



THE POOR
GLOBAL IMPACT

PRAYER FOCUS

It's important we remember as believers not to ignore or overlook the poor among us. With billions of lost and needy souls in our world, it's tempting to resign ourselves to the knowledge that we don't have the time or money to help them all. But we can, in fact, offer a source of help that accomplishes even more than these other things. We can offer prayer.

PRAYER POINTS

- ◇ That loving people will remind them there is hope and God has a plan for their lives.
- ◇ That they will respond to the gospel message, repent, and be filled with God's Spirit.
- ◇ That they will ask God's help in provision of food, education, jobs, and a path out of poverty.
- ◇ That the poor will learn new and effective ways to produce more food.
- ◇ That God will give believers a greater vision and passion to help the lost and hurting.
- ◇ That believers will respond to the call to go, give, and help the lost and hurting.
- ◇ That God will liberate the poor from life-destroying choices and addictions.
- ◇ That the poor will be protected from injustice within their culture and government, and from abuses such as human trafficking and forced labor.
- ◇ That leaders of poor nations will allow food and aid for the poor to flow into their countries, and that the aid will be used properly.
- ◇ That national economies will grow and prosper in third-world countries, offering help to the poor.
- ◇ That advances in medicine will provide remedies and immunizations that are more accessible.

SCRIPTURES

Psalms 12:5, 140:12; Proverbs 22:9; Isaiah 41:17; Matthew 9:35-38; Luke 4:18, 10:33-37; Galatians 2:10