

Folktales From Sudan

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African Tales Harold Scheub 2005-04-29 The latest work from Harold Scheub, one of the world's leading scholars of African folktales, is the broadest collection yet assembled with tales from the entire continent of Africa, north to south. It brings together mythic, fantastic, and coming-of-age tales, some transcribed more than a hundred years ago, others dating to modern-day Africa. Scheub includes the work of storytellers from major African language groups, as well as many storytellers whose work is not often heard outside of Africa. This anthology offers a classroom-ready collection that should appeal to any scholar of African literature and culture. Realizing that these tales are part of a dying art, Scheub writes for the inner ear in everyone, bringing an oral tradition to life in written form.

Dinka Folktales Francis Mading Deng 1974

Ada's Bedtime Stories Marcelina Morgan 2022-01-16 Ada's Bedtime stories is a collection of folktales from the southmost part of South Sudan. It forms part of the story collections in "Folktales from South Sudan" by Morgan, a collection of Classic stories told by the evening fire in the dry season to entertain and educate the youngsters. The reader may be familiar with some of the folktales or, by reading these stories they may start thinking of similar tales from their part of the world. As it all happened by the compound campfire, it is befitting to transport this collection of stories to children of today, sitting by the fire in the warmth of their front rooms. The book can be read widely as part of private leisure, a class reader or read aloud to children as it used to be narrated by the fireside.

Directions in Sudanese Linguistics and Folklore Sayed Hamid A. Hurreiz 1975

Folklore and Development in the Sudan Ahmad 'Abd al-Rahim Naṣr 1985

Folk Traditions of the Arab World Hasan M. El-Shamy 1995

Traditional Animal Stories of South Sudan Repent Ritti Jada 2020-02-27 In 2011, South Sudan became the world's newest nation. Tragically, it is now suffering from civil war and famine. These traditional animal stories, published for the first time, have been passed down from parents to children for generations. The hope is that the lessons these fun-to-read stories each will be used in South Sudan's schools to help prepare its children to achieve their country's promise. But more than that, these stories can teach valuable lessons to children everywhere as they begin to assume their responsibility to build a better world.

The Greenwood Encyclopedia of Folktales and Fairy Tales [3 Volumes] Donald Haase 2007-12-30 Folk and fairy tales exist in all cultures and are at the heart of civilization. This massive Encyclopedia gives students and general readers a broad, multicultural survey of folk and fairy tales from around the world. Included are hundreds of alphabetically arranged entries written by numerous expert contributors. Entries cover themes and motifs, individuals, characters and character types, national traditions, genres, and a range of other topics. Each entry cites works for further reading, and the Encyclopedia closes with a bibliography of print and

electronic resources. Literature students will welcome this book as an aid to understanding and analyzing folk and fairy tales as literary forms, while social studies students will appreciate it as an exploration of the essence of world cultures. Folk and fairy tales exist in all cultures and are at the heart of civilization. The most comprehensive work of its kind, this massive Encyclopedia gives students and general readers a broad, accessible, multicultural survey of folk and fairy tales from around the world. Edited by one of the foremost authorities on the subject, the Encyclopedia draws on the work of numerous expert contributors and covers a broad range of themes and motifs, characters and character types, genres, individuals, national traditions, and other topics. Entry topics were chosen in consultation with a nine-member Advisory Board that includes some of the most prominent scholars currently pursuing the study of folk and fairy tales, such as Professor Jack Zipes of the University of Minnesota, whose work has revolutionized research on fairy tales. Entries cite works for further reading, and the Encyclopedia closes with a bibliography of print and electronic resources. Literature students will value this book as an aid to understanding and analyzing folk and fairy tales as literary forms, while social studies students will appreciate the book's examination of the foundations of world cultures. And because many of these tales continue to influence films, television, and popular culture, general readers will welcome the Encyclopedia as a means of understanding the modern world.

Folktales from South Sudan David Aoloch Bion 2022-03-16

This is a rare treat, a collection of folktales and fables from South Sudan - the newest country in the world. These stories will be most familiar amongst the Dinka, one of the country's many ethnicities, but they are also known in other parts of the country. While South Sudan's many groups vary in language and culture, they share a history of orality: the oral tradition of sharing stories verbally and retelling them through many generations. But times are changing rapidly and there is a risk that these stories will be lost unless they are written down and David Aoloch Bion has done just that. The stories he presents here speak of universal themes: marriage, lying and gluttony, bravery, cheating and deception. Clever and entertaining, with animal characters that often morph into humans and back again, Folktales from South Sudan will be a delightful read, for those who are familiar with these stories and those who are not.

Ja'aliyyin Folktales Sayed Hamid A. Hurreiz 1977

Sudanese Intellectuals in the Global Milieu Gada Kadoda 2022-03-28 This book propels Sudanese intellectuals into the global intellectual milieu and argues for their place in world intellectual history. The book explores the history and evolution of Sudanese thought, knowledge production, and cultural capital from the fifth century to the twenty-first century.

The Clever Sheikh of the Butanand Other Stories Ali Lutfi 1999 Includes tales from Iceland, Sudan, Palestine, Lebanon, Tibet, amongst others. This series contains volumes which include 20 to 30 tales,

accompanied by an introduction and a historical overview which give readers insights into the culture, the folk literature, and the lives of the people in the region. *Culture and Customs of Sudan* Kwame Essien 2008-11-30 Amid a Sudan's dark history, saturated with conflicts and tragic current events, lies a culture with deep roots, going back as far as 8000 BC. With several hundred ethnic groups and languages, Sudan is one of the world's most diverse countries. Learn how these cultures have blended and collided throughout the centuries, and examine how traditions and customs are kept alive today. Religious beliefs, social customs, arts, literature, and cuisine are among the topics discussed in this volume, which is ideal for high school and undergraduate students. Chapters include coverage on historical background, religions and worldviews, literature and media, art and architecture, cuisine and traditional dress, gender roles, marriage, and family, social customs, and music and dance. A timeline of key events and bibliographical essay including print and nonprint sources supplement the work.

Myths & Folktales Jacob Jiel Akol 2022-02-27

Lost Boy, Lost Girl John Bul Dau 2010-10-12 One of thousands of children who fled strife in southern Sudan, John Bul Dau survived hunger, exhaustion, and violence. His wife, Martha, endured similar hardships. In this memorable book, the two convey the best of African values while relating searing accounts of famine and war. There's warmth as well, in their humorous tales of adapting to American life. For its importance as a primary source, for its inclusion of the rarely told female perspective of Sudan's lost children, for its celebration of human resilience, this is the perfect story to inform and inspire young readers.

Tatterhood Ethel Johnston Phelps 2016-07-28 Newly illustrated, these classic tales remind us that girls everywhere have been the heroes of their own stories for centuries.

Stories from Sudan Panther Bior 2019-01-08 *Stories from Sudan* By: Panther Bior and Jenet Kenyi

War of Visions Francis M. Deng 2011-10-01 The civil war that has intermittently raged in the Sudan since independence in 1956 is, according to Francis Deng, a conflict of contrasting and seemingly incompatible identities in the Northern and Southern parts of the country. Identity is seen as a function of how people identify themselves and are identified in racial, ethnic, cultural, linguistic, and religious terms. The identity question related to how such concepts determine or influence participation and distribution in the political, economic, social, and cultural life of the country. *War of Visions* aims at shedding light on the anomalies of the identity conflict. The competing models in the Sudan are the Arab-Islamic mold of the North, representing two-thirds of the country in territory and population, and the remaining Southern third, which is indigenously African in race, ethnicity, culture, and religion, with an educated Christianized elite. But although the North is popularly defined as racially Arab, the people are a hybrid of Arab and African elements, with the African physical characteristics predominating in most tribal groups. This configuration is the result of a historical process that stratified races, cultures, and religions, and fostered a "passing" into the Arab-Islamic mold that discriminated against the African race and cultures. The outcome of this process is a polarization that is based more on myth than on the realities of the situation. The identity crisis has been further complicated by the fact that Northerners want to fashion the country on the basis of their Arab-Islamic identity, while the South is decidedly resistant. Francis Deng presents three alternative approaches to the identity crisis. First, he argues that by bringing to the surface the realities of the African elements of identity in the North-- thereby

revealing characteristics shared by all Sudanese--a new basis for the creation of a common identity could be established that fosters equitable participation and distribution. Second, if the issues that divide prove insurmountable, Deng argues for a framework of diversified coexistence within a loose federal or confederate arrangement. Third, he concludes that partitioning the country along justified borders may be the only remaining option to end the devastating conflict.

Popular Culture in Africa Stephanie Newell 2013-11-12 This volume marks the 25th anniversary of Karin Barber's ground-breaking article, "Popular Arts in Africa", which stimulated new debates about African popular culture and its defining categories. Focusing on performances, audiences, social contexts and texts, contributors ask how African popular cultures contribute to the formation of an episteme. With chapters on theater, Nollywood films, blogging, and music and sports discourses, as well as on popular art forms, urban and youth cultures, and gender and sexuality, the book highlights the dynamism and complexity of contemporary popular cultures in sub-Saharan Africa. Focusing on the streets of Africa, especially city streets where different cultures and cultural personalities meet, the book asks how the category of "the people" is identified and interpreted by African culture-producers, politicians, religious leaders, and by "the people" themselves. The book offers a nuanced, strongly historicized perspective in which African popular cultures are regarded as vehicles through which we can document ordinary people's vitality and responsiveness to political and social transformations.

Baggara of Sudan Biraima M. Adam 2017-10-02 Humor, wit, myth, satire, sarcasm and tales, people culture, ethnography, anthropology, sociology.

Tatterhood Ethel Johnston Phelps 2016-06-20 The first volume in this beautifully illustrated anthology features traditional tales of heroic women from Japan to Scotland and beyond. Long before Suzanne Collins created Katniss Everdeen and Octavia Butler wrote *Parable of the Sower*, there were many traditional folktales full of adventure, intrigue, and intrepid female characters. *Feminist Folktales from Around the World* collects these forgotten classics and presents them with original artwork by designer and illustrator Suki Boynton. Volume one in the series, *Tatterhood* features an introduction by Gayle Forman, the New York Times bestselling author of *If I Stay*. These twelve tales from Japan, Norway, Scotland, Sudan, and more, celebrate the cunning, hard work, and physical strength of their heroines. In these pages, a family of three women teaches a burly man how to wrestle, a girl battles a fearsome bear, and a young mother rescues her village from an elephant's stomach.

The Girl Who Became a Goddess Theresa Fuller 2019-05-21 *The Girl Who Became a Goddess* is a tribute to the childhood stories of Theresa Fuller who has experienced multiple cultures and learned to love them all. These are tales passed on from generation to generation, some to delight, some to terrify, all to enlighten. A foolish animal discovers that the Rainforest is a dangerous place. A young boy is willing to sacrifice everything for his family. A woman must decide between the man she loves and the human race. As a girl, a mother, and a teacher, Theresa retells her favorite folktales through the lens of her own life experiences in Singapore, Malaysia and Australia, putting a unique spin on ageless classics. *The Girl Who Became a Goddess* is a love letter to a young girl from the adult she has become.

The Darfur Sultanate Rex S. O'Fahey 2008 In 2003, Khartoum deployed the Janjaweed militia to violently suppress a separatist rebellion, thus launching Darfur into the international spotlight. Since then, over 200,000 people have been murdered and scores more have become refugees. In order to understand the extent of

this humanitarian crisis, which has developed into one of the most important international causes of our day, the complicated history of this region must be understood. Having conducted forty years of research in Sudan, R.S. O'Fahey has written the definitive account of the Darfur Sultanate, which stretches from 1650 to 1916. O'Fahey is uniquely qualified to write this book. In addition to being a scholarly expert on the region, O'Fahey has worked with the United Nations Mission to Sudan (UNMIS) and the African Union during the peace talks in Abuja, which were initiated to resolve Darfur's current crisis. While O'Fahey discusses the impact of outside forces on the sultanate, he focuses primarily on Darfur's ruling elites, including its sultans, royal women, holy men, traders, and other individuals in positions of power. His intention is to write a record of the history and cultures of the Sultanate in all their variety, complexity, and richness.

MYTHS and Folktales African Stories from the Jieng South Sudan

Jacob Akol Jiel 2022-05-20 THESE MYTHS and folktales are a collection from my own pool of stories, told when I was a child in the village and locked up somewhere in the recesses of my memory. Although much has decayed with time or been wiped out by other peoples' stories fighting for front-page in my brain, I am sure there is a lot more in there that I cannot recall at the moment but which will come to the fore in due time. All I need is a catalyst, such as returning to the village, even if briefly. The village environment and atmosphere in which these stories are told impress them very firmly on the memory of the listener. Just imagine yourself as a child member of a family sitting around a wood fire on a dark night in the centre of your household compound, or lying in bed in a mud and thatched hut. All around you is darkness. Maybe it is raining, and there is lightning and thunder.

Fairy Tales for Fearless Girls Anita Ganeri 2019-07-16

This beautiful illustrated treasury presents an inspiring collection of 15 stories from around the world, retold by multi award-winning author Anita Ganeri. Showcasing narratives that celebrate strong, independent women, these fairy tales contain heroines that aren't reduced to being wives or witches! Instead they run free and possess the qualities we would hope for in our daughters and friends: self-confidence, strength, wits, courage, fearlessness, and independence. They live freely, happily ever after, without restraint or narrowly defined roles. These stories include: • Atalanta the Huntress (Greece) • Nana Miriam (Niger) • Fitcher's Bird (Germany) • The Girl and the Puma (Argentina) • Li Chi Slays the Serpent (China) • Brave Woman Counts Coup (US/White River Sioux) • Mizilca (Romania) • The Pirate Princess (Poland/Jewish) • The Samurai Maiden (Japan) • Molly Whuppie (England) Bold and imaginative, these tales will capture the hearts and minds of young readers everywhere. Perfect for kids age 8+.

The Lion and the Hare 2009-01-01 A retelling of a traditional East African tale in which a clever hare finds a way to outwit the lion that is terrifying all the other grassland animals.

Folktales of Egypt Hasan M. El-Shamy 2010-03-15 In this book Hasan M. El-Shamy has gathered the first authentic new collection of modern Egyptian folk narratives to appear in nearly a century. El-Shamy's English translations of these orally presented stories not only preserve their spirit, but give Middle Eastern lore the scholarly attention it has long deserved. "This collection of seventy recently collected Egyptian tales is a major contribution to African studies and to international distribution studies of folktales. In the face of the recent anthropological trend to use folkloric materials for extra-folkloric purposes, the preeminence of the text must be asserted once more, and these are obviously authentic, straightforwardly

translated, fully documented as to date of collection and social category of informant, and for all that . . . readable."—Daniel J. Crowley, *Research in African Literatures* "Western knowledge of virtually all facets of contemporary Egyptian culture, much less the roots of that culture, is woefully inadequate. By providing an interesting, varied, and readable collection of Egyptian folktales and offering clear and sensible accounts of their background and meaning, this book renders a valuable service indeed."—Kenneth J. Perkins, *International Journal of Oral History*

African Folklore Philip M. Peek 2004-03-01 First published in 2004. Routledge is an imprint of Taylor & Francis, an informa company.

African Genesis Leo Frobenius 1999-01-01 Presents a collection of African folk tales and myths.

The Girl Sudan Painted Like a Gold Ring Theresa Fuller 2022 If you like your fables with a dash of bloodshed, then *The Girl Sudan Painted Like a Gold Ring* is the anthology you have been waiting for. Author Theresa Fuller has collected a fascinating group of tales based on the oral storytelling history of the Sea Dyaks of Borneo. The twist? The Dyaks were headhunters! A TINY MOUSE DEER BATTLES A SPIRIT GIANT A GIRL MUST SAVE HER VILLAGE FROM AN ARMY OF HEAD-HUNTERS HOW A HEDGEHOG HELPS A BULLIED BOY BECOME A GOD In this book you will find stories designed to entertain and teach, all from the point of view of a culture based in honor, courtesy, and war.

A Rope from the Sky Zach Vertin 2019-01-01 The untold story of America's attempt to forge a nation from scratch, from euphoric birth to heart-wrenching collapse. South Sudan's independence was celebrated around the world—a triumph for global justice and an end to one of the world's most devastating wars. But the party would not last long: South Sudan's freedom fighters soon plunged their new nation into chaos, shattering the promise of liberation and exposing the hubris of their foreign backers. Chronicling extraordinary stories of hope, identity, and survival, *A Rope from the Sky* journeys inside an epic tale of paradise won and then lost. This character-driven narrative is first a story of power, promise, greed, compassion, violence, and redemption from the world's most neglected patch of territory. But it is also a story about the best and worst of America—both its big-hearted ideals and its difficult reckoning with the limits of American power amid a changing global landscape. Zach's Vertin's firsthand accounts, from deadly war zones to the halls of Washington power, brings readers inside this remarkable episode—an unprecedented experiment in state-building and a cautionary tale. It is brilliant and breathtaking, a moder-day Greek tragedy that will challenge our perspectives on global politics.

Folktales from South Sudan Marcelina Morgan 2016-07-13 This important collection of folktales, some of which you may be familiar with, is sure to rekindle in you the love of reading and hopefully set you on to start thinking of similar folktales from your own area. Whether you read this collection of folktales alone as part of a private leisure pursuit, or as part of a class reader, or aloud to your children, as it used to be narrated in many a village by the fireside, you will find in this collection, pages of sheer reading pleasure which will shrill and enlighten you. The pages of this book are full of the typical folktale characters of the cunning Rabbit or Hare, admirably handled, full of interest, playing havoc with everyone, and often becoming a victim of his own ploy. There is also the majestic Lion, King of the jungle, prancing lazily all over the pages, often outsmarted by lesser animals. Then there is the Tortoise, whose slow crawl and foul stinking fart betray this treasure house of wisdom whose sole life mission seems to be the unravelling of the

jealousies and intrigues abound in the animal planet. In writing this book, Dr Marcellina Morgan not only draws our attention to the central function of folklore in traditional education, but makes an important contribution to the genre of oral literature. Dr Morgan's narrative of action is masterly with the animal characters assuming a breathtaking life of their own, while the meticulous recreation of the stories should inspire, fascinate and grip the reader.

Storytelling around the World: Folktales, Narrative Rituals, and Oral Traditions Jelena Čvorović 2022-03-31

This book serves as an indispensable resource for students and scholars interested in storytelling and in multicultural approaches to the arts. By taking an evolutionary approach, this book begins with a discussion of origin stories and continues through history to stories of the 21st century. The text not only engages the stories themselves, it also explains how individuals from all disciplines, from doctors and lawyers to priests and journalists, use stories to focus their readers' and listeners' attention and influence them. This text addresses stories and storytelling across both time (thousands of years) and geography, including in-depth descriptions of storytelling practices occurring in more than 40 different cultures around the world. Part I consists of thematic essays, exploring such topics as the history of storytelling, common elements across cultures, different media, lessons stories teach us, and storytelling today. Part II looks at more than 40 different cultures, with entries following the same outline: Overview, Storytellers: Who Tell the Stories, and When, Creation Mythologies, Teaching Tales and Values, and Cultural Preservation. Several tales/tale excerpts accompany each entry.

African Legends, Myths, and Folktales for Readers

Theatre Anthony D. Fredericks 2008 Author Tony Fredericks and illustrator, Bongamon, present readers theatre scripts based on traditional African folklore. Includes background information for teachers on each African country, as well as instruction and presentation suggestions, and additio

The Lost Boys of Natinga Judy Walgren 1998 A photojournalist vividly describes daily life at Natinga, a refugee camp and school established in 1993 in southern Sudan for boys forced from their homes by that country's Civil War.

Camel Fables from the Sailors of the Sudan Thurlow R. Weed 2004-12

Thirteen Months of Sunrise Rania Mamoun 2019-05-09 A

young woman sits by her father's deathbed, lamenting her failure to keep a promise to him... A struggling writer walks every inch of the city in search of inspiration, only to find it is much closer than she imagined... A girl collapses from hunger at the side of the road and is rescued by the most unlikely of saviours... In this powerful, debut collection, Rania Mamoun expertly blends the real and imagined to create a rich, complex and moving portrait of contemporary Sudan. From painful encounters with loved ones to unexpected new friendships, Mamoun illuminates the breadth of human experience and explores, with humour and compassion, the alienation, isolation and estrangement that is urban life. Translated from the Arabic by Elisabeth Jaquette. It is a phenomenal, exacting collection. It's intense and intimate, and always bordering, with absolute control, on the subversive and erotic. It's also very funny - Rania Mamoun is an extraordinary talent.' - Preti Taneja, author of *We That Are Young* 'A stunning collection, remarkable for its sweet clarity of voice and startling depictions of the marginalised and the destitute. With mastery, Rania Mamoun reaches straight into the heartbeat of her subject matter, laying bare humanity in all its tenderness and tenacity.' - 'A stunning collection, remarkable for its sweet clarity of voice and startling depictions of the marginalised and the destitute. With mastery, Rania Mamoun reaches straight into the heartbeat of her subject matter, laying bare humanity in all its tenderness and tenacity.' - Leila Aboulela, author of *Elsewhere Home* Folk Stories from the Northern Sudan 'Abd Allāh Ṭayyib 2003

Egyptian and Sudanese Folk-tales 1978 A retelling of traditional tales from the Sudan and Egypt.

Sudanese Proverbs Muna Zaki 2015-04-26 This collection of proverbs provides a fascinating insight into the culture, social morals, historical traditions and humour of the Sudanese. Learning some of these proverbs can be a great way of sharing your sense of humour or expressing an opinion without having to stumble on words that might be misunderstood. For the most part, these succinct sayings call for virtues that encourage solidarity, peace and coherence within society. * Contains over 560 Sudanese Arabic proverbs that are commonly used in the Sudan.* Each proverb has an English translation.* The transliterated script guides pronunciation and assists beginners in learning the Arabic language. * Concise notes explain the meaning and cultural background of each proverb.* Includes a dozen folk-tales linked to individual proverbs. * An alphabetical index is supplied for easy reference.