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## On Life In The Sudan

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What the Black man in America needs to realize is that Africa nor, white America has the solution, guidelines, or program to raise and establish them in a condition and future of self efficiency recognized and respected by the highest forms of civilization.

I HAVE lived in Africa practically two years. The Africans are on the beginning steps of trying to develop a program for themselves. If they had one fully developed they would not be falling victim to the materialistic charms of white America and Europe, but refining their own abundant natural resources independent of the white man. They are not yet fully educated to their environment and the highly intelligent African will admit this to be true.

The uncountable number of programs and organizations which the white man of America has set up and implemented have not gotten the majority of our Black kind away from bread lines begging for food, clothing and money. Practically 400 years we have been under white America's programs. Look where you are today Black Man, still the last man on the "totem pole."

We Blacks in America have lived under a different condition from the Blacks in Africa ever since we were taken from Africa. We need a program which will dignify us above the status of slave or cheap labor. We need a program which can establish love and unity among our own kind for the benefit of our own kind.

Read the program which the Honorable Elijah Muhammad has printed on the last page of this newspaper, then know that this same program has been in print for seven years. He has it in the beginning stages of working order now. You see evidence of it in this newspaper and everywhere you see a Muslim, one of his followers.

If you, Black Man, are at all interested in the improvement of your Black self and Black kind and a secure stability of this improvement then you had better join the followers of the Honorable Elijah Muhammad and partake of this program, the Only Program for the Black Man in America.