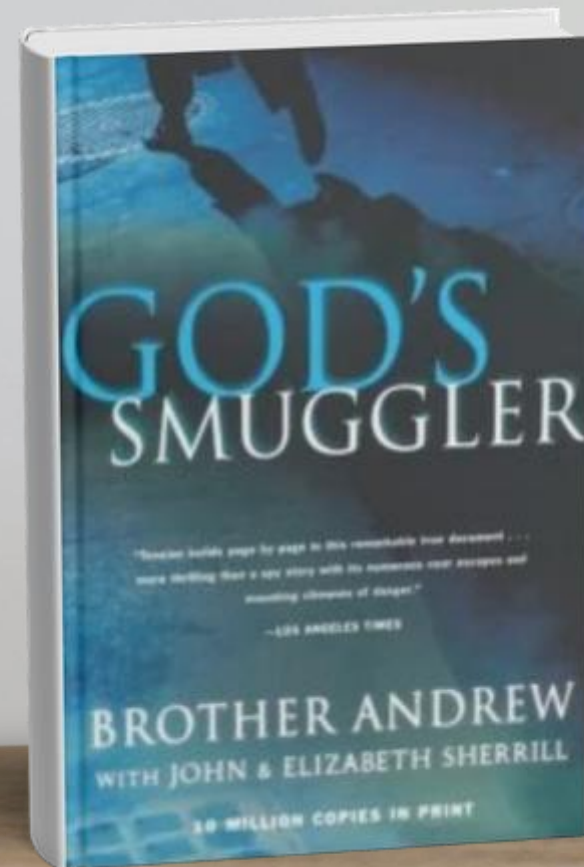


MARCH

Book Discussion



A photograph of a paved road winding through a landscape with hills and trees under a cloudy sky. The road is the central focus, leading the eye into the distance. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds, and the overall lighting suggests a late afternoon or early morning setting.

ICEBREAKER QUESTIONS

- What is your favorite place that you have ever traveled to?
- What is the most adventurous or challenging thing you have ever done?
- If you could have dinner with any person, living or dead, who would it be and why?



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- Any overall impressions from the book?
- What impacted you the most as you read the book – both encouragement and challenge?
- What are the reasons you would tend to give the Lord a ‘yes, but?’ or another way – is there anything God has said He would do that you find it hard to trust?
- Have you had to overcome an obstacle in the name of obedience/in order to honor the Lord’s calling on your life? How did you navigate that situation?
- Do you have an example of ‘persevering prayer’ in your life? How did you decide to continue in prayer vs assuming God was saying ‘no?’



RESPONSE QUESTIONS

Is the Lord asking you to take an outward step of obedience in this season?

Is there a 'yes, but' involved on your end?

Is the Lord asking you to wait on Him to do something He has said He would do?



BEN & CRISTINA

GERMANY

- For Germans to come to know the Lord! We are seeing great openness and movement within the refugee population; however, our actual German neighbors are uninterested in spiritual topics and God it seems
- As Germany reduces the amount of refugees/asylum seekers, there is still a window that we have the nations here in Germany and want to see God move mightily during this time
- A Syrian woman recently came to know the Lord- S. Please pray that she will continue to truly understand what it means to follow Jesus.
- Future plans! Guidance for Luke as he makes university decisions and for us- how long God would have our family here
- Breeze Translate- translation software for churches- for continued good team dynamics and solutions as the software is definitely spreading in its usage.



JASON & FELICIA

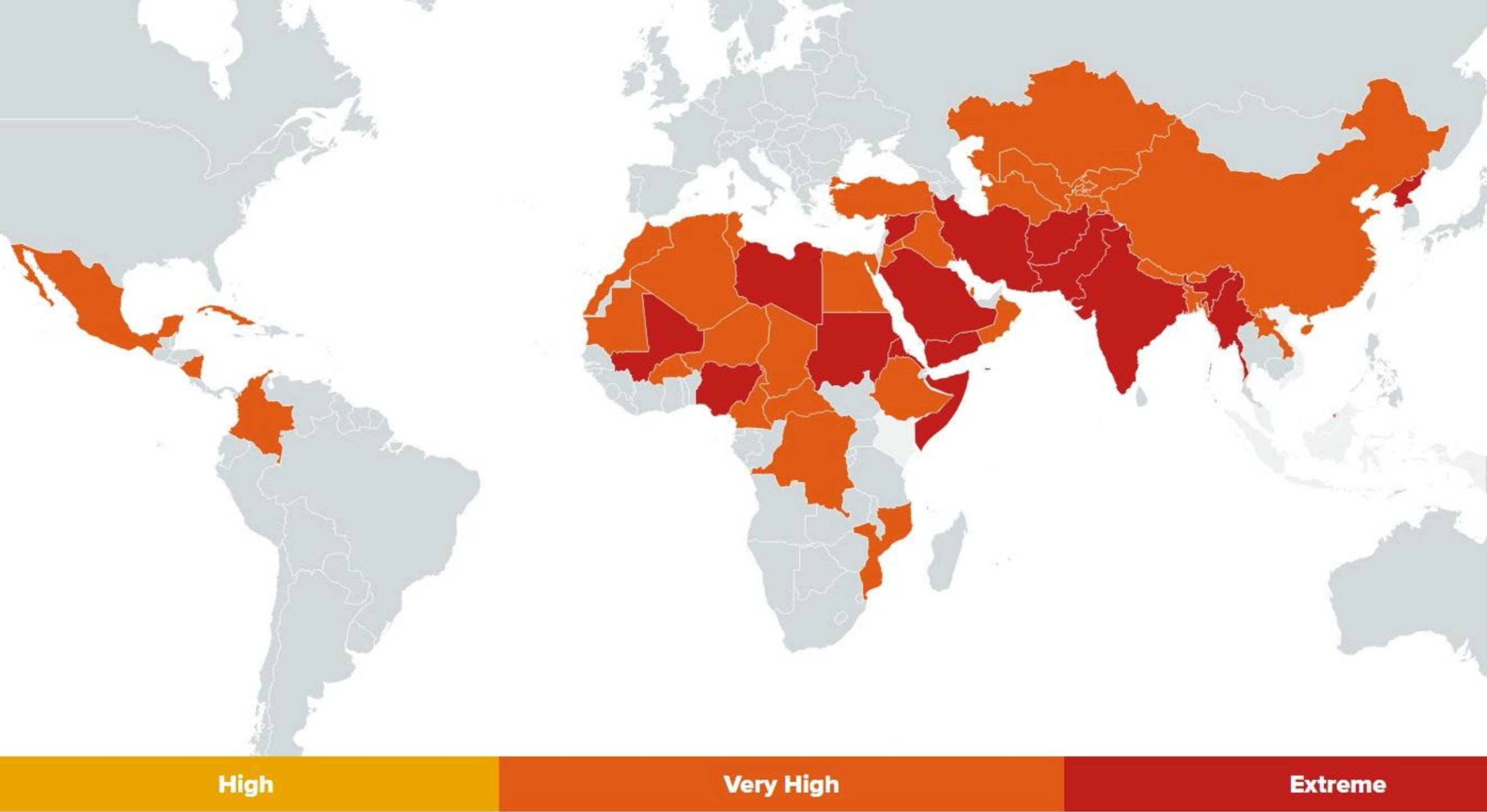
ROMANIA

- Please pray for reconciliation and unity among the protestant churches in our city. At times they have been more in competition with each other than in cooperation.
- The Roma people have suffered through poverty, discrimination, and devaluing for generations. Their villages are filled with addiction, violence, and brokenness. Pray that they would be encountered by Hope.
- Romania is struggling economically right now with high utility and food prices, the government reducing vital services offered, and a brain drain of young people leaving to find better work in other parts of Europe. It has led to older Romanians thinking the times of communism (what you'll read about in God's Smuggler) weren't so bad. Pray that the government would make steps to improve the economy, incentivize young people to stay, and for corruption to end.
- Pray for Felicia and Jason as they continue to serve local ministry leaders and the missionary community in Romania and into the Middle East and Asia. The needs are great.



CORY & JESSIE MONTENEGRO

- Pray for our potential partnership with some campuses in Tennessee and that God would raise up an intern team to join us next year to continue the fruit we have seen from this year's team with our university ministry.
- Pray for continued funding for Nova Nit (our food bank) as we continue serving the community and continue seeing more locals get involved.
- Pray that we would have wisdom about what to do for schooling for our kids. Ongoing issues with their current school have made this decision more pressing.



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