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A condensation and updating of his
African Muslims in Antebellum America:
A Sourcebook (1984), noted scholar of
antebellum black writing and history Dr.

Allan D. Austin explores, via portraits,
documents, maps, and texts, the lives of
50 sub-Saharan non-peasant Muslim
Africans caught in the slave trade
between 1730 and 1860. Also includes
five maps.

A Muslim American Slave Bloomsbury
Publishing USA

The involvement of African Americans
with Islam reaches back to the earliest
days of the African presence in North
America. This book explores these roots

in the Middle East, West Africa and antebellum America.

Growing Up Muslim in America

Cambridge University Press

Servants of Allah presents a history of African Muslims, following them from West Africa to the Americas. Although many assume that what Muslim faith they brought with them to the Americas was quickly absorbed into the new Christian milieu, as Sylviane A. Diouf demonstrates in this meticulously-researched, groundbreaking volume, Islam flourished during slavery on a large scale. She details how, even while enslaved, many Muslims managed to follow most of the precepts of their religion. Literate, urban, and well-traveled, they drew on their organization, solidarity and the strength

of their beliefs to play a major part in the most well-known slave uprisings. But for all their accomplishments and contributions to the history and cultures of the African Diaspora, the Muslims have been largely ignored. *Servants of Allah*—a Choice 1999 Outstanding Academic Title—illuminates the role of Islam in the lives of both individual practitioners and communities, and shows that though the religion did not survive in the Americas in its orthodox form, its mark can be found in certain religions, traditions, and artistic creations of people of African descent. This 15th anniversary edition has been updated to include new materials and analysis, a review of developments in the field, prospects for new research, and new illustrations.

African Muslims Enslaved in the
Americas, 15th Anniversary Edition

Fordham Univ Press

Why does a country with religious liberty enmeshed in its legal and social structures produce such overt prejudice and discrimination against Muslims? Sahar Aziz's groundbreaking book demonstrates how race and religion intersect to create what she calls the Racial Muslim. Comparing discrimination against immigrant Muslims with the prejudicial treatment of Jews, Catholics, Mormons, and African American Muslims during the twentieth century, Aziz explores the gap between America's aspiration for and fulfillment of religious freedom. With America's demographics rapidly changing from a majority white Protestant nation to a multiracial,

multireligious society, this book is an indispensable read for understanding how our past continues to shape our present—to the detriment of our nation's future.

**African Muslims Enslaved in the
Americas** Vintage

From the time of Moses up to the 1960s, slavery was a fact of life in the Middle East. But if the Middle East was the last region to renounce slavery, how do we account for its -- and especially Islam's -- image of racial harmony? This book explores these questions. The research presented in this book was first undertaken as part of a group project on tolerance and intolerance in human societies. The group project was never completed but the material gathered for the project on Islam stimulated the

book's study of race and slavery in the Middle East, a subject that appears to have so far encouraged scant study. -- Publisher description.

[A History of Islam in America](#) Oxford University Press

A remarkable research accomplishment. Ali leads us through three strands of early Islamic jurisprudence with careful attention to the nuances and details of the arguments.

[The Other Black Diaspora](#) Taylor & Francis

Gale Researcher Guide for: Early American Islamic Writings and the Origins of an American Tradition is selected from Gale's academic platform Gale Researcher. These study guides provide peer-reviewed articles that allow students early success in finding

scholarly materials and to gain the confidence and vocabulary needed to pursue deeper research.

[A Short History](#) Univ of California Press

This is a study that digs deeply into this 'other' slavery, the bondage of Europeans by North-African Muslims that flourished during the same centuries as the heyday of the trans-Atlantic trade from sub-Saharan Africa to the Americas. Here are explored the actual extent of Barbary Coast slavery, the dynamic relationship between master and slave, and the effects of this slaving on Italy, one of the slave takers' primary targets and victims.

[The African \(Arab\) American Muslim Slave Narrative](#) Pen and Sword History
Traces the history of Muslims in the US and their waves of immigration and

conversion across five centuries.

Identities in Transition Harvard
University Press

Interviews with young American Muslims
highlight an overview of one of
America's most misunderstood religious
groups, showing how Muslims maintain
their traditions in the face of the
permissiveness of American society.
Reprint.

Jews and the American Slave Trade

Indiana University Press

Winner of the Casa de las Américas Prize
for Brazilian Literature, *The Story of
Rufino* reconstructs the lively biography
of Rufino José Maria, set against the
historical context of Brazil and Africa in
the nineteenth century. The book tells
the story of Rufino or Abuncare, a
Yoruba Muslim from the kingdom of Oyo,

in present-day Nigeria. Enslaved as an
adolescent by a rival ethnic group, he
was captured by Brazilian slave traders
and taken to Brazil as a slave sometime
in the early 1820s. In 1835, after being
enslaved in Salvador and Rio Grande do
Sul, Rufino bought his freedom with
money he made as a hired-out slave and
perhaps from making Islamic amulets.
He found work in Rio de Janeiro as a
cook on a slave ship bound for Luanda in
Angola, despite the trans-Atlantic slave
trade having been illegal in Brazil since
1831. Rufino himself became a petty
slave trader. He made a few voyages
before his ship was captured by the
British and taken to Sierra Leone in 1841
for trial by the Anglo-Brazilian Mixed
Commission to determine if it was
equipped for the slave trade, since there

were no slaves on board. During the three months awaiting the court's decision, Rufino lived among Yoruba Muslims, his people, and attended Quranic and Arabic classes. He later returned to Sierra Leone as a witness in a court case and attended classes with Muslim masters for almost two years. Once back in Brazil, he established himself as a diviner -- serving whites and blacks, free and slaves, Brazilians and Africans, Muslim and non-Muslims -- as well as a spiritual leader, an Alufa, in the local Afro-Muslim community. In 1853 Rufino was arrested due to rumors of an imminent African slave revolt. The police used as evidence for his arrest the large number of Arabic manuscripts in his possession, the same kind of material the police had found with Muslim rebels

in Bahia thirty years earlier. During his interrogation, Rufino told his life story, which is used to reconstruct the world in which he lived under slavery and in freedom on African shores, aboard slave ships, and in Brazil. An extraordinary Atlantic history carefully pieced together from the archives, *The Story of Rufino* illuminates the complexities of slavery and freedom in Africa and Brazil and the resilience of ethnic and religious identities.

Five Classic Muslim Slave Narratives
Routledge

In this volume 30 of the field's top scholars examine historical and contemporary aspects of American Islam, and explore the meaning of religious identity in the context of race, ethnicity, gender, and politics.

Prince Among Slaves Elijah
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**African Muslims in Antebellum
America** Univ of Wisconsin Press
The Nation of Islam's Secret Relationship
between Blacks and Jews has been
called one of the most serious anti-
Semetic manuscripts published in years.
As Saul Friedman definitively documents
in *Jews and the American Slave Trade*,
historical evidence suggests that Jews
played a minimal role in the
transatlantic, South American,
Caribbean, and antebellum slave trades.

Friedman elucidates the role of American
Jews toward the great nineteenth-
century moral debate, the positions they
took, and explains what shattered the
alliance between these two vulnerable
minority groups in America. Saul S.
Friedman is a professor of Jewish and
Middle Eastern history at Youngstown
State. He has written five award-winning
documentaries and many articles and
books on Jewish history, including:
Holocaust Literature, *The
Oberammergau Passion Play*, *Terein
Diary of Gonda Redlich*, and *Without
Future: The Plight of Syrian Jewry*.
*White Slavery in the Mediterranean, The
Barbary Coast, and Italy, 1500-1800*
Lulu.com
A comprehensive study of the Eastern
slave trade by an eminent British scholar

A companion volume to *The Black Diaspora*, this groundbreaking work tells the fascinating and horrifying story of the Islamic slave trade. *Islam's Black Slaves* documents a centuries-old institution that still survives, and traces the business of slavery and its repercussions from Islam's inception in the seventh century, through its history in China, India, Iran, Turkey, Egypt, Libya, and Spain, and on to Sudan and Mauritania, where, even today, slaves continue to be sold. Ronald Segal reveals for the first time the numbers involved in this trade--as many millions as were transported to the Americas--and explores the differences between the traffic in the East and the West. *Islam's Black Slaves* also examines the continued denial of the very existence of

this sector of the black diaspora, although it survives today in significant numbers; and in an illuminating conclusion, Segal addresses the appeal of Islam to African-American communities, and the perplexing refusal of Black Muslim leaders to acknowledge black slavery and oppression in present-day Mauritania and Sudan. A fitting companion to Segal's previous work, *Islam's Black Slaves* is a fascinating account of an often unacknowledged tradition, and a riveting cross-cultural commentary.

[Thomas Jefferson's Qur'an](#)

[ReadHowYouWant.com](#)

Starting in pre-Islamic Arabia and deepest Africa, following the lives, adventures and writings of three Muslim slaves through antebellum America and

the world of trans-Atlantic slavery, Liberty's Jihad takes us on a fascinating journey spanning centuries, continents and characters. Along the way Munawar Karim invites us to explore the writings of African Muslim slaves, reflect on some of their sacred traditions and reveals intriguing connections and surprises still hidden in America's past and present. Crucially, Liberty's Jihad also examines the position of Muslims and other minorities in America following the events of 9/11 and its aftermath and, more recently, the impact of Donald Trump's presidency. History buffs and those new to the subject alike are given a fresh perspective and new tools to help understand modern-day America and the world we live in today. By weaving together narrative, scripture and

historical criticism with first-hand accounts left by African Muslim slaves, Liberty's Jihad calls us to re-examine how we think about the world and about ourselves.

Muslim Slave Narratives Simon and Schuster

In this original and illuminating book, Denise A. Spellberg reveals a little-known but crucial dimension of the story of American religious freedom—a drama in which Islam played a surprising role. In 1765, eleven years before composing the Declaration of Independence, Thomas Jefferson bought a Qur'an. This marked only the beginning of his lifelong interest in Islam, and he would go on to acquire numerous books on Middle Eastern languages, history, and travel, taking extensive notes on Islam as it

relates to English common law. Jefferson sought to understand Islam notwithstanding his personal disdain for the faith, a sentiment prevalent among his Protestant contemporaries in England and America. But unlike most of them, by 1776 Jefferson could imagine Muslims as future citizens of his new country. Based on groundbreaking research, Spellberg compellingly recounts how a handful of the Founders, Jefferson foremost among them, drew upon Enlightenment ideas about the toleration of Muslims (then deemed the ultimate outsiders in Western society) to fashion out of what had been a purely speculative debate a practical foundation for governance in America. In this way, Muslims, who were not even known to exist in the colonies, became

the imaginary outer limit for an unprecedented, uniquely American religious pluralism that would also encompass the actual despised minorities of Jews and Catholics. The rancorous public dispute concerning the inclusion of Muslims, for which principle Jefferson's political foes would vilify him to the end of his life, thus became decisive in the Founders' ultimate judgment not to establish a Protestant nation, as they might well have done. As popular suspicions about Islam persist and the numbers of American Muslim citizenry grow into the millions, Spellberg's revelatory understanding of this radical notion of the Founders is more urgent than ever. Thomas Jefferson's Qur'an is a timely look at the ideals that existed at our country's

creation, and their fundamental implications for our present and future.

The Life of Omar Ibn Said Oxford University Press

The presentation of Africa, Islam and slavery in the American slave Narratives of Muslim slaves in the Americas is a topic that is often overlooked in discussing the genre of slave narratives and the birth of African American Literature. In fact the first biography was that of a former Maryland slave, Job Ben Solomon, published in 1730 in Britain. By reexamining these often overlooked narratives we can get insight into African Islam, the turmoil of integration into a foreign culture, life in Africa, and life as a slave in the Americas. The primary sources include: the narrative of Job ben Solomon, the two autobiographical

pieces of Muhammad Said of Bornu, the Arabic autobiography of 'Umar ibn Said, the Jamaican narrative of Abu Bakr Said, a discussion of coverage on Bilali Muhammad's excerpts from the Risalah of Abi Zaid, Theodore Dwight's articles on the teaching methods of the Serachule teacher slave Lamén Kebe, and a letter describing Salih Bilali.

The Muslim Uprising of 1835 in Bahia CreateSpace

Born to a wealthy family in West Africa around 1770, Omar Ibn Said was abducted and sold into slavery in the United States, where he came to the attention of a prominent North Carolina family after filling “the walls of his room with piteous petitions to be released, all written in the Arabic language,” as one local newspaper reported. Ibn Said soon

became a local celebrity, and in 1831 he was asked to write his life story, producing the only known surviving American slave narrative written in Arabic. In *A Muslim American Slave*, scholar and translator Ala Alryyes offers both a definitive translation and an authoritative edition of this singularly important work, lending new insights into the early history of Islam in America and exploring the multiple, shifting interpretations of Ibn Said's narrative by the nineteenth-century missionaries, ethnographers, and intellectuals who championed it. This edition presents the English translation on pages facing facsimile pages of Ibn Said's Arabic narrative, augmented by Alryyes's comprehensive introduction, contextual essays and historical commentary by

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Forbes. The result is an invaluable addition to our understanding of writings by enslaved Americans and a timely reminder that “Islam” and “America” are not mutually exclusive terms. Best Books for General Audiences, selected by the American Association of School Librarians

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