

# St. Mark



- The Coptic Orthodox Church, has been established by St. Mark the Evangelist and the Apostle, in year 60-61 AD. After the Lord Christ has risen, He kept appearing to the Apostles and Disciples for 40 days, teaching them everything about the church and the Kingdom of God, and He has instructed the apostles and the disciples not to leave until the Holy Spirit the Comforter, would come upon them to guide them and to instruct them of what to do.
- Christ Has ascended to heaven and 10 days later, the Holy Spirit appeared on each one's head as a form of tongues of fire (Acts 2).
- At this point, St. Mark was guided by the Holy Spirit to preach Christianity in Egypt and Northern Africa.

- St. Mark has arrived to Alexandria, carrying no belongings, as the Lord Jesus Has instructed them and he walked in Alexandria until his sandals was torn, then he looked for a shoemaker to repair his sandals, this was Anianus, who poked his finger with a needle while he was repairing the sandals. Then he screamed saying: Oh only God, Heal Me. St. Mark

St. Mark's School of Theology in Egypt, was established around year 60 AD. The main goal of this school was to emphasize on Theology and well-prepare clergymen and teachers to be able to teach Christianity. The teachings of this school was founded based on the biblical and apostolic teachings.

St. Mark's School of Theology was established in Egypt to be able to survive the multiple believes and philosophies. It has succeeded in its mission by spreading out Christianity in a short period of time.

St. Mark was martyred in year 68 AD.