

Hani in Vietnam



How do you grow rice if you live in the mountains? The answer is to build terraces or flat plots of land along the slopes. This has been the practice of the Hani people of northern Vietnam for hundreds of years. In addition, the Hani raise cattle. They practice folk religion and believe that spirits inhabit objects of nature. Hani people believe the spirits must be appeased by prayers, rituals, and offerings, or they can bring disaster upon the people.

Ministry Obstacles

The Hani are animists; they believe in many gods. They also venerate their ancestors. The Vietnamese government will not allow foreign missionaries to enter the Hani areas.

Outreach Ideas

Believers can go to the Hani with the power of the Lord to overcome dark spiritual forces. Medical teams can bring the Hani modern medicine.

Prayer Focus

Pray that the tiny group of Hani believers would grow strong in the faith. Pray that the Lord would provide Bibles and Christian resources for them. Pray that each



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POPULATION: 26,000

LANGUAGE: Hani

RELIGION: Ethnic Religions

BIBLE: Portions

STATUS: Unreached

Hani village would have the opportunity to hear the saving message of Christ. Ask the Lord to send workers to the Hani. Ask the Lord to raise up a growing church in each Hani village in this decade.

SCRIPTURE The LORD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise him, my father's God, and I will exalt him. Exodus 15:2

PRAY that members of today's people group will look to the Lord alone for strength and victory.