

# Meta Camp

## LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES OF SOUTH PACIFIC & SOUTHEAST ASIA

#### Overview:

The first missionaries that went to the 27 island nations of the South Pacific 200 years ago were stunned by the beautiful green landscapes and women with long, black hair. But they were also appalled by immorality, human sacrifices and idolatry. Thanks to their hard work, it is difficult to find ethnic groups in this part of the world that have no contact with the gospel—only 27 people groups remain here with less than 2% evangelical believers and less than 5% adherents to any form of Christianity. Now Pacific Islanders are taking the gospel a step further by sending and being sent as missionaries themselves. The 11 nations of Southeast Asia once were Hindu, later Buddhist and now most are Muslim. Over 600 least-reached people groups remain here now and the gospel is slowly making inroads, though five nations still have more than 50% of their populations among least-reached groups and well over 130 million people are still considered least-reached in this region. Through SEALINK, the Southeast Asia unreached peoples partnership, more and more of the peoples of this region are beginning to hear and respond to the gospel. Pray for spiritual obstacles to be removed and for God to quickly establish vibrant fellowships of believers among all groups, peoples joining together to glorify God among all peoples.



#### 772 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC & SOUTHEAST ASIA REGIONS!





#### South Pacific & Southeast Asia Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

Total:With Least-Reached:Total:Least-Reached:% Least-Reached:38213,31277223.3%

Population:

 Total:
 In Least-Reached:
 % in Least-Reached:

 641,551,000
 307,461,000
 47.9%

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#### Prayer Points:

RESOURCEFULNESS:

Pray that God causes people from the Body of to work with His divine creativity and in the unity of the Spirit to overcome every barrier to the gospel among every people group.

RAPID:

Pray for the Word of God to spread rapidly and be honored as it is proclaimed by faithful men and women before those around them, especially among the remaining Least-Reached Peoples. REMAINDER:

Pray for the remainder of Least-Reached Groups in the these regions to be reached and to join hands with God, one another, and believers around the globe to reach and transform the remaining groups with the kingdom of God.

EXPATRIATE & INDIGENOUS WORKERS:

God would thrust forth many more workers and provide creative means of access to the Least-Reached Peoples throughout these regions for the gospel.

CONTEXTUAL EVANGELISM:

Just as the believers were using songs and stories, pray for God to help believers creatively communicate the gospel and His Truth through familiar means with an eternal message of Hope and Salvation.





The 7 countries of Northeast Asia are lands humming with action. China, Japan, and South Korea have economies that are growing at rates that almost defy imagination. The 21st century could easily be the time when Korean and Chinese missionaries take the lead in reaching the world for Christ. Presently, Korea is the second largest sending base in the world and has just celebrated the 100th anniversary of the great Korean revival of the early 1900's when Pyongyang was known as the "Jerusalem of Asia." But China may soon catch up and surpass them because of their "Back to Jerusalem" vision to send Chinese missionaries back along the old Silk Road carrying the gospel back to Jerusalem. Also, this is the first time when Mongolia has had a lasting church and they too are already sending missionaries to other nations. Yet, over 450 people groups in Northeast Asia remain Least-Reached. North Korea, Mongolia, and Japan remain formidable challenges with over 95% least-reached. But China itself, although only 10.9% of its population, over 424 least-reached peoples remain to be reached with the good news! God's time for Northeast Asia is now!



### 495 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN NORTHEAST ASIA!





#### Northeast Asia Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

Total: With Least-Reached: Total: Least-Reached: % Least-Reached: 8 661 495 74.9%

Population:

Total: In Least-Reached: % in Least-Reached:

1,581,886,000 323,196,000 20.4%

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#### Prayer Points:

FULFILLMENT:

Pray for God to show peoples of Northeast Asia that true fulfillment and prosperity is found only in Jesus Christ who gives us Life and that more abundantly.

FREEDOM FROM FEAR:

Pray that these peoples living in fear of spirits and of the future to experience peace, joy and freedom from oppression in Jesus.

FALSE TEACHERS:

Pray for discernment to recognize false teachers and through the Holy Spirit to know the Truth that sets them free. FATHER'S HEART:

Pray that the Father's heart of love, acceptance and forgiveness be experienced by every person among these Least-Reached Peoples of Northeast Asia.

FAITHFULNESS:

Pray for new believers to daily experience God"s faithfulness and to be faithful in their walk with Him, letting their light shine before men so they glory God in heaven.



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# LEAST-REACHED BUDDHIST PEOPLES OF SOUTH ASIA

#### Overview:

Buddhism began in South Asia and has spread throughout Asia and now the world. A daughter of Hinduism and deeply colors by it. Buddhism is a worldwide missionary faith with influence over 1.38 billion people today. Over 250 least-reached Buddhist people groups have their home in South Asia, especially in India, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, and Nepal. Bhutan is the only officially Tibetan Buddhist kingdom on earth. Lumbini, in Nepal, is considered the traditional birthplace of the Buddha, and Sri Lanka prides itself on being the oldest continually Buddhist country on earth. Bihar, in India, is the birthplace of Buddhism, traditionally considered to be the site of Buddha's enlightenment, but Buddhism thinking influences a much wider population. A do-it-yourself religion, Buddhism has great appeal to the West and much of the funding to revitalize Buddhism in Asia comes from this source. The Tibetan form of Buddhism is especially strong. Many Tibetans were expelled from China with their spiritual and political leader, the Dalai Lama. There are still over 35 Tibetan settlements and numerous smaller communities in India where they seek to keep their cultural identity alive while adapting to life in a foreign country. Neo-Buddhists also figure prominently as hundreds of thousands of Dalit and OBC (Other backward castes) of India seek to convert wholesale to Buddhism to escape the oppressive socials evils of the caste system in Hinduism. Pray for God to shine His Light in the hearts of those living in the shadow of Buddha in South Asia and around the world.



## 269 LEAST-REACHED BUDDHIST PEOPLES REMAIN IN SOUTH ASIA!





#### Buddhist Peoples of South Asia Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

With Least-Reached: Total: Least-Reached: % Least-Reached: Total: 471 269 57.1%

Population:

Total: In Least-Reached: % In Least-Reached:

79,327,000 73.2% 58,068,000

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# Bhutan India Bangladesh Sri Lanka Maldives

#### Prayer Points:

DISTINCTIVE:

Pray for the Holy Spirit to reveal that Jesus Christ is The Way, The Truth and The Life, and is the only unique Son of God who has come to bring us Life and that more abundantly. DOORS:

Pray for God to provide divine appointments, open doors of opportunity, God-ordained encounters, and strategic ministry positions for believers among the Buddhist and other people groups of South Asia.

DARING:

Pray for believers to be bold witnesses who preach the Word in season and out of season, building up the hearers and gathering an abundant harvest for God's glory.

DISTANT:

Pray for even the most remote peoples to receive messengers who are equipped to be the hands and feet of Jesus to their community. DISCIPLESHIP:

Pray for solid foundations to be laid in the lives of new believers so that they never turn back from following Jesus and that they grow into the full measure of the stature of Jesus Christ by His power.





# LEAST-REACHED HINDU PEOPLES OF SOUTH ASIA

#### Overview:

Hinduism is a religion that originated on the Indian subcontinent, with its origins in the Vedic civilization and, to a minor degree, in the Indus Valley Civilization. It has no known founder, being itself a conglomerate of diverse beliefs and traditions and is considered by some as the world's oldest extant religion, and has approximately a billion adherents, of whom about 905 million live in India and Nepal, placing it as the world's third largest religion after Christianity and Islam. Other countries with large Hindu populations include Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Indonesia, Malaysia, Fiji, Suriname, Guyana and Trinidad and Tobago. Most forms of Hinduism are henotheistic religions which recognize a single deity, and view other Gods and Goddesses as manifestations or aspects of that supreme God. Until recently, a Hindu nationalistic political party controlled the government of India and linkage of religion, the national government, and nationalism led to an escalation of anti-Christian violence. Dalit and other outcaste groups have sought escape from the oppressive caste system by wholesale conversions to Buddhism, Islam, and Christianity recently. Pray for God to reveal Himself to every one of the 2,285 least-reached Hindu peoples in South Asia.



## 2,285 LEAST-REACHED HINDU PEOPLES REMAIN IN SOUTH ASIA!





#### Hindu Peoples of South Asia Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

Least-Reached: With Least-Reached: % Least-Reached: Total: Total: 96.2%

2,375 2,285

% In Least-Reached:

Total: 1,067,023,000

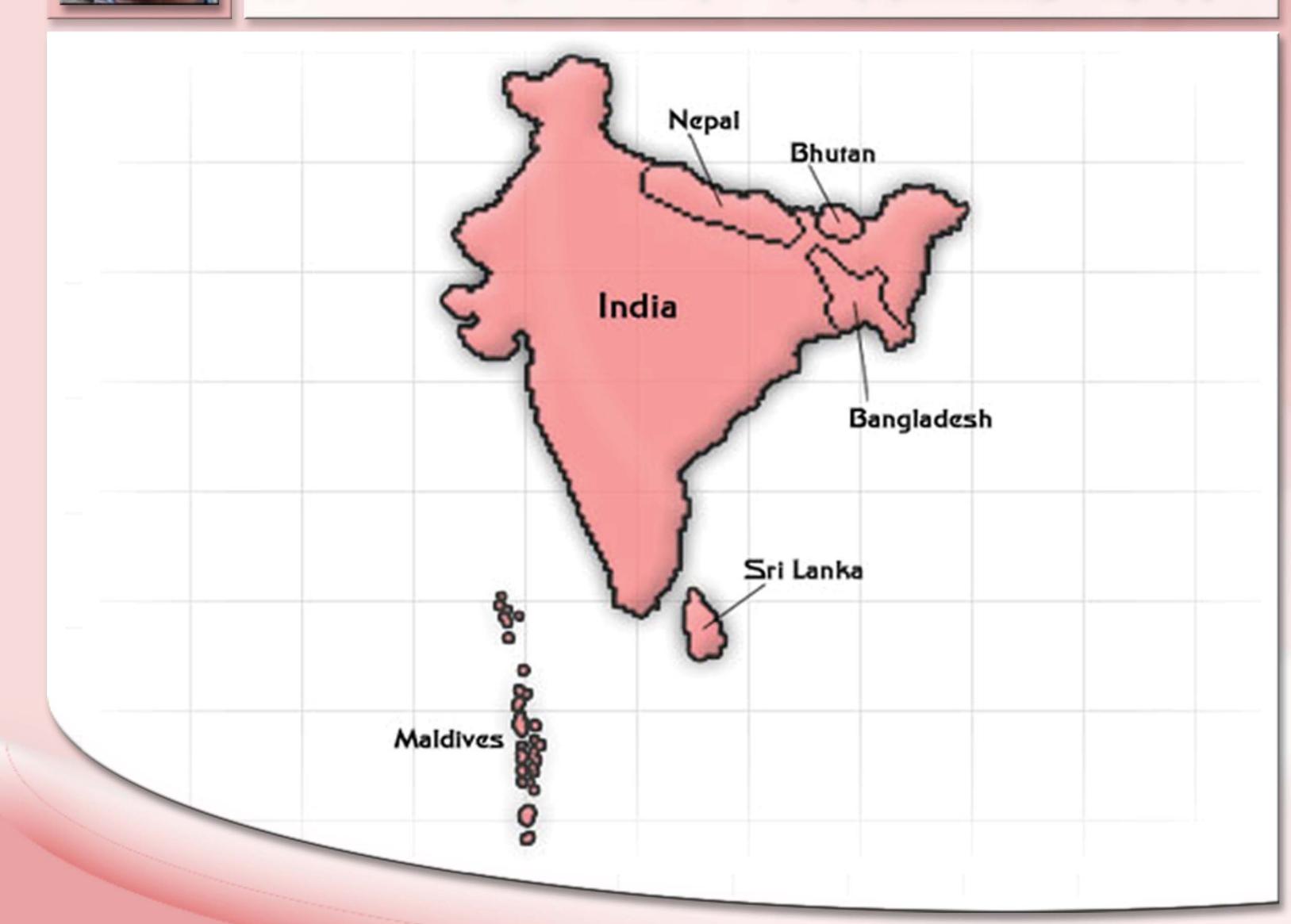
Population:

1,023,716,000

In Least-Reached:

95.9%

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#### Prayer Points:

HARVEST:

Pray for the Captain of Hosts to thrust forth more than enough effective laborers into the ripe harvest among every caste among all Hindu peoples of South Asia.

HIGHWAYS:

Pray for God to prepare the hearts of people in every Hindu group to receive the message of His love and forgiveness; pray He confirms the Word with signs and wonders following. **HOMES:** 

Pray for open homes for the gospel that become houses of worship, healing houses, houses of prayer and home Bible colleges among their own people.

HANDS & FEET:

Pray for every believer to live as the hands and feet of Jesus as they live and work among the Hindus of South Asia day by day; pray for consistent godly witness in their lives.

#### HARMONY:

Pray for true biblical unity among brothers and sisters laboring alongside one another in the complex Hindu societies. Pray for restoration of love and reconciliation where there have been offenses that have brought division.





# LEAST-REACHED MUSLIM PEOPLES OF SOUTH ASIA

#### Overview:

Islam is the world's second largest religion with a following of over one billion people called Muslims representing one-fifth of humanity. The word "Islam" actually means "submission to God;" therefore, "a Muslim is one who strives to submit to God." Islam was founded in 610 A.D. by a man named Mohammed. During Mohammed's time, polytheism reigned. During one of Mohammed's trips as a trader, he had a vision from a being he perceived to be an angel who said, "There is only one God, and His name is Allah. Worship Him." Islam has now spread all across the globe, predominantly in Africa, the Middle East, and Asia. About 60% of Muslims are Asian, 22% are found in the Arab world, 12% in sub-Sahara Africa, and 5% in Europe. 564 least-reached people groups in South Asia are Muslim. Although the two religions share some terminology and even some theology (monotheism, for instance), Islam is fundamentally different from Christianity. Islam is a works-oriented religion, while Christian faith is based on salvation by grace through faith as a result of the shed blood of Christ. The Muslim's holy book is called the Quaran which they believe was dictated to Mohammed by God through the angel Gabriel. Muslims are also told in the Quaran to read three other holy books: the Torah (which are the first five books of the Old Testament), the Zabur (which are the Psalms of David), and the Injeel (the gospel of Christ). God is at work among the Muslim peoples of South Asia and around the world today in amazing ways.



## 564 LEAST-REACHED MUSLIM PEOPLES REMAIN IN SOUTH ASIA!





#### Muslim Peoples of South Asia Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

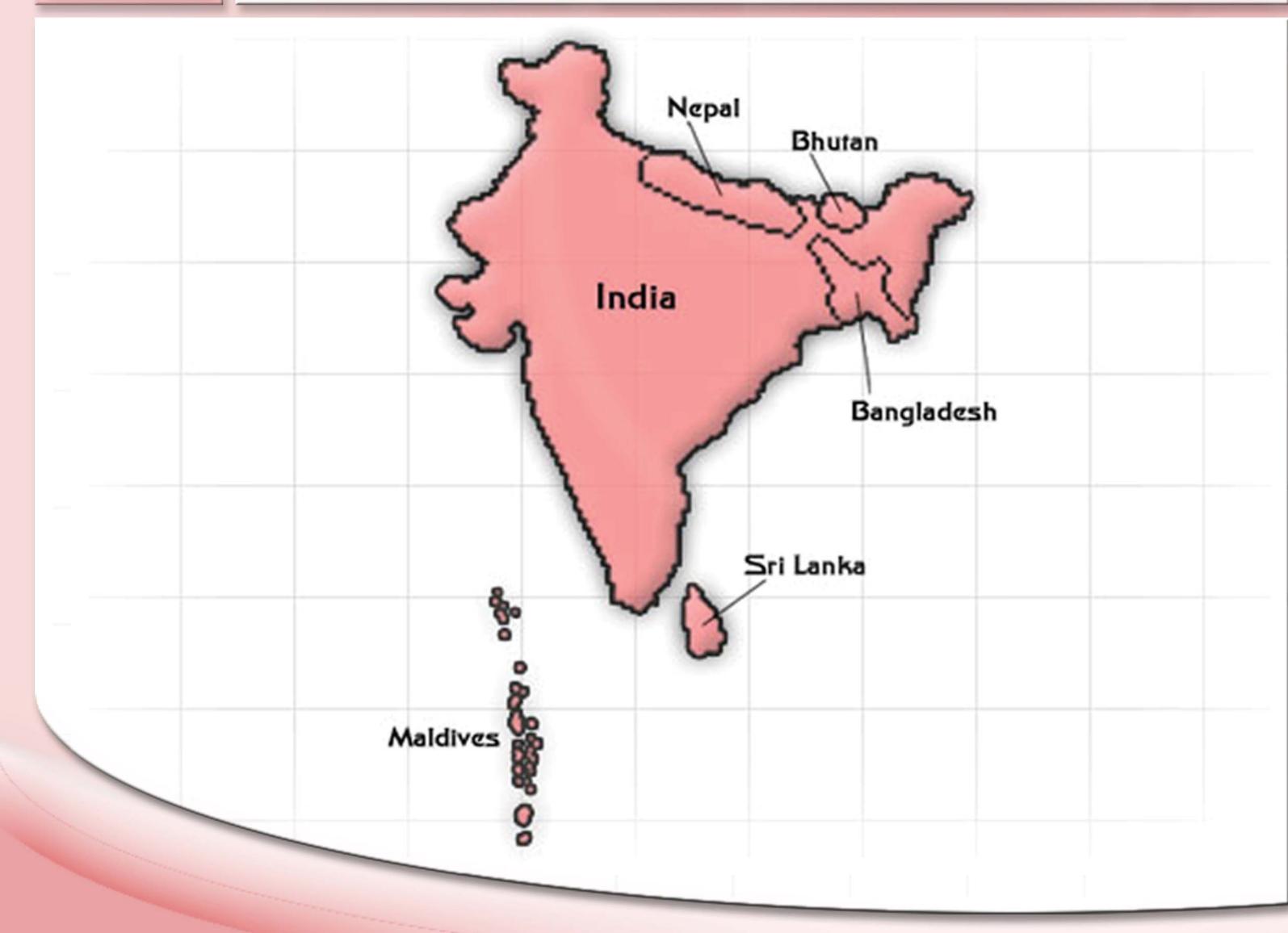
Total: With Least-Reached: Total: Least-Reached: % Least-Reached: 7 566 564 99.6%

Population:

 Total:
 In Least-Reached:
 % In Least-Reached:

 296,047,000
 296,046,000
 100.0%

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#### Prayer Points:

**MESSENGERS**:

Pray for Messengers of the gospel for every Muslim people group, even to the most remote places.

MAJESTY:

Pray for God's love and majesty to be revealed to Muslims peoples throughout South Asia so that they love and serve him with their lives.

MODELS:

Pray that believers living near Muslim peoples live their lives as examples and walk worthy of His call.

**MENTORS**:

Pray for wise mentors who coach workers well, inspiring and encouraging them in an ever-expanding network of loving relationships.

*METHODS:* 

Pray for wise effective methods to be used to share Truth in ways that are clearly understood, received and acted upon by those who are hearing. Pray for protection and encouragement for those who respond.

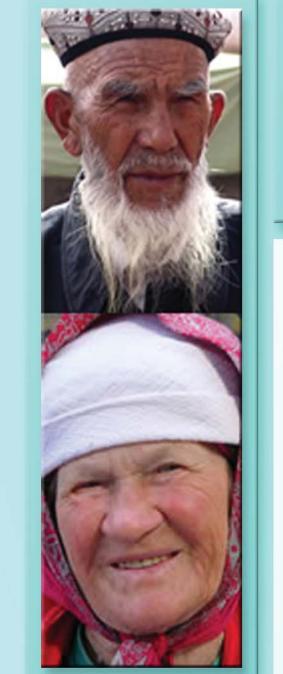




Trade and Islam beat a path through the Silk Roads of the 11 countries of Central Asia, much of which could not be changed by 70 years of Soviet rule. Most of the languages here have been Turkish-based since the early days of Turkey's Ottoman Empire. Most other languages in this region are based on Farsi, the tongue of Persia, Central Asia's other traditional world power. All but two of the countries in this region are over 90% least-reached peoples, with Pakistan by far the largest—150 million people within 468 people groups still least-reached in this country alone. Almost 850 people groups remain with less than 2% evangelical believers and less than 5% adherents to any form of Christianity. The marginally Muslim peoples of the Turkish World are looking for a new identity. Will they make their identity in Christ, or in something much lower?



### 838 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN CENTRAL ASIA!





#### Central Asia Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

With Least-Reached: Total: Total: Least-Reached: % Least-Reached: 838 82.7%

1,013

Population:

Total: % in Least-Reached: In Least-Reached:

436,062,000 423,394,000 97.1%

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# Uzbekistan Turkmenistan Kazakhstan Azerbaijan Armenia Kyrgyzstan Turkey Tajikistan Afghanistan Iran

#### Prayer Points:

DREAMS & VISIONS:

God would speak to individuals through dreams and visions so that their hearts are prepared and receptive to God. GOSPEL LITERATURE:

Literature presenting the Truth of Jesus in the heart language and in a way that can be understood would become available to every one of the 838 least-reached peoples in Central Asia. HEALING FROM PHYSICAL & EMOTIONAL ILLNESSES:

That God would confirm His Word with signs and wonders following, delivering seekers from addictions, depression, and emotional and physical sicknesses as a demonstration that Jesus is the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

GOD OF ALL PEOPLES:

For God to change the idea that to become a Christian means I lose my cultural identity and to reveal that He has come to us as Emmanuel, God with Us, so that He even speaks our language and answers our hearts' cries.

PRAYER EVANGELISM:

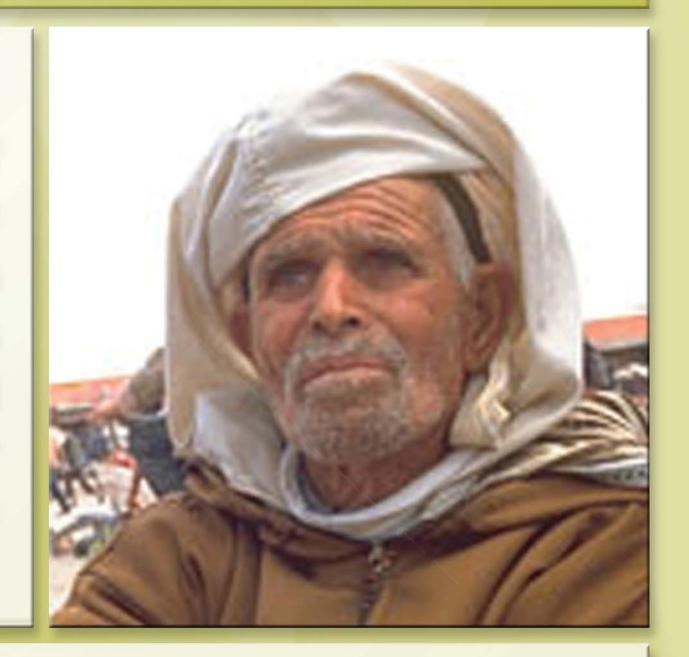
That God draws every new believer into intimate relationship with Himself, teaching them to pray and intercede for the other around them who do not yet know Him, so that they also come to know Jesus.



# MetaCamp MIDDLE EAST & NORTH AFRICA

#### Overview:

Half the 19 countries in the Middle East/North Africa still have over 90% of their population least-reached in over 360 people groups. Christ was born in this region, but he is honored as a prophet, not as Lord by the Sunni Muslims who are the majority here. Arabs and Bedouins make up the bulk of the population, though Berbers are more prominent as one moves further west in North Africa. Israel has the largest number of least-reached peoples per country—41 people groups! Israel wavers between Orthodox and a secular forms of Judaism, while Messianic Jews try to influence God's chosen people. Will the King of Kings be honored in the land of His birth as the savior that He really is?



#### 391 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN MIDDLE EAST & NORTH AFRICA!





#### Middle East & North Africa Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

Total:With Least-Reached:Total:Least-Reached:% Least-Reached:191957839167.6

Population:

Total: In Least-Reached: % in Least-Reached:

320,343,000 215,858,000 67.4%

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#### Syria Jordan Lebanon Tunisia Iraq Israel Palestine Morocco Kuwait Bahrain Qatar Algeria Libya **€**gypt Saudi Arabia Western Sahara Yemen. Oman United Arab Emirates

#### Prayer Points:

HEART HUNGER:

Pray for real heart hunger in every individual throughout these Least-Reached Peoples, that they would long to know the Truth and be set free; pray they find true freedom in Jesus.

RECONCILIATION:

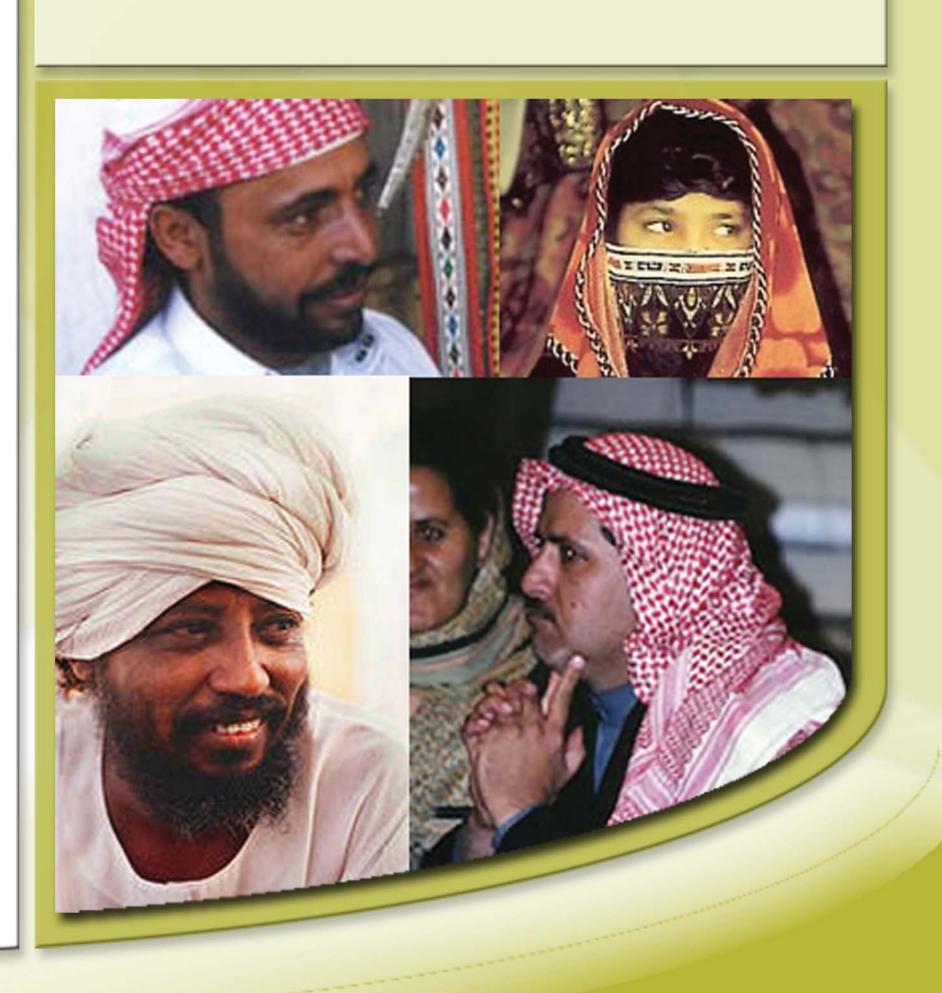
Hundreds of years of offense and strife have engendered bitter hostility between Christians, Jews, and Arabs. Pray for God to soften the hearts of these, to heal the hurts, and to break down every dividing wall-- making them One New Man in Jesus Christ. CREATIVE ACCESS:

Ask God to make a way where there seems to be no way to share His love and truth with those held in restricted access environments.

MODELS:

Just as Jesus became flesh and dwelt among us so that we could know God, pray for believers who are willing to live incarnational lives among these groups, no matter what the challenges may be. STUDENTS:

Young people are often seeking answers for deep questions of life. Pray that God directs them to those who can give them the Answer.

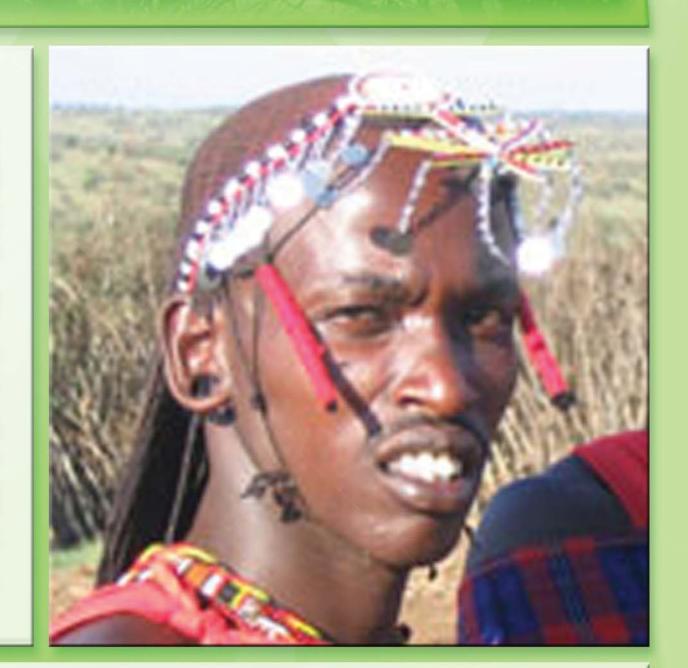




# Meta Camp EAST & SOUTH AFRICA

Overview:

The 27 countries in eastern and southern Africa are already fairly well evangelized, but there are more than 330 remaining least-reached peoples especially in the Horn of Africa and among the Hindu and Muslim immigrant groups in East Africa. Ethiopia has over 18 million people among its 32 least-reached peoples, representing 21.2% of its population. Sudan has over 19 million people in 133 least-reached groups, representing 57.5% of its population. However, nations like Comoros, Somalia, Djibouti, and Mayotte have over 90% of their population in least-reached groups! Much work remains! The peaceful ending of apartheid in South Africa and the translation to multi-racial democratic government was considered impossible but the miracle occurred in answer to fervent prayer by millions of Christians in South Africa and beyond. In the past few years, a new movement aiming to globalize prayer has sprung up from this area beginning in Transformation Africa and now Global Day globalize prayer has sprung up from this area beginning in Transformation Africa and now Global Day of Prayer annually beginning with a ten-day time of prayer and fasting each year on Ascension Day and culmination with the Global Day of Prayer on the Day of Pentecost. In 2010, over 220 nations participated. Pray with believers around the world that the gospel would penetrate to every tongue, tribe, and nation in this region!



#### 333 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN EAST & SOUTH AFRICA!

25.4%





#### East & South Africa Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries:

Peoples by Country: With Least-Reached: Total: Least-Reached: % Least-Reached: Total:

Population:

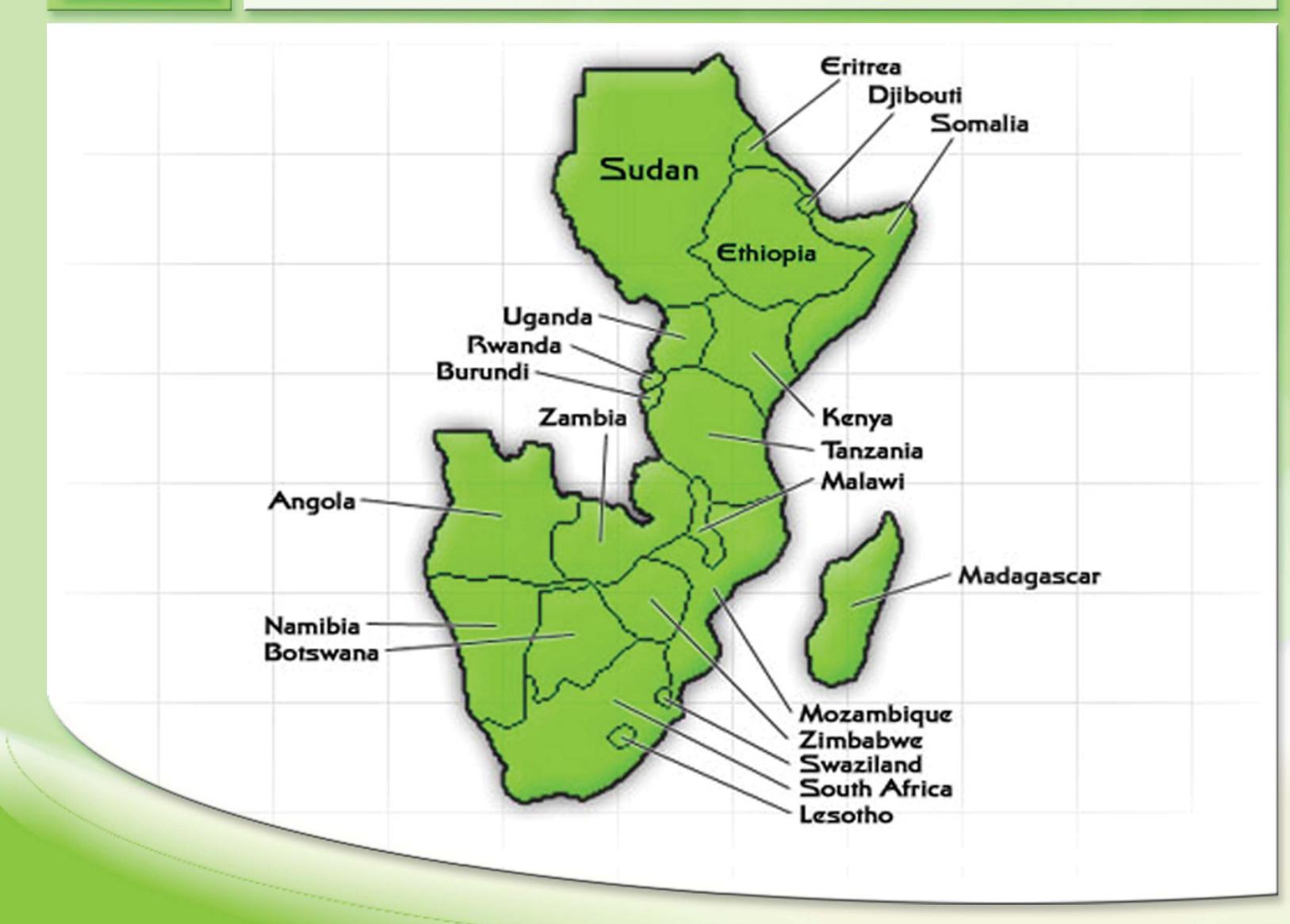
Total: In Least-Reached: % in Least-Reached:

464,493,000 61,595,000 13.3%

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1,312

333



#### **Prayer Points:**

TRANSFORMATION:

Ask God to transform every Least-Reached People into life givers rather than life takers by His power and love.

LIVING SACRIFICES:

Ask the Lord of the Harvest to thrust forth many laborers who offer their lives daily as living sacrifices, so that whether by life of by death, the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ is glorified among every Least-Reached People.

BRIDGES FOR THE GOSPEL:

Request that God impart divine revelation of redemptive bridges for the gospel, in order to effectively present His truth and good news. FORGIVENESS:

Seek God to impart the ability to forgive enemies, to overcome evil with good, and to bless those that persecute as believers try to share the gospel with Least-Reached Peoples.

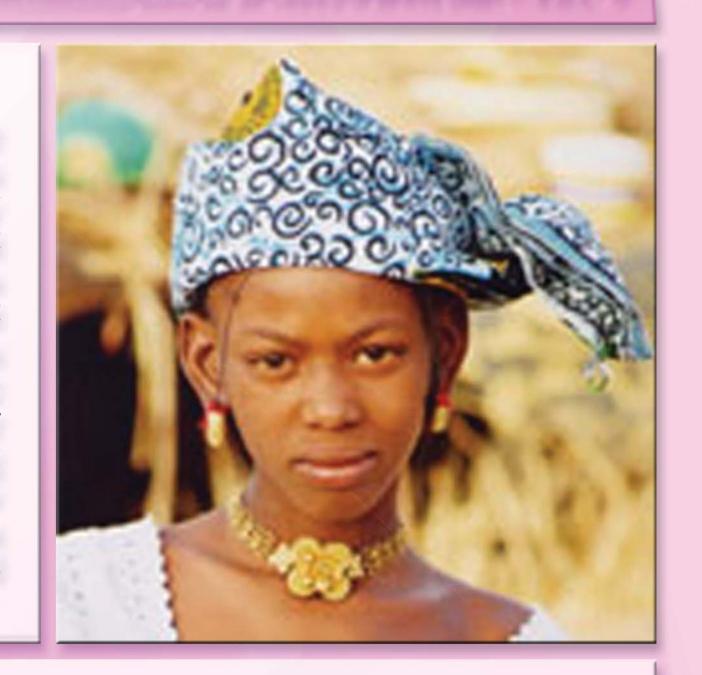
ENDURANCE:

Plead with God for workers with such endurnce that they never give up, moved by the great compelling of God to reach even the most remote and difficult Least-Reached People groups such as the nomadic Bunna.





West and Central Africa embraces 24 countries with more than 500 least-reached people groups remaining. The countries of Senegal, Mali, Guinea, Gambia, Mauritania, and Niger lead the wat with over 80% of their populations least-reached. Still, in terms of number of people, Nigeria has over 56 million people least-reached, although they represent only 33.8% of the total population of that nation. Islam had already reached the powerful tribes of West Africa long before the French colonized much of the region during the 19th century. For many centuries, Islam was the religion of the chiefs and elite since Arabs were primarily interested in profiting from the slave trade and not interested in making converts. When slavery was forbidden by the colonial powers, Islam spread faster in 50 years than it had in the previous eight centuries. Yet, Islam here is only the 5 pillars of Islam on top of their animistic traditional religions and animistic practices are particularly diverse. Here you will find voodoo, fetishes, ancestor worship, and idolatry. The church has grown rapidly especially in places like Nigeria which is now also a sending base for missionaries to other continents, but a great challenge remains every in their midst. AIDS in Africa now overshadows the future of the entire continent and added to that, the specter of poverty looms large over much of this region. Pray that God empowers our brothers and sisters in this region to rise to the challenge with good news and good works leading to transformations.



#### 527 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN WEST & CENTRAL AFRICA!





#### West & Central Africa Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

Total: With Least-Reached: Total: Least-Reached: % Least-Reached:

24 2,219 527 23.7%

Population:

Total: In Least-Reached: % in Least-Reached:

435,366,000 138,543,000 31.8%

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#### Mauritania Burkina Senegal Gambia Mali Niger Guinea-Bissau Chad Central African Republic Guinea Nigeria Sierra Leone Liberia Cote d'Ivoire Ghana Togo Zaire Benin Cameroon Equatorial Guinea Gabon Congo

#### Prayer Points:

MIRACLES OF HEALING & DELIVERANCE:

Pray that miracles of healing and deliverance even for those battling HIV/AIDS would open doors for faith among the more than 500 Least-Reached Peoples of West and Central Africa.

POWER OVER THE DEMONIC ACTIVITY:

Pray that believers walk in the Holy Spirit's power over all demonic depression, oppression, and attact of every sort, demonstrating that Jesus is truly King of kings and Lord of lords on earth and in heaven. ONCE FOR ALL SACRIFICE:

Pray that Least-Reached Peoples recognize that Jesus is the Lamb of God, the once-for-all sacrifice that forgives all our iniquities and heals all our diseases and that they apply this finished provision to their lives. BINDING OF ALL BACKLASH OF THE ENEMY:

Pray that believers apply their authority in Jesus Christ to bind all backlashes of the enemy as they work to penetrate the strongholds of darkness to deliver the captives and see them transferred to the Kingdom of Light of God's Dear Son Jesus.

#### BREAKING GENERATIONAL CURESES:

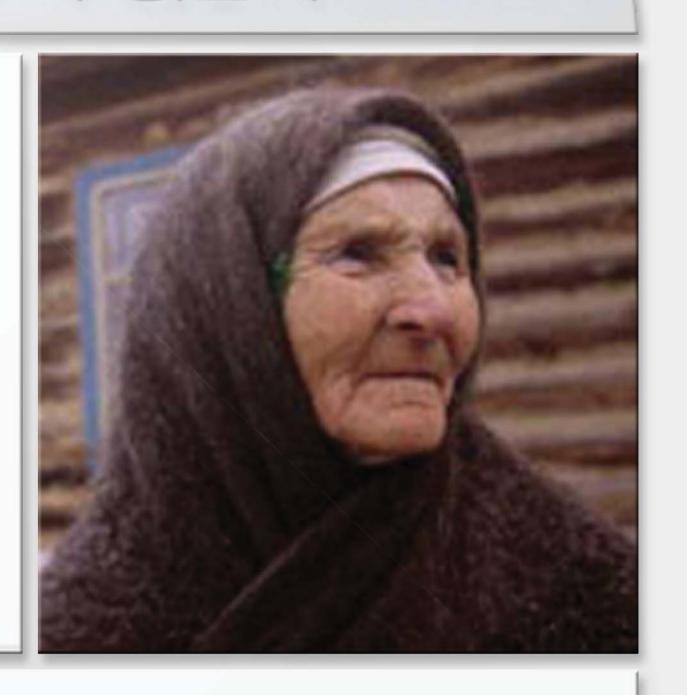
Pray that generational curses that have come as a result of idolatry, immorality, injustice, and independence from God will be broken and believers walk in the true freedom of Jesus Christ as a testimony to those who do not yet believe.



# Meta Camp EAST EUROPE & EURASIA

#### Overview:

Eastern Europe and Eurasia are comprised of 20 countries with 258 least-reached peoples remaining among them. Kosovo leads with 90.7% of their population, almost 1.6 million people remaining least-reached. However, in sheer numbers, Russia exceeds them with over 13 million least-reached people in 89 different people groups. A decade of a measure of democracy associated with greed, crime, self-seeking politicians, a pervasive mafia and degeneration of the quality of life caused many in Russia to hanker after the authoritarian certainties of Communist dictatorship. The long-term disastrous distortions of Marxist economies in Eastern Europe adversely affected national infrastructures, ecology and the work ethic of the people. The dominant realities of the 1990's have been the gradual recovery of most former Communist states and the strengthening and planned expansion of the EU from 13 original members to most nations in Europe. Ethnocentrism and religion have become important and major causes for political confrontations since 1990. The church overall in Eastern Europe and Eurasia is small and struggling but there are rays of hope in places like Ukraine. Pray that the spirit of prayer will sweep through the church and revive it. Pray for laborers for this volatile environment that is ripe for the good news.



#### 258 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN EAST EUROPE & EURASIA!





#### East Europe & Eurasia Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

Total: With Least-Reached: Total: Least-Reached: % Least-Reached: 20 258 30.7%

Population:

Total: In Least-Reached: % in Least-Reached:

346,468,000 20,507,000 5.9%

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#### Prayer Points:

DELIVERANCE FROM ADDICTIONS:

Pray God sets the captives free from bondages of addictions, such as alcohol and drug abuse, sexual addiction, pornography, and gambling in order that they may be lights in the world, examples of God's grace and goodness in Jesus.

HOUND OF HEAVEN:

Pray the Holy Spirit searches for the lost of the remaining 258 Least-Reached Peoples relentlessly and demonstrates to them God's goodness that leads them to repentance.

OVERCOME EVIL WITH GOOD:

Pray that God shows believers how to overcome evil such as greed, crime, self-seeking, organized crime, and degeneration with His goodness and love that His kingdom may rapidly grow.

ALL THINGS TO ALL MEN:

Pray that the Church understands Paul's command to become all things to all men that they might win some in order to bring the gospel in a way that can be understood and accepted.

INVISIBLE MEANS OF SUPPORT:

Pray for God to pour out His heavenly provision though those whose hearts are completely His so that He supplies and multiples all resources needed for reaching those who have not yet heard the good news.





The 28 countries of Western Europe are going through a period of unprecedented peace but, with political and economic integration, there is also ethnic fragmentation. Many of Europe's great cities today hold in their straining arms a multitude of cultures and languages, coming drawn by education and opportunities or fleeing from war, famine, economic deprivation, and sometimes horrifying situations. 208 least-reached people groups live here. From tiny Cyprus with 23% of its population least-reached to France, Western Europe's greatest challenge in terms of the gospel, with a population of over 6 million least-reached people in 32 different people groups. Now is the time for bringing the gospel to those searching for answers in Western Europe.



#### 208 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN WEST EUROPE!





#### West Europe Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

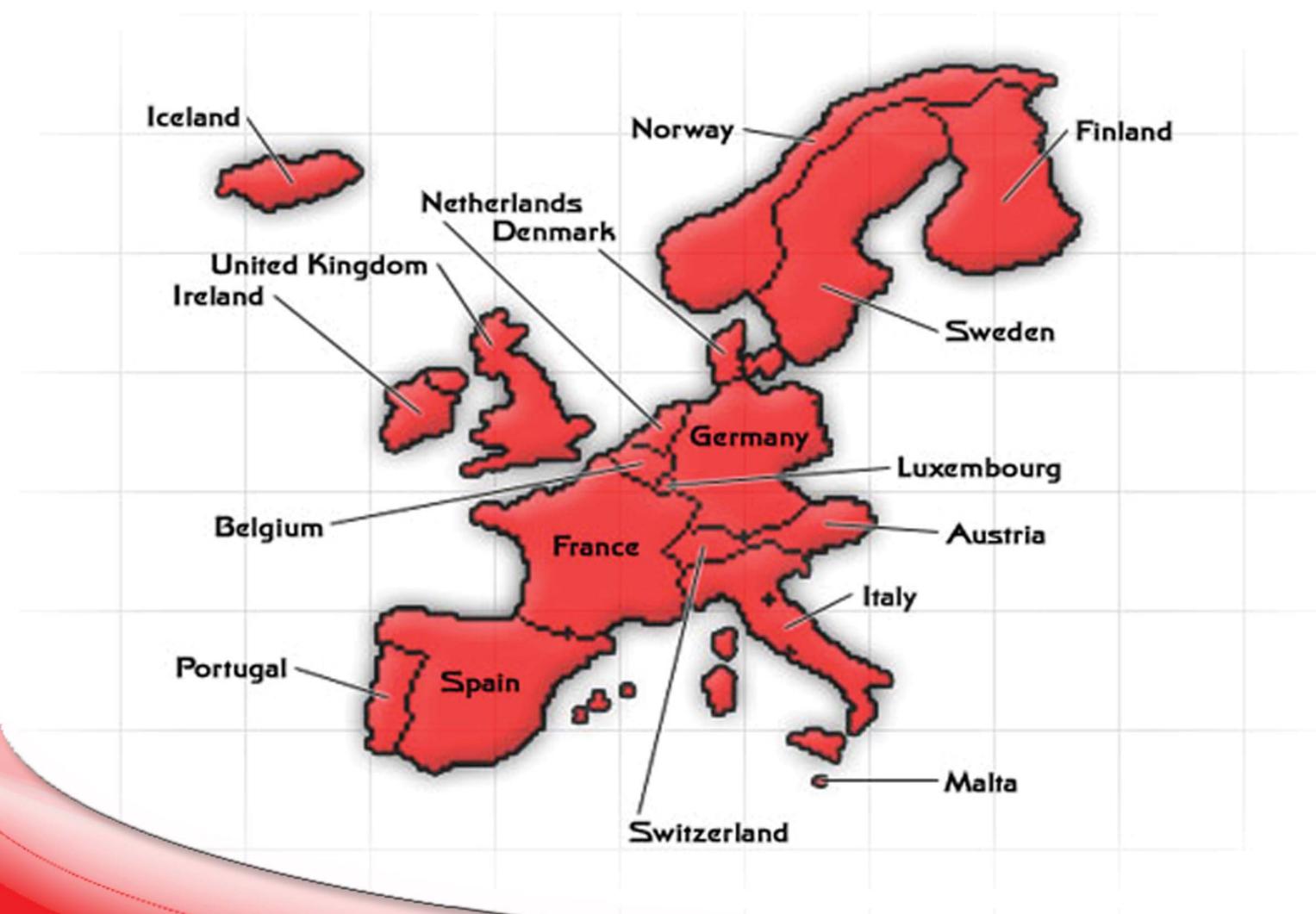
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Population:

Total: In Least-Reached: % in Least-Reached:

415,445,000 22,204,000 5.3%

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#### Prayer Points:

FINDING THE FATHER:

People groups and people are far from the Lord for many reasons. Pray that they will turn their hearts to their creator who can give them Eternal life and will find the Father who seeks them continually.

FIRMNESS OF FAITH:

Pray for new believers to grow strong in their faith in the Lord and pray for those translating scriptures into languages needed for the remaining Least Reached Groups.

FEARLESS WITNESSES:

Pray for more and more fruit that remains from every least-reached people group. Pray for those new believers to be fearless witnesses who will reach out to them and give a true testimony of the Lord to them. FRUIT THAT REMAINS:

Pray that those who have heard the Word and are now far away will come back to the Lord and come to know Him fully, and for wisdom and clarity for those sharing the Gospel among the Fulani and others of these 234 groups.

FULLNESS OF LIFE:

Pray for good health for the least-reached peoples as they often die at an early age due to malnourishment and sickness in their homeland; pray also for those ministering to their physical needs and for all these ethnic groups in Western Europe to find that fullness of life Jesus offers them.





# LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES OF AMERICAS & CARIBBEAN

#### Overview:

"God, gold and glory" was the rallying cry of the Spaniards who went to the New World but God was the motivator for many Jesuit missionaries, and that put them in conflict with those who came to take the gold and enslave those who needed God. The divinely-ordered convergence in Latin America of greater freedom of religion, more open and accountable democracy, a series of military, natural and economic disasters which loosened the hold of traditional structures enabled many to come to Christ. Today there has been a rapid growth and maturation of missions vision which has sparked numerous initiatives to the unreached in this region and beyond. Communities from every ethnic group in Europe have settled in the Americas. It is possibly the area with the least religious discrimination and has been the world's largest sending base for missionaries though that is now rapidly changing. Students, immigrant communities, and indigenous peoples remain a challenge for the gospel in this world's wealthiest continent and the economic engine on which the world's economy depends for growth. Yet the Body of Christ in the Americas and the Caribbean needs re-energizing to come alongside the rapidly emerging harvest forces from China, Russia, Latin America, India, Africa and other parts of the world. Pray for God to move among believers here and impart fresh vision for peoples joining together to glorify God among all peoples.



#### 243 LEAST-REACHED PEOPLES REMAIN IN THE AMERICAS & CARIBBEAN REGIONS!





#### Americas & Caribbean Least-Reached Peoples Information Summary:

Countries: Peoples by Country:

Total: With Least-Reached: Total: Least-Reached: % Least-Reached: 51 38 2,375 243 10.2%

Population:

Total: In Least-Reached: % in Least-Reached:

967,326,000 13,255,000 1.4%

For extended or more information visit: http://www.joshuaproject.net/ethne\_globalregion.php



#### Prayer Points:

KINGS, LEADERS, & ALL THOSE IN AUTHORITY:

Pray for God to place righteous leaders in power that rule justly and that God gives favor to believers trying to minister, that they may live quiet lives in all godliness and see His kingdom coming on earth. (1 Timothy 2:1-2) COOPERATION NOT COMPETITION:

Request that God removes competition and imparts a sense of cooperation to every believer, that we join hands with Him and one another to complete the task of reaching every "no-choice people". "The man who plants and the man who waters have one purpose, and each will be rewarded according to his own labor. For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, God's building." 1 Corinthians 3:8-9

TURNING OBSTACLES TO OPPORTUNITIES:

Pray that God causes believers to value all the redemptive gifts in every culture and that He gives them the ability to respond to challenges with His grace and love so as to share the least-reached people groups in this region.

SEEKERS TO FIND:

Pray for those who have migrated to North America and the Caribbean as students, overseas workers, immigrants and refugees seeking education, opportunity or fleeing war, famine, or economic deprivation to find Jesus as their Resource, Refuge, Teacher, and Friend.

TURNING THE HEARTS OF THE FATHERS TO THE CHILDREN:

Pray for God to supernaturally cause the hearts of the older generation to understand and appreciate the gifts in the younger generation and for this emerging generation to value and esteem their elders, that families would be God-honoring examples of the Kingdom of God on earth.

