

WHERE ARE CHRISTIANS DOING THE IMPOSSIBLE?



**THE AFRICAN CHURCH IS ASKING
YOU TO STAND WITH THEM AGAINST
VIOLENT PERSECUTION.**



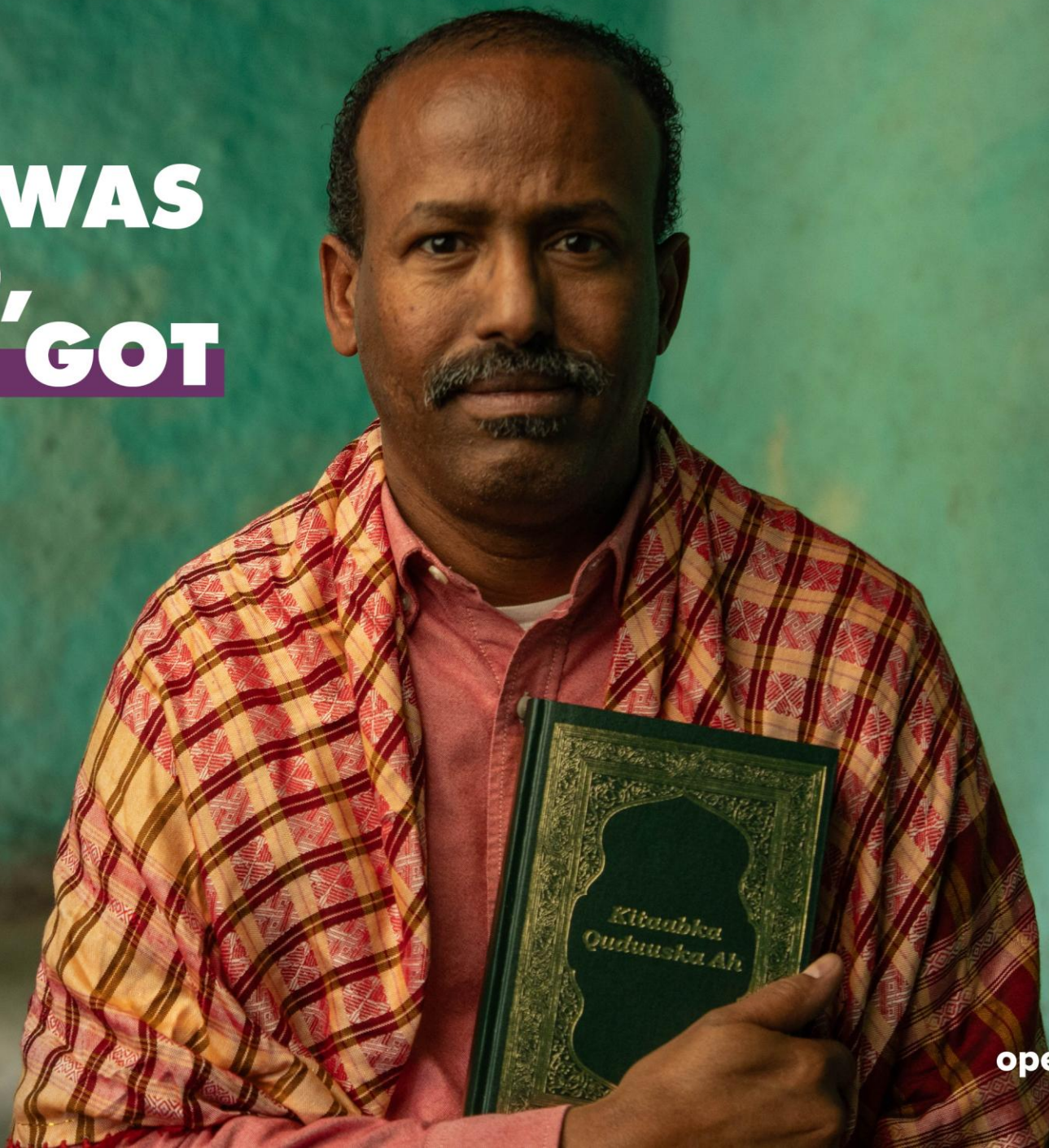
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**"THE MORE I WAS
THREATENED,
THE CLOSER I GOT
TO JESUS."**

Aweis, Somali believer





Nehemiah 6:2

Sanballat and Geshem sent me this message: “Come, let us meet together in one of the villages on the plain of Ono.” But they were scheming to harm me.

Nehemiah 6:3

“I am doing a great work and I cannot go down”

- **David** - Psalm 27:4 “This one thing I ask of the Lord, this only do I seek that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life”
- **Mary & Martha** - Luke 10:41 “You are worried and upset about many things”
- **Paul** - Phil 3:13 “This one thing I do, forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.”

Nehemiah 6:6

Sanballat's letter to Nehemiah:

'Gesham says you and the Jews are planning a rebellion'

I PRAYED,
“NOW STRENGTHEN
MY HANDS.”

NEHEMIAH 6:9



Nehemiah 6:10

“Let us meet in the house of God, inside the temple, and let us close the temple doors, because men are coming to kill you—by night they are coming to kill you.”

4 Tools To Help Stay focused

1. Set clear boundaries
2. Cultivate courage through prayer
3. Surround yourself with spiritual truth
4. Keep focused on God and the mission he has given you

