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PRAYER FOR THIS COUNTRY
Fighting the worst outbreak of COVID-19 since the pandemic began, the government forced many parts of the nation into total lockdown. Parts of the capital city are called "red zones" where people may not leave their homes and the communities are barricaded. Food deliveries were promised but are minimal, causing substantial food shortages. As we pray, we recall these verses: "When the priests withdrew from the Holy Place, the cloud filled the temple of the Lord. And the priests could not perform their service because of the cloud, for the glory of the Lord filled his temple." Pray that the God's cloud of glory would fall on Cambodia in these desperate times (The Bible, 1 Kings 8:10-11).

Source: Mounting desperation in Cambodia amid COVID lockdown (Al Jazeera)

MORE ABOUT THIS COUNTRY
Cambodia is notorious for the Khmer Rouge and landmines. That was 40 years ago, though, and the nation has enjoyed relative peace since then. Even so, the news still reports on frequent hidden landmine explosions that leave people limbless. It is a poor nation, and corruption runs rampant. The sex industry thrives. One third of Cambodians live on less than one dollar per day, yet it is still one of the region's fastest growing economies.

CHIEF OF STATE
King Norodom Sihamoni
HEAD OF GOV.
PM Hun Sen
POPULATION
15,288,489
CHRISTIANS

3.2%
EVANGLICAL CHRISTIANS
1.6%
DOMINANT RELIGION
Buddhism
PERSECUTION RANKING
104
REFUGEES
1,135
LIFE EXPECTANCY
64.14 yrs
LITERACY RATE
73.9%
POPULATION BELOW POVERTY LINE
20%