

PRAY FOR MYANMAR

REMOVE THE STONES

REBUILD THE NATION



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KEY SCRIPTURE:

REMOVE THE STONES

→ “Pass through, pass through the gates!

Prepare the way for the people.

Build up, build up the highway!

Remove the stones.

Raise a banner for the nations.”

Isaiah 62:10



REBUILD THE NATION

→ “They shall build up the ancient ruins;
they shall raise up the former devastations;
they shall repair the ruined cities,
the devastations of many generations.”

Isaiah 61:4

COMING AGAINST THE CIVIL WAR & COUP

“He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; He breaks the bow and shatters the spear; He burns the chariots with fire.” “Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!”

Psalm 46: 9-10

Violence ensues around the nation as both the military and ethnic militias have taken up arms to defend their cause. The military junta has resorted to forceful conscription, turning the nation upside down. Young people are fleeing to avoid being forced to fight against their own people and there are reports of the military junta conscripting men well into their sixties. The UN rights office said its “latest report on Myanmar found ‘massive regressions in human rights that have been provoked by a vacuum of rule of law.’” Satan comes only to steal, kill, and destroy, and he will use this conflict and war to destroy lives, inflict pain on the precious people of Myanmar, and slow the spread of the Gospel.

As casualties continue to climb on both sides, we are petitioning the Lord of Hosts, the Commander of Heaven’s armies, to extend His mighty arm, restrain the military bent on destruction, bring a swift end to the war, and birth of a new Myanmar.



PRAY THAT:

- The Lord would bring this civil war to a quick end through divine intervention and through turning hearts in both the military junta and ethnic armies to the knowledge of salvation through Jesus.

- The Lord will raise up a just government with wise and compassionate leaders.

- The blood of Jesus would prevail over the bloodshed of war that has stained the land and release a mercy that heals the nation.

SCAM COMPOUNDS

“The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me to bring good news to the poor; He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to those who are bound;”
Isaiah 61:1



In Myanmar’s vulnerable state, transnational organized crime and corrupt politicians and government workers have taken the opportunity to operate within Myanmar’s borders. Scam Centers confine an estimated 300,000 people held against their will operate along the Thai and Chinese borders seeking to con people around the world via online communications. To date over \$72 billion has been lost to these centers. The workers are tricked into joining these centers under the guise of being hired for a position in Thailand and trafficked across the border where they are tortured and forced to work. It's estimated that this labor force is sourced from over 50 countries and is now called “the worst human trafficking situation in the world right now.”

PRAY THAT:

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| → Scam Centers would be emptied, that prisoners and their overseers would be set free from all torture, forced labor, and captivity. We are asking for Paul and Silas - like stories, that doors would just open that people can walk through. | → Political leaders would be awakened to this evil and no longer complacent in allowing this situation to continue. Also pray for the fear of the Lord to rest on all perpetrators of these facilities. | → These centers would not be profitable for those running them, that these scams would cease to be effective ways to scam money from the victims that they target. |
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POVERTY & CRIME

“And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus.”

Phil 4:19

The crippled economy has thrust the people of Myanmar into severe poverty and financial crisis. Children are forced to work or steal to make money for their families to survive as education has ceased due to the civil war. “Almost half of Myanmar’s population of 54 million is below the poverty line, with 49.7% of people living on less than 76 US cents a day — a figure that has doubled since 2017, researchers with the UN Development Program (UNDP) found.” Unemployed parents have resorted to drug addiction to cope with hopelessness, taking out large loans and creating massive personal debt, and in turn, have run away from their parental responsibilities leaving children with grandparents, or abandoning them entirely. Many adults and children have resorted to theft and other crime to survive. In large cities, crime has become a huge issue affecting many different economic levels. Despite this, through a ministry in the slums of Yangon, families are being fed, experiencing financial miracles, being delivered from addiction, and experiencing the joy of life with Jesus. We are believing God will do this same thing across the country.

PRAY THAT:

→ Authorities will allow humanitarian aid to be dispersed to those in need across the country and in hard-to-reach locations.

→ Those in need will experience the radical provision and love from the Father.

→ For the healing of hearts, lives and families of those entrapped in a life of crime and imprisonment.



RESTORATION OF FAMILIES & COMMUNITIES



**"And he will turn the hearts of fathers to their children and the hearts of children to their fathers"
Malachi 4:6**

The pressures of today's crisis in Myanmar have placed a huge strain on families and communities. Whether parents are struggling to supply food and shelter for their children or sending their young adults to other countries for safety from conscription, families are being torn apart by the civil war and poor economic situation. Those of whom Jesus said, "let the children come to me, for theirs is the kingdom" are being tossed aside for selfish gain. Children, the most vulnerable, are being kidnapped, trafficked, and forced to steal to survive, then being sent to prison for their crimes. Entire communities are living under the poverty line and are struggling to provide for themselves. But God is turning hearts and healing homes across Myanmar. He truly is the God of restoration.

PRAY THAT:

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| → The love of God would be manifest in the way that parents and children relate to one another across Myanmar. | → Mothers and fathers across the country would return to their families. Holy Spirit would reveal Himself to families and teach them how to find healing as they grow together in the love of Jesus. | → Christian families would extend hospitality in serving the needs of those around them that would result in communities encountering and being restored by the love of God the Father. |
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CHURCHES EQUIPPED

“They shall build up the ancient ruins; they shall raise up the former devastations; they shall repair the ruined cities, the devastations of many generations.”

Isaiah 61:4



Myanmar has been in a cycle of violence, disunity, and hatred for many years. The Gospel is the only thing that will permanently rebuild Myanmar with unity, love, and reconciliation from all the pain from these many years. Many church leaders are now being equipped with the PEACE plan that has been implemented in war-torn nations across Africa and in places that have experienced historic ethnic fighting. These same issues exist in Myanmar, but they cannot be resolved by church leaders alone. This work requires the entire Myanmar church, united as one, and resolved to lead the reconciliation and rebuilding effort in Myanmar to create lasting change.

PRAY THAT:

→ The Church would lead the way in reconciliation; that all believers would be equipped to see ethnic, religious, and historic divisions transcended and healed to bring people together.

→ The Myanmar Church would lead in releasing extravagant forgiveness, that forgiveness would bring peace to the nation, and that these changes would not be temporary, but lasting in Myanmar.

→ The Lord would anoint the PEACE efforts and bring the wisdom and practical skill needed for believers to lead the way in rebuilding the nation of Myanmar upon just and righteous principles and practices.

OUTPOURING OF THE SPIRIT

“And proclaim as you go, saying, ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand.’ Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, cast out demons. You received without paying; give without pay.”

Matthew 10:7-8

Miracles have been breaking out across Myanmar! We are seeing hundreds and hundreds each month just in our GSI network alone. Whether it is healing, deliverance, angelic encounters, or miraculous financial provision, God is revealing Himself in powerful, life-changing ways. These amazing encounters are showing people across Myanmar that God hears their prayers and that he is the One True God who loves to undo the work of the enemy in their lives. Worship and salvation are breaking out as a result of these miracles, and we know that there is only more to come. As they experience these signs and wonders, people are moving beyond merely enjoying the gift and are being led to the source of every good and perfect gift, Jesus the Messiah.



PRAY THAT:

- Every miracle is multiplied from those who receive them to the nation around them; that nothing would be kept to oneself, and everything would be shared.

- Worship would be the natural response to the miracles and Jesus alone would receive the glory.

- A great faith for miracles would grip the Myanmar church at large, and many would step out in boldness to release the power of God through miracles, signs and wonders.

NATIONWIDE HARVEST

“And the master said to the servant, ‘Go out to the highways and hedges and compel people to come in, that my house may be filled.’”

Luke 14:23

Amid adversity and challenges, the Gospel is advancing in unprecedented ways. Since 2020, 275,000+ have come to faith in Christ. The church is responding to the needs of the community and serving their neighborhood with the two-handed Gospel: the pairing of relief and the preaching of Good News. Wherever this is happening throughout the nation, the church is discovering that the harvest is now! Many Buddhists are coming to faith in Christ because evangelists are boldly proclaiming the living God that loves and provides for His children. While monks still go door to door asking for food or alms, the believers in the area are providing physical and spiritual food. Various organizations are facilitating equipping and training, and laborers are being sent into the harvest to start house churches among the unreached.



PRAY THAT:

- Indigenous believers would be called, anointed, and sent from communities of faith (Acts 13) to the far reaches of Myanmar; that the harvest would be reaped by those that are sent.
- God would open the hearts of people from every ethnic group in Myanmar to the Gospel. That each person upon hearing the truth of Jesus Christ would give their lives to Him and be saved.
- An international mobilization of church planters to Myanmar would come alongside the Myanmar church and see the nation reached with the Gospel.

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