



United Research World Prayer Focus

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I'm sure that thousands of people, possibly millions, have already been praying for this country and this conflict, but when I asked for what the focus should be for January, this prayer immediately came to me.

Thank you, God, for Afghanistan. Thank you for bringing to our consciousness the countries, too, of Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, and Pakistan that before this past fall we had seldom even read about. Thank you for the opportunity to embrace these countries and their people with Love and Light.

Thank you, God, for the knowing that you are the one God to whom all people pray, no matter what their religion or belief. Thank you for the knowing that all yearnings for oneness with you are equally precious in your sight.

Thank you, God, for all those who chose the mission to give their lives on September 11, and for those who have given their lives since, whatever their nationality, and we pray that they rest in your love and that their loved ones find the peace that you offer.

Thank you, God, for filling our own hearts with peace and love, and for showing us any sign of hate within ourselves, knowing it comes from fear. Thank you for showing us our fears, so we may change them to Light.

So Be It.

