## Luwathiya in Oman



he Luwathiya are the largest Shia Muslim group. Originally from Iran, they migrated to India, then to Oman. Their language is similar to Farsi. Many of the Luwathiya are wealthy and live in or near the capital of Muscat.

## Obstacles

Islam is the state religion of Oman, and Sharia Law is the basis of legislation. Few know a practicing Christian. All they know of Christianity is what they hear on the news and what they see in movies.

## **Outreach Ideas**

The Bible has not been translated into Luwati. Providing God's word in their heart language could be a key to reaching the Luwathiya and starting a church planting movement.

## **Prayer Focus**

Pray for translators to complete a Luwati Bible. Ask the Lord to prepare the hearts of the Luwathiya people to receive his word. Pray for members of this people group to



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POPULATION: 40,000
LANGUAGE: Luwati
RELIGION: Islam

**BIBLE: Translation Needed** 

STATUS: Unreached

encounter God through internet evangelism. Pray for the Lord to move among the Luwathiya and establish his kingdom.

**SCRIPTURE** But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. Jas. 1:22

**PRAY** for the believers in this people group to become not merely hearers but doers of God's word.

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