

Kaibartta in Bangladesh



The Kaibartta's primary occupation has been that of fishermen since their earliest days, but they are losing their fishing rights to high caste members. The Kaibartta currently live in India and Bangladesh, and the primary languages of the Kaibartta vary in accordance with their geographic locations. From a cultural standpoint, the Kaibartta are a despised people. The Kaibartta women do not participate in political or religious activities while elderly men make judicial decisions in their communities. Underneath the veneer of Hinduism, the Kaibartta believe in the existence of spirits and therefore, are rightly considered by some to be animists. Kaibartta enjoy festive dances.

Ministry Obstacles

The Kaibartta are extremely patriarchal, so it is often men making the spiritual decisions. Therefore, women missionaries could find it challenging to engage.

Outreach Ideas

Male missionaries can help cultivate the fishing communities while female missionaries can help the women to understand the ways of Jesus.



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POPULATION: 251,000

LANGUAGE: Bengali

RELIGION: Hinduism

BIBLE: Complete

STATUS: Unreached

Prayer Focus

Pray that God frees them from the slavery to the spirit world and guides them to himself. Pray that God relieves them of injustice from higher castes. Pray for them to have the spiritual discernment and desire to seek and find Christ.

SCRIPTURE Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!

According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, (1 Peter 1:3)

PRAY *that many among this people are born again and become part of God's family.*