

# Historian Alain Besançon: Throughout History, Muslims Have Never Blended In With The Surrounding Population Of Non-Muslims

In every land, at every period, that Muslims have conquered, they have subjugated the non-Muslim population, and converted or expelled— quickly or gradually – the non-Muslims. They are at this moment finishing the job, killing or expelling or making life so unpleasant and insecure that many will leave, in Iraq and Syria, and the Christians of Lebanon have been much diminished, and had Al-Sisi not rescued them, or at least been doing the best he can, the Copts would be fleeing Egypt by the millions instead of, as now, by merely the hundreds of thousands.

The observations, with a long historical perspective, of the historian Alain Besançon, has been re-published [here](#).