



You can make a difference!

Pray for persecuted children!



Crack the Code! Use the following code to find the names of some of the countries where children and their families are hurt or killed because they love Jesus! a = 1, b = 2, c = 3, d = 4, etc. (pto for answers)

- a) 19, 18, 9 12, 1, 14, 11, 1 _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _
- b) 14, 9, 7, 5, 18, 9, 1 _ _ _ _ _
- c) 9, 14, 4, 9, 1 _ _ _ _ _
- d) 16, 1, 11, 9, 19, 20, 1, 14 _ _ _ _ _
- e) 22, 9, 5, 20, 14, 1, 13 _ _ _ _ _
- f) 5, 7, 25, 16, 20 _ _ _ _ _



Dear Father God,

Please be with the children in Kaduna State, Nigeria, who have been kidnapped and taken away from their families. The kidnappers are asking for money to set them free. Be very close to Pastor Elisha Numan and his son and the two children of a bishop - aged 9 and 19 - who have all been kidnapped. Please protect them and get them all safely home. Help them to know Your all-powerful love and that You are with them. Give them and their families courage and strength and help them to trust You. Amen.



Dear Jesus,

Please continue to bless and be with Leah Sharibu, a 16-year-old girl in Nigeria, who was kidnapped when she was just 14 years old. Keep her safe and the other girls and women who have been taken away from their families. Set them free by Your almighty power!! Turn the hearts of the kidnappers to Jesus, so they can know forgiveness and can follow You. Amen.



Dear Lord Jesus,

Bless and comfort the Mums and Dads whose children were killed in Sri Lanka in the church bombings on Easter Sunday. Pour Your love into their hearts and give them strength for each day. Bless the brothers and sisters, grandparents and friends as well who miss these children so much. Thank You that You love all children very much and they are now with You in heaven. Amen.



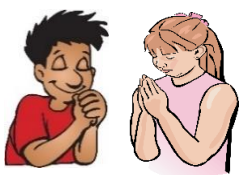
Cut out the words and put them in the right order to make the Bible verse - Isaiah 12:2 (NIRV).

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Dear Jesus,

We pray this Bible verse over all children and families who suffer because they love and follow You. Help them to remember You are the only One who saves them. Help them to trust You and not be afraid because You are with them and will never, ever leave them. Thank You. Amen.



Dear Father God,

We pray for the children in Vietnam and Mexico whose families have to leave their homes and villages because people do not want Christians living there. Keep them safe as some have to live out in the forests. Help them to get to safe places and different countries where they can live and love You in peace and safety. Amen.



Dear Father God,

Please be with the four children whose Mum, whose name was Fikadu, died in prison in Eritrea. Bless them and their Dad, Afewerki. Look after them as they start a new life in a different country and give them everything they need. Amen.

1. Sri Lanka; 2. Nigeria; 3. India; 4. Pakistan; 5. Vietnam; 6. Egypt.