


Somalia

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PRAYER FOR THIS COUNTRY

Praise Report

We praise God that the underground Somali Churches of minority Christians have withstood the onslaught and remained faithful to Christ. The few hundreds of Christian Believers in Somalia have become refugees and probably live in hostile localities (The Bible, [2 Timothy 4:5](#)).

Prayer Request

We pray the mighty rule of God over the country of Somalia that the isolated Christian Believers will have a spiritual unity and courageously contend for their holy faith in Christ (The Bible, [Jude 1:3](#)).

We pray God's Kingdom truth over Somalia and pray for proper rule and peace in the country. We pray that the evil works of the smugglers, bandits, pirates and terrorists inflicting gruesome atrocities to people are destroyed (The Bible, [Job 5:15](#)).

Call to Salvation

Pray for God's peace and protection to surround the lives of Somalis that the ongoing armed conflict, lack of state protection, and humanitarian crises will be stopped and the oppressed will receive God's mighty intervention in their lives (The Bible, [Psalm 68:20](#)).

MORE ABOUT THIS COUNTRY

Somalia, officially the Federal Republic of Somalia, is a country in the Horn of Africa. The bordering countries are Ethiopia in the west, Djibouti in the Northwest, the Gulf of Aden in the north, Indian Ocean in the east and Kenya in the southwest. It is Somalia that has vast coastline on Africa's mainland. Churches and the Christian Believers are continuously suffering extreme persecution in this country. They are constantly living in situations of threats and hardship for the sake of following Jesus Christ. Faith professing Christians in the country are at risk as Islamic militants, and clan leaders are trying all the time to harm them and kill them. Christian Believers from Muslim background are constantly monitored by elders and family members and also the movements of Christian converts they suspect.

Islamic militants are vigorously intensifying their hunt for Christian leaders to eliminate them and the situation is worsening every day. For instance, even Christmas celebration is banned in the country of Somalia.

CHIEF OF STATE

President Mohamed Abdullahi Mohamed

HEAD OF GOV.

PM Mohamed Hussein Roble

POPULATION

10,616,000

CHRISTIANS

0.3%

EVANGELICAL CHRISTIANS

0%

DOMINANT RELIGION

Sunni Islam

PERSECUTION RANKING

2

REFUGEES

1,160,286

LIFE EXPECTANCY

51.96 yrs

LITERACY RATE

37.8%

POPULATION BELOW POVERTY LINE

Unknown