

26 SAT Twelve Languages

A GRN team in Asia plans to research and record twelve languages. Pray for success in this venture and that the gospel will be soon available to each of these groups.

27 SUN Brazil Team Vision

The GRN Brazil team has a strong vision and burden to tell the story of Jesus to the many small indigenous groups. Pray for the team to joyfully continue their work as they record and distribute the gospel in areas that are difficult to access.

28 MON Laleng Thar of Bangladesh

GRN Bangladesh plans to record in the Laleng Thar language. The recordists are looking for a language helper to assist with translation but have not yet found anyone. The Laleng are Hindu, the people poor and illiterate. Only a few Laleng families follow Christ, but they don't want to reveal that because they are afraid of the Hindus.

29 TUE Praying Scripture

As for other matters, brothers and sisters, pray for us that the message of the Lord may spread rapidly and be honored, just as it was with you. II Thes. 3:1 (NIV)

30 WED Distribution of Our Recordings

An example of Muslim presence is the area an hour south in San Diego, CA, where there are 20,000 refugees from Somalia, Ethiopia, Sudan, Afghanistan, Iran and Syria. They have brought their languages, food, and religious beliefs with them. Pray for ongoing distribution of GRN recordings in that community.

31 THU Working With Other Organizations

GRN works closely with other organizations producing gospel material in other languages and is by far the leader in providing resources. In May Gerry will be representing GRN at an international gathering on language usage in multilingual communities. Pray for fruitful discussions.

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From the Director

Dear Friends,

The Muslim world is often aflame with conflict, both spiritually and physically, and for many Westerners this constant conflagration lends to the building of emotional, and even physical walls, which in turn can turn our heart cold to the eternal needs of these people. This month begins the annual commemoration of Ramadan, 30 days of the year when Muslims fast and pray.

We often point you to the excellent resource, **30 Days of Prayer for the Muslim World**, an international movement that began in 1993. "It calls the church to make a deliberate but respectful effort to learn about, pray for, and reach out to our world's Muslim neighbors. It coincides annually with the important Islamic month of religious observation – Ramadan, a time of the year when Muslims are much more deeply aware of spiritual matters."

This year's Ramadan event begins on Tuesday, May 15, and ends in the evening of Thursday, June 14. I strongly urge you to visit www.30daysprayer.com and take part in this year's efforts to bathe the Islamic world in prayer. The GRN USA staff joins in this effort each year.

David Garrison, author of *A Wind in the House of Islam*, writes: "We are in the midst of the greatest turning of Muslims to Christ in 14 centuries of Muslim-Christian interaction. More than 80% of all the Muslim movements to Christ in history have occurred in the past two to three decades, a time period that coincides with the modern prayer movement for Muslims. At the heart of this modern prayer movement is 30 Days of Prayer for the Muslim World."



Peace of Christ,

Dale Rickards
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Daily Prayer Guide - May 2018

1 TUE Praying Scripture

"Let them praise the Name of the Lord, for His Name alone is exalted." Ps 148:13 (NIV) Our Lord's name is great and we want it to be lifted up among the nations. It is the only name by which man is saved. The day is coming when at the mention of his name, every knee shall bow and tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

2 WED The Rognes



David and Gail are spending a couple of weeks in Sydney at the GRN Australia office before heading back to the States for home assignment. Pray for smooth transitions and for God's direction for them during this time.

3 THU Praying for Muslims During Ramadan

GRN joins with millions of Christ-followers as a worldwide movement of prayer focuses on the Muslim world during Ramadan, which runs from May 15 through June 14. Multitudes of believers in many countries will pray for Muslims during a time of the year when many are more deeply aware of spiritual matters.

4 FRI Workers for Muslim Lands

Pray for the Lord to flood the harvest fields in Muslim lands with zealous and bold workers. Pray too for more workers for the GRN teams in these lands.

5 SAT Growing Islamic Presence

Pray for GRN Centers in Western countries that face a growing Islamic presence. The fear of terrorism and prejudice has grown in many places. Pray for proactive and fruitful distribution of GRN materials.

6 SUN GRN in Islamic Countries

Pray for those who work in countries dominated by Islamic beliefs, governments, and world views. May they have the power of the Holy Spirit to be light and salt to everyone they contact.

7 MON North Africa

Pray for our distributor, Abraham, who travels extensively sharing God's word even through danger, arrest, and persecution. Pray also for his family and the team that works with him.

8 TUE Nigeria

Remember to pray for Kish in Nigeria. Boka Horam is very active in the northeast area of this country and seeks to establish a Sharia law state.

9 WED Pakistan

Our courageous team in Pakistan is diligent to pray, record, and distribute recordings in many areas of their country. Pray for safety and protection for the team.

10 THU Muslim Neighbors

Increasingly our North American neighborhoods are seeing an influx of Muslims. Here in Temecula, California, there is a mosque not far from the GRN office. Pray for opportunities to share God's love with our neighbors.

11 FRI Cameroon Recording Projects

The director of GRN Cameroon, Joseph Ndiba, asks prayer for two recording projects: program content in Foodoo must be voice-disguised to protect the language helper; and material in Dendji needs to be upgraded because of poor technical quality. Pray for timely completion of these projects.

12 SAT Waneci Language

Attempts to record Bible stories in the Waneci language of Pakistan have been difficult. When one of our Asia team

was translating the script for the Good News audiovisual program, his life was threatened. Pray for Baluchistan province, there is great spiritual resistance. Pray that nearby believers will get involved.

13 SUN Myanmar Languages

Recordists David and Naing Oo, GRN Myanmar (Burma), have researched, evaluated, and made initial recordings in five languages of Myanmar: Makury Naga, Somra Naga, Ajongari Naga, Longphuri Naga, and Chin-Falam-Taisun. Additional material will be recorded later. Pray that God will speak through these gospel stories to point listeners away from Buddha toward Christ.

14 MON Ecuador Evaluation

In Ecuador, GRN worker Gustavo Calixto has been evaluating recordings made many years ago to ascertain their technical and content quality. This information will be helpful when planning and preparing for his recording program in the country.

15 TUE Tanzania Needs Trained Recordist

GRN Tanzania needs a staff member who can be trained to record gospel stories for language groups in Tanzania that need to hear the truth of scripture. Pray for this need and also that local churches and believers will become active ministry partners with GRN Tanzania.

16 WED Pray for GRN Materials

GRN recordings introduce people to Jesus Christ, who is the light of the world. His light counteracts the spiritual darkness, which is the only thing most people have ever known. Pray that GRN works with increased urgency to record the good news in all minority languages and to follow up with widespread distribution of those recordings.

17 THU Board Meeting

Pray for the USA Board of Directors as they meet today. May the Lord inspire with wisdom, vision, and passion for moving forward in the path he has set before us.



18 FRI Gerry Gutierrez

Pray for Gerry who is currently in Australia consulting GRN staff and others concerning the dialect project. Pray for clear communications, direction, and vision for this project.

19 SAT Dialect Mapping Project

Pray for the Language Tracking Department staff and

volunteers working on a giant project of mapping all of the dialects for which we have recordings. Much language research and tedious data entry is involved in this project.

20 SUN Building Partnerships

GRN can become more effective by partnering with like-minded ministries. We can accomplish things together that we cannot achieve on our own. Pray that GRN centers and bases develop strategic partnerships with churches, mission agencies, and others to advance the Great Commission and encourage the local church.

21 MON GRN Philippines

A special thanksgiving service was held in Kalinga City in the northern Philippines, celebrating 50 years since GRN's founder Joy Ridderhof started the Filipino branch of the ministry. Praise God for this amazing milestone.

22 TUE Challenging Language

The Socotron language is spoken in Yemen, a country that is totally closed to Christian workers. Pray for opportunities to record this language offshore. Ask God to provide contacts and willing language helpers.

23 WED Global Prayer Coordinator

Colin Stott serves as the prayer coordinator for the network. The Global Prayer Coordinator (GPC) serves GRN and supports its vision by sharing prayer needs throughout the network and with global prayer partners. Prayer is the key to GRN's progress. Mobilizing more people to pray for GRN is a vital part of the GPC role.



24 THU Peoples Prayer Project

Colin also coordinates the Peoples Prayer Project, which generates specific prayer for the least-reached groups. To participate in the project contact Colin at: pray@globalrecordings.net

25 FRI Warriors Needed

A great increase in our global army of intercessors is essential if we are to increase the impact of GRN in world evangelism, thus we are making it a priority to recruit prayer warriors. Your participation is vital. Will you also share this guide with someone else who will join us in prayer?