Letter Writing Guide

Writing Guidelines:

+ Greeting cards, children’s artwork, and postcards are best.
+ To assist in translation, please write in simple English and keep your letter brief.
+ Print clearly.
+ Be encouraging and include 1-2 Bible verses.
+ Show sensitivity; please don’t dwell on the recipient’s plight or share about the blessings of life in your country.

For Security:

+ Do not mention Open Doors in your letters.
+ If writing a postcard, please send it in an envelope and do not write the Open Doors’ address on the postcard.
+ You may provide your name, but do not provide your full address.
+ Do not criticize a country’s religion or religious extremists, its’ government, judicial system, or political leaders.
+ Do not send money or make proposals to help.

Please check www.odusa.org/letterwriting for details on current opportunities. Thank you for standing with our Christian brothers and sisters in this vital way.

If you have questions about the letter writing guidelines, please email usa@opendoors.org or call 1-888-524-2535.