Ambassador was killed. The White House believes that the attack was planned, but it has not been proven yet. And, they have not found the person who is responsible for the four murders.

Facts about Libya!

- Libya is the third largest country in Africa and the seventeenth largest country in the world.
- The transportation in Libya is a lot like our transportation here in America.
- Libya's most common religion is Islam.
- Libya is the country that the U.S. Ambassador was killed in.
- They speak mostly standard Arabic