

South Asian Peoples

The greatest concentration of lostness on Earth



Praying for:

Missionary Kids

“No one should despise your youth; instead, you should be an example to the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity.” – I Timothy 4:12 (HCSB)

Missionary kids (MKs) are ordinary kids living in extraordinary circumstances. They are also called TCKs, third-culture kids, because, in their unique position, they completely adopt neither their home culture (the culture of their parents) nor their host culture (the culture of the nationals around them), but develop a third-culture all their own.

The life of an MK is filled with constant change and transition as they move between the United States and their host country and back to the States for a while every three to four years. They face many challenges in their transitional lives, including lack of stability in education and relationships. However, God is able to use them and grow them in ways that would not be possible otherwise. MKs can develop relationships and minister to nationals in their host culture in ways that their parents would not be able to.

Prayer points:

Everlasting God, teach MKs how to adapt to changes in their lives, to be able to enjoy the present while treasuring memories of the past, to not miss what God is doing around them, and to joyfully anticipate the future.



Lord Jesus, we pray MKs will enjoy a fresh, growing relationship with You that leads them to know their need for salvation. Show them how to live daily for You based on their own faith.

Lord of Nations, grow a deepening love for nationals in MKs' hearts, allowing them to have close relationships that lead to a desire to share the Gospel. Teach them early in life to have a heart for the lost.

As MKs encounter various educational settings, teach them, Holy Spirit, to be good students, to excel in their studies. Provide for all their educational needs.

Loving Father, as MKs become aware of Your love for “all peoples”, enable them to also realize how precious they are as individuals in Your sight.

Heavenly Father, MKs need godly role models as they live overseas. Give them healthy relationships with their parents, teachers, and others in the missions community.

Gracious Lord, fill MKs with a deep sense of gratitude for all those who support them and their families. Give them glimpses of the ‘rope holders’ back home so they can know they are never alone.

Awesome God, give MKs a balanced love for their host country and their home country. Teach them to be content in all circumstances.

Jehovah-Jireh, provide college-age MKs a home-away-from-home with friends or families during holidays and school breaks.



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