

## Early Christian Leaders of Africa

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Apostle Mark	AD 48	Libya	Alexandria	Came to spread the Gospel to his home country	He was martyred in 68 AD when pagans of Serapis tied him to a horse's tail and dragged him through the streets of Alexandria's district of Bokalia for two days until his body was torn to pieces.
Edesuis and Frumendias	300	Rome	Ethiopia	Shipwrecked and taken as slaves	Founded the Ethiopian Christian Church.
Tertullian	Early 200s	Rome	Carthage	Sent to minister to the church in Carthage	Martyred for the faith
Cyprian	Early 200s	Rome	Carthage	Sent to minister to the church in Carthage	Martyred for the faith
Clement of Alexandria	Early 200s	Rome	Alexandria	Sent to minister to the church in Alexandria	Wrote the earliest Christian hymn known - Shepherd of the Tender Youth Theologian that brought in various Greek philosophies to the church
Origen	Early 200s	Rome	Alexandria	Sent to minister to the church in Alexandria	Theologian that brought in various Greek philosophies to the church
Athanasius	Early 300s	North Africa	Alexandria	Resided in Africa	Spokesman on the deity of Christ and the doctrine of Trinity at the Council of Nicaea
Augustine	Later 300s and early 400s	Algeria	Hippo (near Carthage)	Sent to minister to the church of Hippo	He promoted the idea that man was saved by faith alone.