

English Translation of the Afghan Christian Calendar - Year 1405

Title Page: Picture of Badakhshan: *The area is located in northeast Afghanistan.*

Title of calendar in Dari and Pashto language: **“A Blessed Destiny”**

1. Picture of Panjshir river

Photo text in the Afghan language Pashto, “Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the one who takes refuge in him.” (Psalm 34:8)

Inset text in the Afghan language Dari (next to the small photo of a village near the city of Kabul
“Even in hardships, failures and darkness, God shines His light to lead us to our destination”

2. Picture of Kabul Bazaare Mandawi

Photo text in the Dari, “To those who by persistence in doing good, seek glory, honor and immortality, he will give eternal life.” (Romans 2:7)

Inset text in Pashto (next to the small picture of Kabul night),
“In the heart of night, a hope still gleams
Where destiny shines, with golden dream.”

3. Picture of red apples on cart

Photo text in Dari, “Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths” (Proverbs 3:5–6)

Inset text in Pashto (next to the small photo of nomadic people),
“When the heart finds rest in the Divine embrace
No storm of fate can shake its grace.”

4. Picture of coachman

Photo text in Pashto, “For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.” (Jeremiah 11:29)

Inset text is in Dari (next to the small photo of Women in burqas going to the village)
“A good destiny is God’s promise to those who love Him, believe in Him, and walk in His path.”

5. Picture of Afghanistan from the Pamir highway

Photo text in Pashto, “Seek good, and not evil, that you may live; and so the Lord, the God of hosts, will be with you, as you have said.” (Amos 5:14)

Inset text in Pashto (next to the small picture of purple flower bushes in Gul Ghundi in province Parwan)
“God’s Word is not just to be heard and repeated
Rather, the Word of God must be breathed, lived, and in every act showed.”

6. Picture of fig seller in Kandahar

Photo text in Pashto and Dari, “Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.” (Matthew 11:28)

Inset text in Dari, next to the small picture of Koh e Asamai(Asamai mountain in Kabul),
“Good destiny means living in the will of God, knowing Him, and attaining eternal life in His presence.”

7. Picture of Kabul TV Antenna Mountain

Photo text in Dari, “You are good and do good; teach me your statutes.” (Psalm 119:68)

Inset text in Pashto (next to the small photo of Istalif handicrafts in Istalif market),
“Oh God! You are good and You do good; open my heart to walk in the light of Your Word and to learn Your teachings.”

Back page: Picture of Bamiyan, Afghanistan

Photo text in Dari and Pashto, “Many are the plans in a person’s heart, but it is the Lord’s purpose that prevails.” (Proverbs 19:21)

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