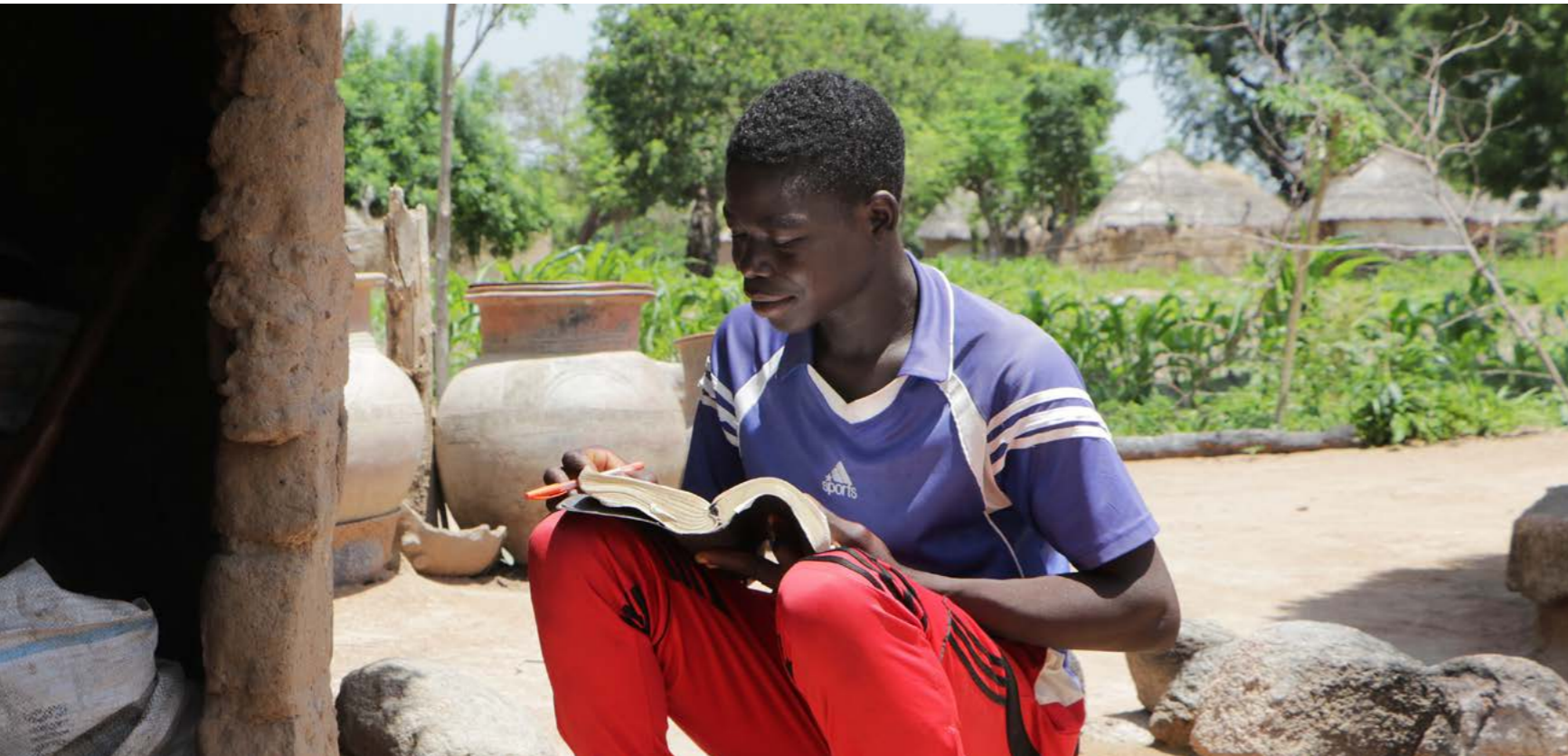


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“Boko Haram destroyed the villages, burned down the churches, ransacked homes and killed men and women. Our people fled and... the church stopped meeting.”

– Reverend Marcus from northern Nigeria

Region	West Africa
Christian population	46.7%
Main religion	Islam/Christianity
Source of persecution	Islamic oppression



About Nigeria

Islam dominates the north, where Boko Haram have terrorised Christians for years. While the south is predominantly Christian with little persecution. Christians in the north and the Middle Belt of Nigeria suffer from violence by militant Islamic groups which often results in the loss of life, physical injury and property. Unfortunately, corruption has weakened the state, making it ill-equipped to protect Christians from the violence.



Pray for families who have lost everything for their faith in Jesus. Ask God to provide for them and provide ways for them to earn a living.

Our Work

Open Doors partners with the local Church to strengthen persecuted Christians through various persecution preparedness programmes, emergency relief, trauma counselling and access to basic services.

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