



Find the countries in the wordsearch below where children, their families and friends are hurt, attacked and even killed because they love and follow Jesus. You read the words in 5

directions: → ↗ ↘ ↑ ↓

Nigeria	I	N	i	C	h	i	n	a	n	s
China	r	a	i	g	y	t	u	n	a	n
Colombia	S	r	o	g	z	g	a	r	t	a
Eritrea	a	r	C	i	e	r	i	y	s	t
Iran	i	E	i	N	I	r	N	g	i	s
Egypt	b	r	E	L	I	n	i	E	n	i
India	m	i	g	I	a	S	r	a	a	k
Afghanistan	o	t	y	n	u	n	i	h	h	a
Sri Lanka	l	r	p	d	h	s	k	C	g	P
Pakistan	o	e	t	i	I	r	e	a	f	C
Iraq	C	a	l	a	I	r	a	q	A	o



Dear Jesus,

Be with all children who suffer because they and their families believe in and follow You. Keep them safe from bullying, attack and harm. Pour Your love and courage into their hearts when they feel so scared. Make them brave and strong. Protect their homes and churches from being destroyed. Let them sleep in peace and safety. Help them trust You and know You are there.



Dear God,

Thank You for Christian teachers in Sri Lanka. Please give them Your wisdom as they teach children about Jesus so the children grow in understanding and love for Jesus. Help the children learn a lot and do very well in their schoolwork. Keep the teachers safe and fill them with Your joy and love. Help them get enough money to live properly. Amen.



Dear God,

Wrap Your arms of love around children in Afghanistan. Their families are hunted down by the Taliban who rule the country. The Taliban want to hurt or kill Christians. Stop them finding Christian children, youth, men and women when they search their houses or check their phones for Christian songs, teaching about Jesus or Bible verses. Protect Christian girls and boys so they are not taken away from their families. Thank You Lord!



Psalm 61:1-2 (NIV)

Put these words in the right order to make this month's Bible verse.

my prayer. O God; From the ends "Hear my cry,

I call as my heart grows faint." of the earth Listen to

I call to you,



Dear Jesus,

We cry out to You for children and youth in Nigeria who are kidnapped from school and taken away from their families. As they call out to You, "from the ends of the earth", help their hearts not grow faint. Pour Your great love and hope into their hearts instead. Let them know You DO hear their prayers and fill them with Your courage and strength. By Your Almighty power, set them free so they can go home to their families. Give them and their families Your peace. Let them know You will NEVER leave them. Speak to the people that kidnapped the children and youth so that they follow Jesus too.



How many words can you make out of the word: **courage** ?

Use each letter once and use words which have 1 letter and more.