Hijazi Arab in Saudi Arabia



A rabia once had a large Christian population, but they were expelled when Islam gained control 1,300 years ago. Today, Saudi Arabs see themselves as preservers of the Islamic faith. The Hijazi Arabs speak one of the variants of the Arabic language.

Ministry Obstacles

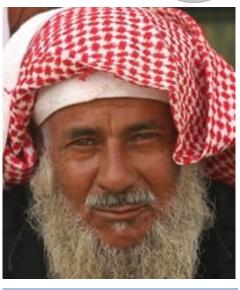
Any overt expression of the Christian faith is likely to bring a severely negative response. The Saudi government does all it can to keep people from straying from Islam.

Outreach Ideas

It will take Christ-bearers with special skills and the willingness to go where they aren't wanted or accepted.

Prayer Focus

Pray for the protection and growth of the few believers among the Hijazi of Saudi Arabia. Pray for the Lord to give them courage, wisdom, unconditional love, and the willingness to share the savior with their Muslim family members and friends. Pray that the religious zeal of the Hijazi Arabs will soon be



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POPULATION: 10,955,000

LANGUAGE: Arabic, Hijazi Spoken

RELIGION: Islam

BIBLE: Unspecified STATUS: Unreached

redirected toward serving Jesus Christ. Pray for the Lord to establish his Church among them. Pray for the Lord to send dreams and visions to Hijazi Arab elders, so they will be ready to accept Christ on his terms.

SCRIPTURE To open their eyes, so that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in me. (Acts 26:18)

PRAY for God to send spiritual light and truth to this people group.

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