## Southern Bai in China



he Bai scarcely qualify as an ethnic minority. Some Bai people deny that they are Han Chinese, and their ethnic label was unknown to them until 1958, according to Operation China. They aren't fully Chinese either. They are known for their use of white marble.

## **Ministry Obstacles**

The Bai are followers of Mahayana Buddhism. Most Bai have yet to receive an intelligible gospel witness in their Minchia language.

## **Outreach Ideas**

The Bai people need the gospel presented in their own language. Christian believers can take them Bible portions. They would especially be interested in hearing of Christ's power over unclean spirits, which torment them regularly.

## **Prayer Focus**

There are few Bai believers. Pray for those believers to build Christian community and to lock arms in unity for the harvesting of the fields. Pray the Bai would see they do not have to live in slavery to spirits if they put their trust in Jesus Christ. Pray for the



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LANGUAGE: Bai, Southern
RELIGION: Buddhism
BIBLE: Portions
STATUS: Unreached

Lord to intervene in their families, calling people to his side and blessing them abundantly. Pray for their hearts to be drawn to the Lord of lords. Pray for a church planting movement to thrive in their communities.

**SCRIPTURE** The earth is the LORD's and the fullness thereof, the world and those who dwell therein, Psalm 24:1

**PRAY** that many from today's people group will recognize that they belong to the Lord, and they can rejoice in that fact!