## Yakkha in Nepal



The Yakkha are a tribal group of Mongolian descent living in nearly 600 villages throughout the mountains of eastern Nepal. The Yakkha subsist primarily as mountain farmers, but the men do have a tradition of migrating to the cities for work. The economy is weak due to their poor agricultural system. The abundance of available land has made cultivation of new lands possible, but inadequate technology limits the productivity of Yakkha farms.

## **Ministry Obstacles**

The government of Nepal is opposed to any form of proselytizing, but there are even more problems from family members than from the government.

## **Outreach Ideas**

The New Testament exists in Yakkha, as well as the JESUS Film and audio materials. Who will distribute them?

## **Prayer Focus**

Ask the Lord to strengthen the few Yakkha believers and use them to



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POPULATION: 27,000
LANGUAGE: Yakkha

**RELIGION: Other / Small** 

BIBLE: Portions
STATUS: Unreached

spread Christ's blessings to their families. Ask the Lord of the harvest to send forth laborers to work among the Yakkha and help them begin their own movement to Christ.

**SCRIPTURE** On the glorious splendor of your majesty, and on your wondrous works, I will meditate. Psalm 145:5, ESV

**PRAY** Meditate on his goodness and splendor! Pray that many from today's people group will do so as well.

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