& Pray4Kazaks

Digital Outreach

God promises that "the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea." So, how will they believe, how will they know the beauty of God and the gospel, if they have never heard?

We long for the Kazaks and all peoples to know and love our glorious God, and for the body of Christ to grow and multiply among them. If we are to see these visions become a reality, we know that they must hear the word of God and the gospel. Broad sowing of the gospel message is a critical component in communities and people groups coming to Christ. However, in places like Northwestern China, this broad sowing is hindered and challenged by government regulations and opposition within the community. In the last few years, many cross-cultural missionaries have had to leave the region. Yet, there still remains an open door to broadly sow the gospel message and word of God through digital means.

Please join us in praying for the ongoing projects that use websites, online advertising, social media, etc. to get the Scripture and gospel message to the 2 million Kazaks of Northwestern China!





Open Hearts

Jesus tells us that the gospel message will be received differently from person to person. Please pray that God would be preparing good soil and open hearts that would joyfully receive the word of God and believe. Pray for the Kazaks who have already read large portions of Scripture online – pray that God would convict, bring to repentance, and give hope in Christ to those who read.

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Development

Most of the digital outreach projects among the Kazaks are fairly new and are still in development. Pray for the ongoing development of websites that allow Kazaks to read the Scripture in their own language. As selected reading plans, topical directories, and other resources are developed, pray that they will effectively support Kazaks who have never read the Bible before—enabling them to engage deeply with God's word.

Multiplication

Because of the tight political and religious climate, most Kazaks are hesitant to share the gospel, Scripture, or personal testimony with others in their family and community. Pray that those who read the Scripture and hear the gospel message online will be bold to share the good news with others. Pray that God would multiply the message and His church through these efforts.



Resources

Most of the current projects are significantly limited by lack of financial resources, as well as a shortage of people with the needed I.T. skills. Please pray that God would provide all the finances needed for hosting the websites and running the advertisements that make them widely known. Pray also that God would raise up people with the right skill sets to propel these projects forward.

Opposition

The gospel message, God's word, and the church frequently face opposition and persecution. This has been very true in China and among Muslim communities. Pray that the doors for these types of digital outreach would remain open and not be blocked by authorities. Pray that God would turn the situation on its head, using opposition to build and multiply His kingdom.



Next Steps

Would you like to learn more about how to pray for Kazaks or about opportunities to give or contribute to these outreach projects?

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