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## **SOME RECENT STATISTICS** **REGARDING ERITREAN REFUGEES AND ASYLUM SEEKERS**

*Compiled by The America Team for Displaced Eritreans\**

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### **Through 2014**

**416,857** – Documented Eritrean refugees and asylum seekers worldwide as of December 2014. *United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.*

**48,400** – Eritreans seeking asylum in 44 developed countries in 2014. *United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.*

**47,596** – Eritreans seeking asylum in Europe in 2014. *United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.*

**OVER 34,000** – Eritreans rescued at sea by Italian authorities in 2014. *International Organization for Migration.*

**5,000** – Monthly refugee flow from Eritrea to Ethiopia, October 2014. *United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.*

**3,279** – Deaths of migrants and refugees (from all countries) in the Mediterranean in 2014. *International Organization for Migration.*

**1,390** – Eritrean asylum applications in the US from 2011 through 2013. *United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.*

**787** – Eritrean asylum applications in the US and Canada in 2014. *United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.*

### **Early 2015**

**OVER 1,800** -- Deaths of migrants and refugees (from all countries) in the Mediterranean from January 1 to June 30, 2015. *New York Times, based on data from United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.*

**2,155** – Unaccompanied (and other parentless) children living in UNHCR refugee camps in northern Ethiopia as of April 30, 2015. *United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.*

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\*We will undertake to update these figures from time to time