

I write with a ticking clock closer to my death. For the past two years & 3 months I have been imprisoned unjustly. I'm waiting in a queue for my turn on the death rope, my only crime is being innocent. I have waited for the Egyptian government to prove otherwise but clearly hasn't. There are many laws to prove my right to be released or handed back to my country but the judicial system in Egypt is very corrupt. Being in a mass trial will never grant me my freedom. I have been thrown in a place that is no way humanitarian to live in. The very same place a lot suffer in & no one hears their cry. This is the place where experimental torture is practiced, This is the place once you're in there is no out.

Words will never do justice to what happens in Egyptian prisons. Now that I have finished my arrest period as a defendant & have given the judicial system in Egypt the full time to prove I am guilty, I protest for my freedom by going on a hunger strike since the 21st October 2015. I have now been on a hunger strike for 20 days & I will continue until I am released. I will continue regardless of my bad health conditions. Because in Egypt you must pay your life in order to be released.

I will not be protesting for better conditions, but to be released. I really want to thank everyone who have supported me because it is your help that will get me released. I do not believe in the Egyptian judicial system but I believe in hope & my hope is to make it back home one day. Alive.

*Abdullah Jalal*

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