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VII

IN THE UPPER ROOM WITH JESUS

WEEK SEVEN • JOHN 15:18-25

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“This is my command:
Love each other.”

JOHN 15:17 NIV

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HATE

to detest or be hostile towards another

WORLD

the system of organized society hostile to God,
which is under Satan's power.

What Happened?

Historical Context

What Happens?

Timeless Truth

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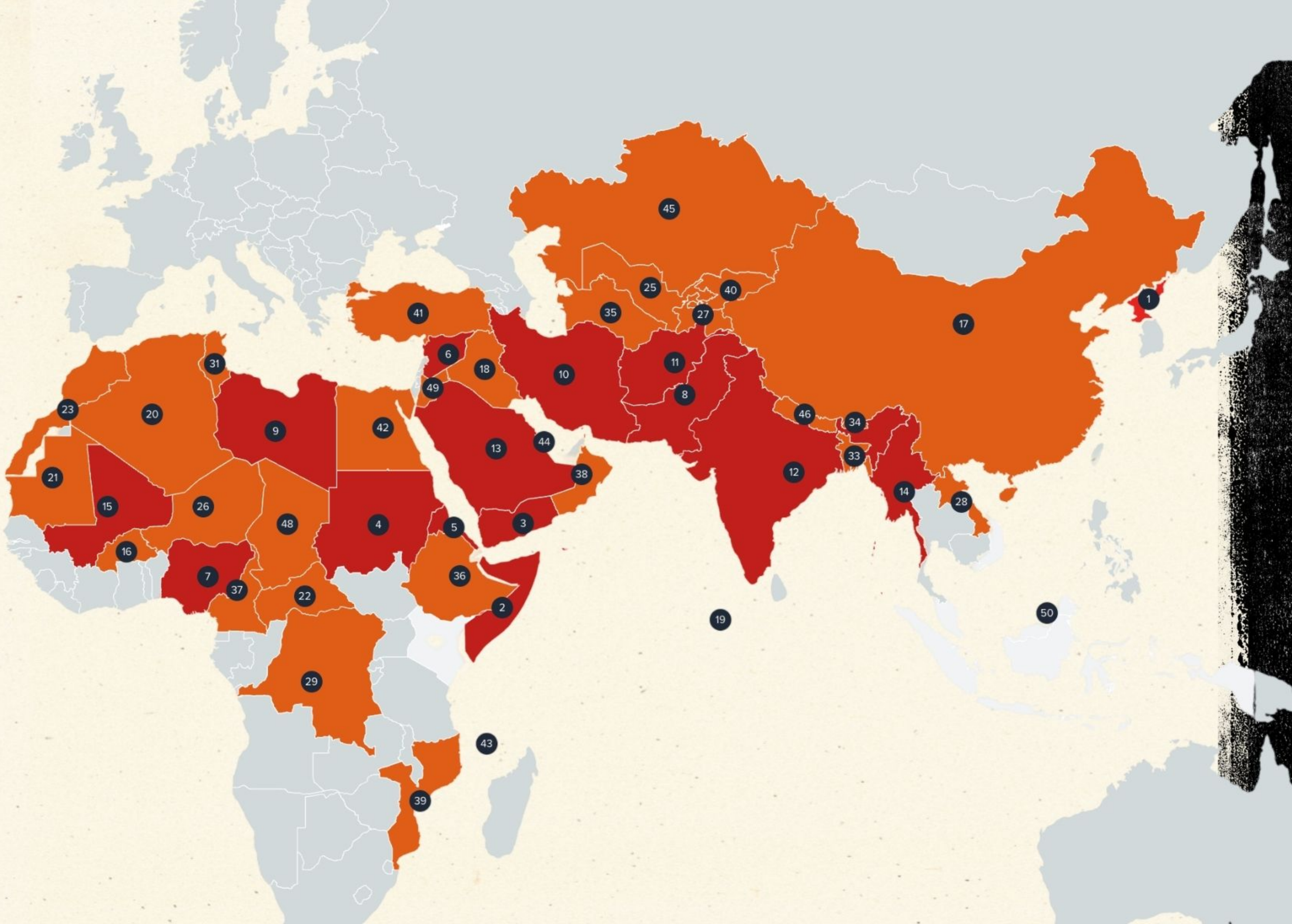
1 JOHN 3:13 NIV

Do not be surprised, my brothers and sisters, if the world hates you.

TOP FIFTY

MOST PERSECUTED COUNTRIES

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C.S. LEWIS, *Mere Christianity*
 “If we find ourselves with a desire that nothing in this world can satisfy, the most probable explanation is that we were made for another world.”

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JAMES 4:4 NIV

You adulterous people, don’t you know that friendship with the world means enmity against God? Therefore, anyone who chooses to be a friend of the world becomes an enemy of God.

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FRIENDSHIP WITH GOD BRINGS
HATRED FROM THE WORLD.