

# Delve Deeper into "Lost Boys of Sudan"

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This multi-media resource list, compiled by Lynn Whitehouse of the San Diego Public Library in partnership with the American Library Association, provides a range of perspectives on the issues raised by the upcoming P.O.V. documentary "Lost Boys of Sudan" that premieres on September 28th, 2004 at 10 p.m. on PBS (check local listings)

For the last 20 years, civil war has raged in Sudan, killing and displacing millions. **Lost Boys of Sudan** follows two young refugees from the Dinka tribe, Peter and Santino, through their first year in America. Along with 20,000 other boys, they lost their families and wandered hundreds of miles across the desert seeking safety. After a decade in a Kenyan refugee camp, nearly 4,000 "lost boys" have come to the U.S. As Peter and Santino set out to make new lives for themselves in Houston, their struggle asks us to rethink what it means to be an American. An Independent Television Service (ITVS) co-presentation.

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International Rescue Committee (IRC)

<http://www.theirc.org/>

Lost Boys of Sudan – American Red Cross

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UNICEF

<http://www.unicef.org/>

Humanitarian and Refugee

Amnesty International

<http://www.amnesty.org/index.html>

Center for Immigration Studies

<http://www.cis.org/>

InterAction

<http://interaction.org/>

Migration Information Source

<http://www.migrationinformation.org/index.cfm>

ReliefWeb

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Refugees from Sudan

[http://www.culturalorientation.net/fact\\_sudan.html](http://www.culturalorientation.net/fact_sudan.html)

UN Refugee Agency

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Visit a Refugee Camp

<http://www.refugeecamp.org/>