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**“For I, the LORD, love justice. . .” Isaiah 61:8**

**“What does the LORD require of you but to do justice, to love kindness,  
and to walk humbly with your God?” Micah 6:8**

**Dear Friends,**

“Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere.” So said the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Unfortunately, much of the globe today is filled with injustice. Almost eighty percent of the world’s inhabitants live in nations with “high” or “very high” restrictions on religious beliefs and practices.

However, it is a great encouragement to know that the Lord loves justice. He requires that we do justice. But also that we love mercy and walk with humility. At Advocates International, we are blessed to serve men and women who have chosen a profession that is focused on justice and who seek to impact the justice systems in their nations by following Jesus.

While doing that is the right thing, it is not always an easy thing. That is why they, and we, need your prayer support and engagement. Among the many fellowships, we are serving Advocates who live in 22 of the 50 nations on the 2019 World Watch List from Open Doors, one of our ministry partners through the Religious Liberty Partnership (RLP).

Later this year, I travel to Europe (2x), Africa (2x), and Latin America to encourage and equip our Advocates. Pat Talbot continues to compile resources, including finishing his new handbook, “*A Summary Christian View on Law, Justice, and Government*,” that will help us to better serve these Advocates. And our **Asking for the Advocates** prayer initiative is slowly taking shape.

Thank you for your prayers and your continued financial support that help us meet the needs of the ministry and allow us to help Advocates around the world to pursue justice.

May the Lord bless and keep you in His perfect . . .

Grace and Peace,



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