Sikh Punjabi in Canada



The Punjabi people are from the Punjab, straddling the border between India and Pakistan. This region has been host to some of the oldest civilizations in the world, including the Indus Valley civilization. There are a number of Punjabi emigrant communities scattered around the world, including Canada. They are traditionally Hindu, Muslim or Sikh. Most of those in Canada are Sikh, and they are well-established in that country.

Ministry Obstacles

The fact that Punjabis might be part of any one of three major religious traditions confuses their spiritual direction.

Outreach Ideas

Christian believers can reach out to the Punjabi Sikhs using their forms of music, with songs that tell of the life of Christ.

Prayer Focus

There are believers among the Punjabi of Canada. Pray these believers will live lives that honor the Lord, being united in love around



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POPULATION: 284,000

LANGUAGE: Punjabi, Eastern
RELIGION: Other / Small
BIBLE: Complete
STATUS: Unreached

truth. Pray that will be salt and light to other Punjabis. Pray the Punjabi will increasingly hunger for forgiveness of their sins, found only through the finished work of Christ. Pray for a movement to Jesus to multiply among Punjabi families and communities.

SCRIPTURE For I am ready to fall, and my pain is ever before me. I confess my iniquity; I am sorry for my sin. Ps 38:17-18

PRAY that this people group finds peace and salvation when they confess their sins to the Lord.