



# for Nations



When God says in Psalm 2:8 "ASK me and I will make the nations your inheritance." As followers of Jesus we can respond to this invitation to **ASK**.

*ASK and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.  
Matthew 7:7*

## **ASKing for nations**

ASKing is of primary importance. We should ask often, continually, and intentionally but we must ASK! Jesus said when we **ask** something will be **given**.

## **SEEKing for nations**

This implies we need to know more, be directed and specific in our ASKing and not to give up. Jesus said when we **seek** we will **find**.

## **KNOCKing for nations**

When our ASKing has become so insistent that we are actually **knocking**, we can break through any resistance. Jesus describes this as an **opened door**.

- ➡ **ASK God to give you a vision of what will happen through your prayers for nations.** *After this I looked and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and in front of the Lamb. Revelation 7:9*
- ➡ **ASK God to give you His love and compassion for nations.** *For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16*
- ➡ **ASK God big things for nations.** *Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ASK or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us. Ephesians 3:20*

Turn this card over to learn about some ways we can  
**ASK, seek and knock** for nations.

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## ASKing leads to God's kingdom coming.

### How to ASK ... SEEK ... KNOCK for nations

- ➔ ASK God to **give you specific Bible passages** to pray for different nations. Psalm 119:130
- ➔ **Watch the news** and pray for nations that are in the headlines. 1 Chronicles 12:32
- ➔ **Follow the lines of relationship.** If you have friends living or serving in a nation begin by praying for them and for that nation. Ephesians 6:18-19
- ➔ **ASK God** to impress on you particular nations needing prayer for a season. Daniel 2:22
- ➔ Target **unreached people groups** ASKing God to send gospel bearers. Isaiah 45:22-23
- ➔ **Pray with fasting** for nations to be set free. Isaiah 58:5
- ➔ **Be informed.** Find out anything you can about a nation. (Resources listed at [www.ASKNetwork.net](http://www.ASKNetwork.net)) Proverbs 2:1-6
- ➔ **Invite others to join with you** and share your vision. Matthew 18:19-20
- ➔ As you pray for nations ASK the Lord to **raise up intercessors** in that nation and maybe even establish ASK Network there. Luke 10:2
- ➔ Pray over **maps**, and **sing and worship** as you pray. Genesis 13:17
- ➔ **Declare the Names of the Lord** and His right to rule over the nations. 1 Samuel 17:45 (List of Names available at [www.ASKNetwork.net](http://www.ASKNetwork.net))
- ➔ ASK that you may **visit nations** to pray, love and share the gospel. Matthew 28:19
- ➔ Commit to **pray for others going** on missions' trips. Ephesians 1:15-17

ASK the Lord to **expand of your mission vision.** Keep it simple!

*"The greatest thing anyone can do for God and for man is to pray. It is not the only thing. But it is the chief thing." S.D. Gordon*

*I now realize how true it is that God does not show favoritism but accepts men from every nation who fear him and do what is right. Acts 10:34-35*

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