



Jordan

Jordan is a nation in the Middle East that is bordered by Syria, Iraq, Saudi Arabia, Israel, and the West Bank. It is also bordered by the Jordan River, the Gulf of Aqaba, and the Dead Sea. The land in this part of the world has been fought over for thousands of years.

Jordan has deserts, mountains, valleys, and plains, but it does not receive much rain each year. It has some mining, but it does not have the extensive oil deposits that some other Middle Eastern countries have. Most of its people work in service industries, government, business, and the military. Many also work to care for the millions of yearly visitors who come to tour the ancient sites and modern attractions.

The area around Jordan was ruled by Ammonites, Amorites, Edomites, Moabites, Israelites, Egyptians, Assyrians, Chaldeans, Persians, Nabataeans, Seleucids, Romans, Byzantines, Arabs, Mamluks, Ottomans, and others before it became independent in 1946.



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I hope you've enjoyed visiting four of the many amazing places in Jordan! Before you leave to go home, could I ask you to do something special for the people here? Only 2 or 3 people out of every 100 in Jordan believe in Jesus, and there is a lot of pressure on people not to follow Him. Many of the people in Jordan still haven't understood yet that Jesus loves them.

Will you remember to pray for the people of Jordan? Here are a few things you can pray for. You can add more prayer requests to the list as you think of them!



Pray that people will have Bibles to read in whatever language they speak.



Pray for the people living in Amman, Aqaba, Wadi Rum, and Petra (Wadi Musa), plus every city and town to believe in Jesus.

