



Southeast Asian Peoples

30 Day Prayer Guide for Ramadan

April 13 - Ramadan starts today. Stores have put out extra decorations and sweet cookies special for this month. May many people taste the goodness of the one true God during this month.

April 15 - Many Muslims anticipate the beginning of Ramadan with great expectation. It is a time when greater emphasis is placed on spiritual matters. Ask the Father that those who truly desire to know Him will begin to see their need for a Redeemer.

April 17 - Ask that those fasting will be blessed with a thirsting and hungering after Truth and not cease endeavoring to satisfy this hunger until they partake of the Bread of Life.

April 19 - Children are encouraged to fast and participate in Ramadan activities. Many do so to gain approval from their parents, their community and their peers. May God create unrest in their hearts, replacing it with a longing to be accepted by Him!

April 21 - Ask that those fasting will be blessed with a deep thirst for Truth and will not cease endeavoring to satisfy this thirst until they partake of the Living Water.

April 23 - Ask that believers would respond with passion and compassion, demonstrating the love of Christ in very tangible, life changing ways. Ask that in addition to helping meet physical needs they would also work to meet spiritual needs.

April 25 - Ask for new believers to see how they can remain in their culture, being salt and light and obedient to the commands of Christ.

April 27 - Ask that He will use the Seeds planted during this season to bear His fruit in the fullness of time. Praise Him that His Word never returns void.

April 14 - Every day for the next 30 days, Muslims do not eat or drink from sun up to sundown. This month will be a great test of beliefs as many traditions and gatherings are prohibited due to safety measures related to COVID-19 mitigation. Pray the Lord reveals to many that tradition and good works do not cover our sins.

April 16 - This month there is a greater emphasis on good works, hoping and endeavoring to please Allah. Ask that those fasting would be faced with the startling realization that all their good works are dirty rags and will not gain them access to heaven.

April 18 - Women must rise early each day to prepare a meal which her family will eat before the sun rises. As women tire because of this schedule ask that in their weariness they would encounter True Rest in I AM.

April 20 - Giving to the poor is emphasized during this month. Ask that each of these, both the giver and the receiver will consider and understand the poverty of their spiritual lives without the giver of all good things.

April 22 - Ask that the eyes and hearts of believers would be opened and they will diligently and faithfully pursue the seekers encouraging them along the path to Christ. Ask that the spirit of fear and apathy in their lives and hearts would be defeated.

April 24 - Ask that believers would be bold and take every opportunity to share Christ. The season provides wonderful occasions for believers to visit in the homes of friends and break the fast with them.

April 26 - Lift up believers asking they would persevere under community pressure they face in this season and all year long.

April 28 - Ask that the simplicity of the Good News would draw many to I AM. "By grace you have been saved." Ask that He would give grace to many in need of His great mercy.

April 29 - 2 Corinthians 2:15 & 16 speak of the dark veil which covers the hearts of those without I AM. Ask that the veil would be removed, and many would experience new-found freedom in Him.

May 1 - Muslims often associate Christianity with Western culture. For many Muslims, this image is from the entertainment industry, full of moral failure. Ask that God would provide true followers of Jesus for them to see.

May 3 - Ask that those fasting will be blessed with a deep thirst for Truth and will not cease endeavoring to satisfy this thirst until they partake of the Living Water.

May 5 - Muslims pray memorized ritual prayers and ritually wash before these prayer times. Ask that God will reveal Himself not by rituals but through Jesus. May people find that He is the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

May 7 - This weekend those fasting anticipate the Night of Power (8th). They ask forgiveness for their shortcomings, believing that Allah accepts their prayers more readily during this night. Pray that they would find forgiveness found only in Christ.

May 9 - Muslims believe there is a Day of Judgment for all people. Ask that the Lord would provide someone to tell them the truth about this coming day and that Jesus is the Judge!

May 11 - It is also tradition to ask forgiveness from friends, coworkers, and neighbors for wrongs in thought and deed committed against them. Jesus alone offers forgiveness. Ask that this truth be planted in the hearts of Muslims.

April 30 - According to Romans 10:20 ask that He would seek those who are not even looking for Him. Ask that He would reveal Himself to many who are not even asking for Him. Rejoice that we serve an amazing Redeemer.

May 2 - Muslims often believe that the Bible has been altered and corrupted. They will deny its authority because they see it as corrupted. Ask that many would be drawn to read the Bible and would be unable to forget the truth of its promises.

May 4 - According to 2 Corinthians 4:4, “the god of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers” so they cannot see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ. Seek the Father, asking that HIS LIGHT penetrate the darkness of those fasting this month.

May 6 - Muslims believe the Trinity implies a belief in three gods. Many believe that the Christian Trinity is made up of the Father, Mary and the Son. Ask that God’s Spirit would break through false concepts, replacing them with truth.

May 8 - Night of Power - Ask that the power of I AM override the Night of Power tonight so that people will be freed from the darkness that consumes them. Muslims are often encouraged to stay awake during the entire night and pray for blessings and forgiveness.

May 10 - It is tradition as Ramadan comes to an end that children return home, asking forgiveness for wrongs which have been committed against them. Most local governments have told them not this year because of COVID-19. Pray for many to see the Living God as their Father.

May 12 - As the month of fasting comes to an end, Muslims typically prepare to celebrate with family, friends, neighbors. Again this year, the government is prohibiting house to house visits. Ask God to draw many so they can be in His family.

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