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Find the following 13 words from Psalm 57 in the grid below and write them in the boxes: great, skies, faithfulness, heavens, your, the, reaching, love, for, reaches, is, to, in

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Dear Jesus,

Please be with the 146 children and teachers at St. Kisito de Bougui boarding school in Burkino Faso. Groups of fighters

with guns came and destroyed part of the school in February. They warned the children and teachers that they would be killed if they went back to the school. Give Your great courage, strength and protection to the children, teachers and everyone who works at the school. Give them Your wisdom so they know what to do. Help the children still be able to go to school and learn in safety, even if it means going to a different place. Help them all feel Your power and presence with them. Bring happiness to their hearts. Amen.

Dear God,

Bless all the girls and women in Pakistan who have been taken away from their families and forced to marry Muslim men. The girls have to become Muslims. Christian, Hindu and Sikh girls have all been kidnapped in this way including Helen - reportedly kidnapped by her neighbours. By Your Almighty and matchless power, bring these girls and women home so they can be safe with their families again. Let the girls know how much You love them and that You will NEVER leave them. Let them be treated kindly. Change the minds and hearts of the men who have taken them, so they will know Jesus' love and take the girls home. Amen.

Put this Bible verse from Psalm 57:10 (NIV) in the right order:

the skies."

is your love,

<mark>"For great</mark>

reaches to

the heavens;

your faithfulness

reaching to

Dear Jesus,

Help all children and youth who are persecuted know that Your love surrounds them and holds them safe. You will never let them go. Let them experience how faithful You are - You will never let them down. You hear their cries and their prayers and You answer them. You are with them every second of the day and night. Make them brave because they know You are with them. Give them the joy of Your love in their hearts. Thank You. Amen.

Dear God,
You are a loving Father. Please protect children and youth at school in Nigeria. Many are being kidnapped by people who do not want anybody to love and follow Jesus. Their families are asked for money to get their children back. However, the kidnappers sometimes keep the money and keep the children as well. Please set the youngsters free who were kidnapped from Bethel Baptist High School and the 22 girls who were taken away in January. Let them know Your love. Amen.

Dear God,

Please send Your angel armies to protect Christian children in India who are attacked, killed and kidnapped. Let Your power and love reign!