

WORSHIP

Read and meditate on Psalm 136

Take time to thank God for what you have already seen Him do among Afghans and thank Him for the ways He is working beyond what you can see.

Song suggestions...

آزادی در مسیح Hymn of Freedom in Christ - Mawer Music, Dari - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CKZPiClvB8>

Thank you Jesus for the Blood - Charity Gayle - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dhU-Omwig2rU>
What He's Done - Passion - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MBLVaqNdDxc>

HOPE FOR THE CAPTIVES

Exodus 13:3 & 14:5-31

"This is a day to remember forever - the day you left Egypt, the place of your slavery. Today the Lord has brought you out by the power of his mighty hand."

-Pray for **God to move mightily** among the **69 unreached people groups of Afghanistan**, that he would bring many out of hopelessness and slavery to darkness and rescue them, **giving them HOPE and LIFE in Christ**.

-Pray God would raise up many **people like Moses**, who will listen and obey God; who will intercede on behalf on the people; who will return to their people and depend on God to lead them out of darkness and into the Kingdom of Light.

ISAIAH 61

-Pray for believers held unjustly in prison to be **set free** in Afghanistan.

-Declare freedom over Afghan souls that **captives may be released** from being trapped in darkness and hopelessness.

-Pray for **those who mourn to find comfort** in God's justice.

-Pray for grief, trauma, & heart wounds to be healed, and **God's redemptive ways displayed**; for beauty to flow from suffering, joy to replace weeping, and praise and songs of hope to replace despair.

-Pray for Afghan believers pursuit to walk rightly with God, to cause them to become **unshakable, strong and firmly rooted in Christ** - for the glory of God.

-Pray for God to **raise up Afghan sons and daughters to rebuild the ancient ruins** and broken down walls of their peoples and nation; that He would anoint them with His Spirit, giving a clear call and vision of hope and restoration and giving favor before man. Pray for many **generations to follow of those who will rebuild and restore for the glory of God**.

-Pray for the empowerment of every Afghan believer to be **priests of God and ministers of the Kingdom** wherever he has called them.

-Pray God would **restore honour** to those who carry shame and are ostracised from communities - would they be **bears of the Good News** to their communities and **vessels of joy**.

-Thank God that he is a God of justice. Ask Him to **restore justice** to Afghanistan and to saturate every people group with salvation, that they would be **covered by His righteousness and filled with the joy of their salvation**.

WONDERING IN THE DESERT

Deuteronomy 1:30-33 & 8:2-7

- Pray for Afghans who maybe 'saved' but not walking in faith-filled dependence on God as their Father; pray they would learn to live in **constant communion and child-like dependence**.
- Pray for those who have physically left Afghanistan but are **stuck in, in-between places**, like Turkey, Greece, Indonesia, Pakistan, Iran and India; pray for God to encounter these ones who are in limbo and **reveal Himself to them as a good Father**.
- Pray for these new disciples that will turn to Lord, to live by **every word that comes from God** and experience **God's supernatural provision** as they seek first His Kingdom.

TAKING THE PROMISED LAND

Numbers 13:25-33

- Pray for Afghans not to be intimidated by the 'giants' of the land - for them to trust in God's Words and power to fulfill what he has promised.
- Pray God would **raise up people like Caleb and Joshua** would lead other Afghans even in the face of physical or spiritual opposition to faithfully and courageously follow God.

Numbers 33:50-56

- Pray that Afghans would **fully take possession of the inheritance** they have received in Christ.
- Pray they would be **ruthless in getting rid** of anything thing that would hinder them from full freedom in Christ.

Deuteronomy 8:6-20

- Pray for Afghans who move to the 'West' to **fear the Lord** and **walk in His ways**; that even as they adjust to life in a wealthier nation that they would not forget to **praise the Lord and follow in His ways wholeheartedly**.
- Pray they would always **remember the Lord** and not be entangled by the deceitfulness of wealth and the worries of this life.



Jesus, we ask you for the HOPE found in Jesus to permeate every Afghan people group. Bring beauty from ashes, joy-filled hearts instead of mourning, abundant praise to replace hopelessness. Set families bound up in chains free and bring them into the fullness of life as disciples who live in your Kingdom and work to expand your rule and reign throughout the nations.
God, bring HOPE to the hopeless of Afghanistan through your power, your wisdom, and your people, by your Spirit.

In Jesus name we ask - let it be done.