

Wolof of Mauritania

2025 Status Update



Challenges We Found

The Wolof follow a mystical form of Islam known as Sufism. They believe in good and bad spirits, and they consult a local spiritual leader with supernatural powers to make decisions. Although the New Testament, parts of the Old Testament, and additional audio resources are available in Wolof, we know of only one believer among the 64,000 Wolof of Mauritania. Persecution is high. Even foreigners have lost their lives.

How You Can Pray

- Pray for the Wolof to move away from their spiritually dark Sufism and be open to listening to the gospel.
- Pray that the few Bible stories that have reached the Wolof will pierce the soul and spirit (Heb 4:12).
- Ask the Spirit to protect and guide the hidden believers.



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