

**Declare His Glory Among the Nations**  
**Pray for them**

**PAKISTAN**

200 million people live in Pakistan – a country with a geographic area of roughly 800,000 square miles. 96 % of those people are Muslims, while only 2.3 % are Christian. Yet the harvest is plentiful and the workers are few. The Associate Reformed Presbyterians have been involved in missionary ventures there for over 100 years. And God has blessed the denomination's work as well as those of many others. The Church of Jesus Christ has grown and even thrived in its hostile cultural surroundings. But, she needs our prayers .

The Christians, especially those who have converted from Muslim backgrounds live in constant fear and intimidation. Young Christian girls and women have been and continue to be abducted, raped, and forced to either revert or convert to Islam. Over 50% of Pakistan's population is under 15 yrs. of age, but only 25% of those children go to school. This vast group of young men and women are in much need of hope, education and guidance. All of those things come from the gospel of grace. Pray that they find Jesus.

Many great gospel ministries have begun to and continue to reach the great nation. Bible translation, Bible correspondence classes, literature production and distribution combine with the JESUS film project and Christian radio to accomplish the goal of spreading the gospel of Christ. Pray that the work of Christ will go forth in glory! May God pour his Spirit on these hungry and thirsty people!