

Lost Boys of Sudan

A DOCUMENTARY FILM BY MEGAN MYLAN AND JON SHENK
INDEPENDENT SPIRIT AWARD WINNER

Lost Boys of Sudan is an award-winning documentary that follows two Sudanese refugees on an extraordinary journey from Africa to America. Orphaned as young boys in one of Africa's cruelest civil wars, Peter Dut and Santino Chuor survived lion attacks and militia gunfire to reach a refugee camp in Kenya along with thousands of other children. From there, remarkably, they were chosen to come to America. Safe at last from physical danger and hunger, a world away from home, they find themselves confronted with the abundance and alienation of contemporary American suburbia.



"I've never had a film get such a positive reaction from my students. The story is powerful on so many levels. It has done great things for my classroom."

Andy Dobbie,
Public High School Teacher,
Detroit, Michigan

"This film is like having Sudan ring your doorbell and come in for a chat about our common humanity in the face of the unbelievable tragedy of civil war."

Michale Kevane, President,
Sudanese Studies Association

"Lost Boys is a great tool for raising awareness on Sudan. We've used it with everyone from teenagers to senior citizens. After the film, people use words like, 'humbling', 'thought provoking' and 'life changing'."

Darcie Olson
Amnesty International, USA

"The view of America through refugees' eyes is rich with teaching possibilities. The challenges faced by the young men in the film are so immediate and touching, my sophomores could really relate to their hardships."

Katie Mills, Ph.D.,
Department of English, Occidental College

"It's real, that's our story. When I was watching I was thinking that's it, that's what I've been through, now the whole country will understand."

Augustino Ting Morte Mayai,
Sudanese youth, Utah



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Lost Boys of Sudan was broadcast nationally as part of the acclaimed PBS series POV. The film screened theatrically in 70 cities across the U.S. to strong critical and audience praise. It was also screened on Capitol Hill with the Congressional Refugee and Human Rights Caucuses as well as with the State Department's Refugee and Migration Bureau. *Lost Boys of Sudan* is now being used effectively by a wide range of educational, professional and community groups all across the country.

87 minutes, in Dinka and English with English subtitles.

RELEVANT SUBJECT AREAS:

African Studies
American Studies
Anthropology
Developing World
Human Rights
Immigration / Refugees
Intergroup Relations
Mental Health / Trauma
Peace/Conflict Resolution
Sociology
Social Work

WHO IS USING THE FILM:

Universities
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Human rights networks

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The Educator's Edition includes a second bonus DVD with a 55-minute version of the documentary, video modules, an Educational Study Guide, Discussion Guide and Community Action Guide.

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