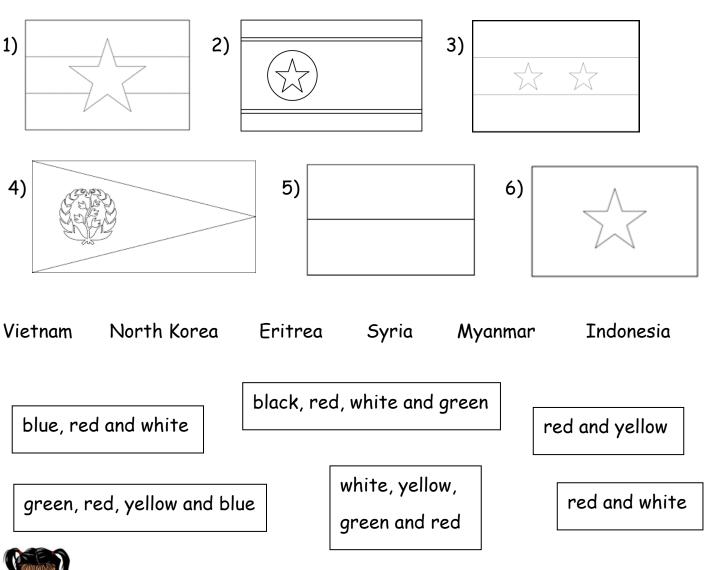


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Here are some countries where children and their families are hurt, bullied or even killed because they love and follow Jesus. Can you investigate which flags belong to each country? Find out which colours

match each flag and colour them in. Draw a line from each country to its flag and colours. (Answers at the end - no peeking!)



Dear Jesus,

Be very close to children and youth in North Korea who have been sent to prison camps with their families because they believe in You. Touch the hearts of the guards to give them more food as they are almost starving. Protect them and their families by Your Almighty power. Pour Your love, hope and peace into their hearts and minds. Hold them in Your arms of love. Make them very brave and strong. Set them free. Amen.

Dear Jesus,

Protect Your children and families in Myanmar. The army is bombing their villages and many are being hurt and killed. Help them get to safe places where they can live in peace. Help them get safe homes, good education and medical care. Stop the bombings so they can live and work without fear. Put Your loving arms around those who are so sad because their loved ones have been killed. Let them know they are with You in heaven. Fill their hearts with Your goodness, faithfulness, love and joy! Protect the Rohingya Muslims too and bring them to You. Amen.

Dear Loving God,

We pray for children and youth who have seen and experienced terrible and terrifying things. Maybe they have been attacked, seen their families hurt or killed or have had to run for their lives, leaving their homes and friends behind. Help them get the healing they need - physically, emotionally and mentally. Give Your wisdom, love and patience to those who work with them to help take away the terror of what they have been through. Instead of nightmares and frightening memories, fill their hearts and minds with the truth of Your love. Hold them very close so that they feel safe and loved. Protect them and their loved ones from further harm. Amen.



Crack the code to work out this month's Bible verse (NN): a = 1, b = 2, c = 3, etc.

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19, 15, 21, 7, 8, 20

20, 8, 5

12, 15, 18, 4

1, 14, 4

8,5

1, 14, 19, 23, 5, 18, 5, 4

13,5;

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4, 5, 12, 9, 22, 5, 18, 5, 4

13, 5

6, 18, 15, 13

1, 12, 12

13, 25

6, 5, 1, 18, 19." (16, 19, 1, 12, 13

34 verse 4)

_ Dear Jesus,

Help all children and youth cry out to You and know that You hear them. Take away their fear. Protect and fill them with Your loving presence, courage and joy.

D) Indonesia - red and white 6) Vietnam - red and yellow

3) Syria - black, red, white and green 4) Eritrea - green, red, yellow and blue

1) Myanmar - white, yellow, green and red 2) North Korea - blue, red and white