Bandoumu in Gabon



Like most of their neighbors, the Bandoumu are either farmers or livestock herders. They maintain an ethnic religion that is deeply rooted in their cultural identity. To change from this religion to another is tantamount to a betrayal of one's people.

Ministry Obstacles

The Bandoumu do not have decent roads leading to their communities, which makes access to them more difficult. There are also few resources in their language, but Bible translation is in process.

Outreach Ideas

It is not uncommon for threads of the gospel to run through indigenous and local religions. In the same way that Jesus came as a fulfillment, not as an end of Judaism, it may be possible to pull back the curtain for the Bandoumu and show them the spiritual truths behind their traditions that can lead them to biblical truths.

Prayer Focus

Pray for Bandoumu believers to obey the teachings of the Bible and



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POPULATION: 5,600

LANGUAGE: Ndumu

RELIGION: Ethnic Religions

BIBLE: Translation needed

STATUS: Unreached

take the ways of Christ to others. Pray for the economic and infrastructural needs of the Bandoumu, especially easy access to potable water. Pray for indigenous missionaries to have a burden for their Bandoumu neighbors.

SCRIPTURE For I know that the LORD is great, and that our Lord is above all gods. Psalm 135:5, ESV

PRAY that they will understand that there is no god as great as God, the one who gives us all we need.

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