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An Egyptian Christian who was arrested in Libya and charged with proselytizing has died after being tortured by his captors, according to a report.

Ezzat Hakim Atallah, who was one of dozens of Egyptian Copts arrested last month in Benghazi, was awaiting a court appearance in Tripoli when his family learned he had died. He had been held by the Libyan Preventive Security since Feb . 25, and had been hospitalized March 6 before being brought back to a cell, according to family members.

Read more: <http://www.foxnews.com/world/2013/03/11/egyptian-christian-dies-after-torture-in-libyan-jail-report/#ixzz2NIDnLyKS>