Qatar



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Day 21

OCTOBER | 2023 PRAYER FOR THIS COUNTRY

We praise God that more Qataris have opportunities to travel abroad for higher education or for job opportunities. We ask God for these travelers to find the Living Water in the foreign lands (The Bible, Psalm 146:9).

Prayer Request

Praise Report

Pray for local Churches to initiate and go for national Christian leadership within the nation. Pray that God will break the spiritual superiority of Qataris concerning Islam and prepare their hearts for the message of the Gospel of Christ (The Bible, Ezekiel 36:26).

Pray that God will mobilize the thousands of expatriate Christians in Qatar to pray and reach out to Qataris with the Gospel of Christ. Pray for continued and greater unity amongst them so Qataris will experience the love of Christ (The Bible, Ephesians 4:3).

Call to Salvation

We pray God's favor upon the lives of the Christian Believers so that new openings and more opportunities to win Qataris for the Lord will happen (The Bible, Acts 10:36).

Sources:

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CIA Factbook
Open Doors USA

MORE ABOUT THIS COUNTRY

Qatar features at 34th in the Open Doors Persecution Index in 2023. Christians do not have the freedom to practice their beliefs openly. Expat or otherwise, there is no distinction. Immigrant workers face deportation should they try to evangelize Qatari nationals. All social statuses of Qatari citizens depend entirely on their religious identity. Only as Muslims do they have rights. If they convert, they will not only lose their social standing, they will face discrimination and isolation. All church activities and gatherings face scrutiny from local

authorities. House gatherings and house churches do not get permission in Qatar. A designated space is available for all Christians to gather and worship together. However, this space is inadequate.

CHIEF OF STATE

Emir Tamim bin Hamad Al Thani

HEAD OF GOV.

PM Muhammad bin Abd al-Rahman Al Thani

POPULATION

2,532,104

CHRISTIANS

13.7%

EVANGLICAL CHRISTIANS

0.8%

DOMINANT RELIGION

Sunni Islam

PERSECUTION RANKING

34

REFUGEES

1,200

LIFE EXPECTANCY

80.03 yrs

LITERACY RATE

93.5%

POPULATION BELOW POVERTY LINE

Unknown