

**Petition #16:**

**A Prayer for the Citizens of Haiti**

**Scripture Reading:**

Psalm 67, Psalm 37

**Reflections of the Heart:**

Haiti is a nation in need of much prayer. Thousands of people have died, and countless families have been affected by the devastating earthquake. The Haitian people could spend years recovering what was destroyed in a matter of minutes. Please keep this nation and its citizens in your daily prayers.

**Scriptural Prayer:**

Exalted Father, we thank You for the nation of Haiti and its citizens. Thank You for protecting the innocent men, women, boys and girls from death and destruction. Thank You for sending the right people to that nation to help with the rebuilding process. Lord, You live! We praise You, our Rock. May the God of our salvation be exalted! You are the God who pays back those who harm Your children. You subdue the nations under us and rescue Your children from their enemies. You hold them safe beyond the reach of their enemies and save them from violent opponents. For this, we sing Your praises among the nations.

Noble Father, we declare that You are the Light and Salvation for the citizens of Haiti, so they shall not be afraid. You will be their fortress, protecting them from danger, so they shall not tremble. Father, You elevated Jesus to the place of highest honor and gave Him the Name above all other names, that at the Name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue shall confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to Your glory. We speak the Name of "Jesus" over the nation of Haiti. We command crime, corruption, confusion and chaos to bow to the Name of Jesus Christ. We command the Cholera outbreak, Tuberculosis, HIV and AIDS within this nation to bow to the Name of Jesus Christ and self destruct. We cancel every demonic attempt to bring more death and destruction through these infectious outbreaks. We proclaim healing in the Name of Jesus for those who have been affected. Your Word says death and life are in the power of the tongue; so we boldly speak life and call forth new beginnings, wholeness and abundance for Haiti, now! We call forth a spiritual renewal in Christ Jesus. We call forth the blessings of God to rest upon their business, economic, educational, political, judicial, technological, social, and health systems. We declare restoration of the agricultural and business sectors and for employment opportunities to come forth.

***Holy Spirit, please guide me and help me to pray for the people in Haiti:***

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Righteous Father, please give the proper authorities and agencies divine wisdom and strategies on how to provide shelter for the countless families that are exposed to the elements. Give the civil engineers the wisdom and blueprints for creating healthy, functional public works systems including sewer and drainage systems. We know that the hearts of kings and rulers are in Your hand, so we ask that You would continue to turn the hearts of the global community favorably towards Haiti. Touch the hearts of the global community to help Haiti for the years to come. Holy Spirit, as the nations of the world send supplies to Haiti; please help them to work with the Haitian government so that they can strike the right balance between life-saving assistance and long term development. Holy Spirit, please govern the January 16<sup>th</sup> run-off elections and let this process go peacefully and safely.

Merciful Father, forgive the citizens of Haiti for the sins they have committed against You. Forgive them for all of their sins, including idolatry, murder, injustice, corruption, greed, perversion, and the practice of witchcraft. Forgive those who call on the name of other gods. Forgive those who prey on people in tragic circumstances. Forgive us as a nation for ignoring the poverty and lack of basic human services in this nation. Lord, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed.)*** Holy Spirit, remind the people of Haiti of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to show you names or faces of people that you may need to***

***forgive. As He shows you, say aloud, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Almighty Father, help the people of Haiti to not yield to temptation; but deliver them from the evil one.

Marvelous Lord, You are King! Let the nations tremble! Lord, You sit on Your throne between the cherubim. Let the whole earth quake! Lord, You sit in majesty in Jerusalem, exalted above all the nations. Let them praise Your great and awesome Name. Your Name is holy! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

**Scripture References for the Written Text:** Psalm 18:46-49, Psalm 27:1-2, Philippians 2:9-10, Proverb 18:21, Proverb 21:1, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 99:1-3

***Today, I will trust God to:***

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