

## Pray for the Work in the Hard Places



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**Creative Access**—Workers in creative access places frequently battle government restrictions on sharing the gospel and the suspicion of the people they wish to reach. Pray workers will find effective ways to serve in their chosen communities. Pray for opportunities to share the Truth and wisdom in choosing to do so. Pray for opportunities to work within their communities and validate their presence.

**France**—Humanism has long reigned as France's religion of choice. Pray God will give missionaries opportunities in social outreach like the St. Sebastien church's ministry to the displaced and prostitutes. Pray for those who are in pastoral training. Ask God to continue to give fruit for labor. Pray for the new church plants underway in Chateaubriant and St. Herblain.

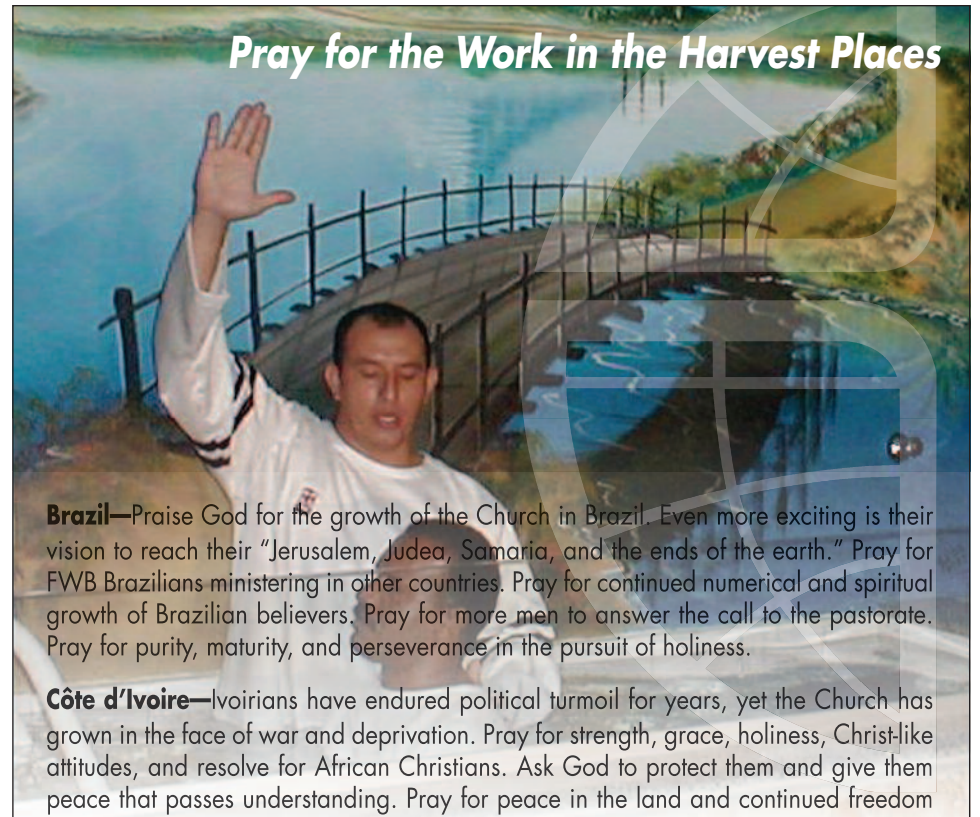
**Japan**—Materialism and success rank high in importance to the Japanese. The March earthquake and tsunami have the potential to break down these barriers to the gospel and remind the Japanese of the eternal. Ask God to give missionaries and Christians opportunities to serve the hurting and to offer everlasting solutions to the needs of their souls.

**Spain**—Catholicism maintains its position as the cultural religion, yet few practice it. Spain is in deep recession with unemployment at 20%. Pray God will give missionaries and pastors occasions for relevant conversations and effective ministries. Ask Him to use the social outreach ministries to immigrants to spread the gospel.

**Uruguay**—Largely atheistic, Uruguayans fail to see their need of God. Yet, in recent months the Church has grown numerically and in enthusiasm for reaching more communities and cities with the gospel. Pray for wisdom as pastors and missionaries step out on faith, committing to greater financial responsibility, more strategic outreach, and training of believers. Ask God to strengthen faith and dependence on Him.

Choose one "hard place" and one "harvest place" for which to pray each day.

## Pray for the Work in the Harvest Places



**Brazil**—Praise God for the growth of the Church in Brazil. Even more exciting is their vision to reach their "Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria, and the ends of the earth." Pray for FWB Brazilians ministering in other countries. Pray for continued numerical and spiritual growth of Brazilian believers. Pray for more men to answer the call to the pastorate. Pray for purity, maturity, and perseverance in the pursuit of holiness.

**Côte d'Ivoire**—Ivoirians have endured political turmoil for years, yet the Church has grown in the face of war and deprivation. Pray for strength, grace, holiness, Christ-like attitudes, and resolve for African Christians. Ask God to protect them and give them peace that passes understanding. Pray for peace in the land and continued freedom to share the gospel.

**Cuba**—The Cuban Church has remained strong in spite of persecution and obstacles placed in their path. Ask God to reward their faithfulness with continued fruit for their labor. Pray for effectiveness in efforts to reach unevangelized areas of their island nation. Pray for the believers to grow strong in the Word, and to be "instant in season, out of season."

**India**—Praise God for the continued faithfulness of Indian believers in personal witness and holiness in the midst of deprivation, floods, and persecution. Pray for the five pastors in South India, 16 pastors in North India, evangelists, and field workers as they travel many hours on foot and bike to serve Christians and preach the gospel to the unsaved. Pray for their outreach into neighboring countries to continue to bear fruit. Ask God for health, safety, and a close walk with Him.

**Panama**—Churches in Panama are filled with zeal to reach the lost in their country. Almost every church is working to plant another church in an area needing biblical witness. Pray for Panamanian leaders and pastors as they seek to reach their country with the gospel. Ask God to continue to give them wisdom and vision. Pray for students at the Chame seminary to be diligent in their studies and in seeking to develop godly character.

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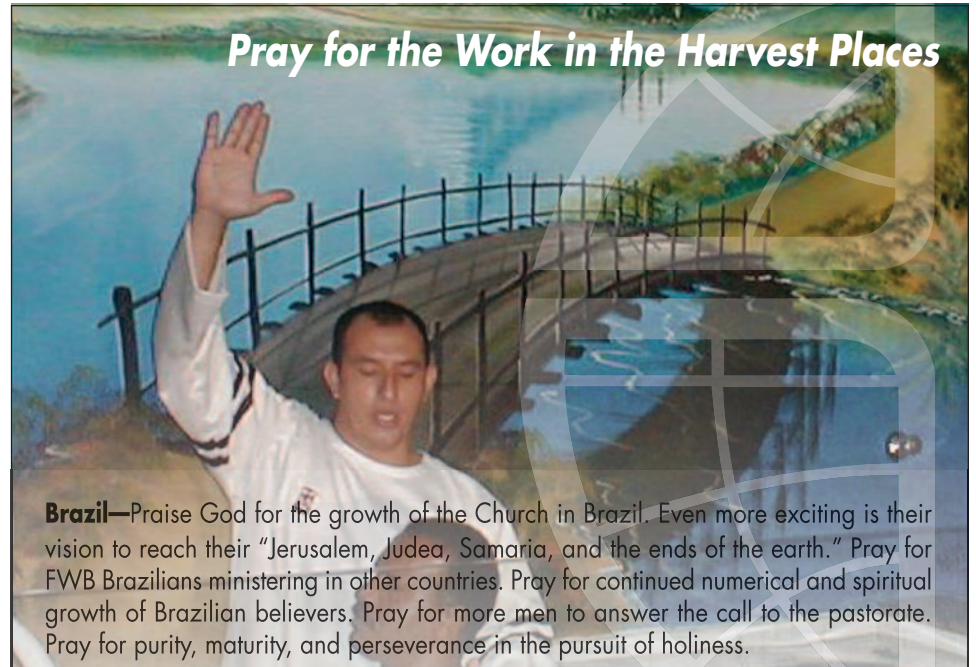
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