

Ajuran Somali in Kenya



The Ajuran Somali living in northeastern Kenya have their roots in the Muslim Ajuran dynasty in Somalia. The Ajurans ruled over much of the Horn of Africa in the Middle Ages. Many of the ruined fortifications dotting the landscapes date to the Ajuran sultanate's engineers. During the Ajuran period, many peoples in the southern part of the Horn of Africa converted to Islam.

Ministry Obstacles

Opposition to Christians can be strong in parts of northern Kenya, where Muslims are in the majority. Overt Christian testimony can be dangerous.

Outreach Ideas

Pray for those workers presently reaching out to the Ajurans of Kenya. Pray the Lord would give them encouragement and wisdom.

Prayer Focus

There may be a few followers of Jesus among the Ajurans. They very much need prayer support. Pray they would not waver in their commitment to Christ. Pray that influential people within the Ajuran tribe, such as the



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POPULATION: 243,000

LANGUAGE: Somali

RELIGION: Islam

BIBLE: Complete

STATUS: Unreached

imams, would be given a growing interest in Jesus (whom Muslims call Isa al-Masih). Perhaps he will reveal himself to some in a vision or dream.

SCRIPTURE And it shall come to pass, if they will diligently learn the ways of my people, to swear by my name, 'As the LORD lives,' even as they taught my people to swear by Baal, then they shall be built up in the midst of my people. - Jeremiah 12:16

PRAY for today's people to become well established in their devotion to the Lord alone.