

Yemen

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PRAYER FOR THIS COUNTRY

The end of Yemen's truce leaves civilians afraid dark days are back. The truce lasted for six months and expired on 2 October. Yemenis have had years to get used to the political and economic crises that have rocked their lives. When it became apparent that the United Nations-brokered six-month truce would not immediately be renewed, residents of Sanaa, the country's rebel-held capital, resorted to tried and trusted coping mechanisms. People will lose the source of their income, and the resumption of the war will bring them hunger. Yemen, already impoverished, will find any more conflict unbearable. Pray that the continued failure of attempts to extend the truce will be overcome and the UN will sign parties in the conflict onto a new deal. Pray for a ceasefire that can decline civilian casualties and the displacement of people. Pray that the people will not be afraid or discouraged anymore (The Bible, 2 Chronicles 20:17).

Source:

<https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2022/10/7/end-yemen-truce-leaves-civilians-afraid-dark-days-back>

MORE ABOUT THIS COUNTRY

Yemen has moved to 5th place in the World Watch report 2022 by Open Doors as Christian persecution has enormously increased. Yemen's President is Incumbent Rashad al-Alimi since 7 April 2022. The Prime Minister is Maeen Abdulmalik Saeed. Yemen was historically known as Arabia Felix or the "Happy Land." That's because this small nation used to be one of the most fertile regions in the Arabian Peninsula. Yemen's mountain ranges were welcoming sites for rain and agriculture. But today, Yemen is sadly the poorest Arab nation and is currently facing the world's largest humanitarian crisis. Decades of war and unrest have torn this nation apart, leaving it crippled by long-standing social, political, and economic instability. Most believers are first-generation. The majority of expatriate or migrant Christians have fled due to war and violence. Of the few believers

that remain, most have converted from Islam. If discovered, they are often banished from their tribe or brutally murdered. Evangelism is against the law and those who do so risk death.



CHIEF OF STATE

President Abd Rabbuh Mansur Hadi

HEAD OF GOV.

PM Maeen Abdulmalik Saeed

POPULATION

26,737,000

CHRISTIANS

0.2%

EVANGELICAL CHRISTIANS

0%

DOMINANT RELIGION

Sunni Islam

PERSECUTION RANKING

7

REFUGEES

686,217

LIFE EXPECTANCY

65.18 yrs

LITERACY RATE

63.9%

POPULATION BELOW POVERTY LINE

54%