



# *'Mary & Elizabeth'*

**PRESIDENT'S PROJECT**

**2011-2013**

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Christ and to make Him known



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**Open Doors is an international ministry** serving persecuted Christians and churches worldwide. We supply Bibles, leadership training, Scripture-based literacy programmes, livelihood support and advocacy services. We also seek to mobilise the church in the UK and Ireland to serve Christians living under religious persecution.

The 'Mary and Elizabeth' movement is a network of about 2,000 women from across Egypt, united in their desire to serve the women of their nation. Organised through local churches in cities, towns and villages, the network is a mixture of professionals, mothers and housewives, all of whom are involved in women's ministries, neighbourhood prayer meetings and social services programmes in their communities.

The President's Project 2011–2013 will help fund a nationwide conference for the Mary and Elizabeth network, and support their ministry to women in cities and villages across Egypt through

training workshops, social service projects and women's empowerment programmes. Approximately 450 women will attend the conference.

The total cost of supporting the conference and the various ministries of the 'Mary and Elizabeth' network over a two-year period is £10,000.

The 2011 conference had a special flavour because it was one of the first Christian public meetings to be held in Egypt since the country's revolution. The presence of God was very powerful as the women interceded for their nation, and discussed the role of women in

the new Egypt and how they can influence their nation both politically and spiritually.

**Thank you for supporting this project!**

Your gift will make a lasting difference to many women throughout Egypt.

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