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The brother or sister who does not respect the traditions of the elders will not be allowed to eat with the elders.

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- **22% of the World land area (11,699,000 sq mi)**
- **53 independent countries**
- **Vast deserts, tropical rain forests, mountains and wildlife preserves**
- **15 least developed nations**
- **70% of population survives on less than \$2000 a year**
- **748 Million people**
- **1000 languages spoken (About 10 spoken by 1 Million+ people)**



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FUN FACT

**An elephant can turn pages
with its trunk**

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- Birthrate per 1000: 41
- Percentage of people under 15 years old: 45 %
- Largest Country: Sudan
- Largest City: Cairo, 9.2 Million



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Highest point: Mount Kilimanjaro

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Africa has 4/5 of fastest land animals: cheetah 70 mph, wildebeest, lion, Thomson's gazelles (all 50 mph)

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Largest Lake: Lake Victoria
(World's 2nd Largest freshwater lake)

World's Longest River: The Nile
(4145 miles long)



World's Largest Desert: The Sahara
(Greater area than Continental US)

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MALARIA

- **90% of cases in Sub-Saharan Africa**
- **3000 Children under 5 die each day**

AIDS

- **17 million in Sub-Saharan have died**
- **25 million are HIV-positive**
- **12 million children have lost parents to AIDS**



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FUN FACTS

**Gorilla largest of primates
(Approx. 450 lb.)**

Giraffe are 6' tall when born

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Tears of an orphan run inside.

Words are like bullets; if they escape, you can't catch them again