Rangrez (Muslim) in Bangladesh



angrez means dyer in Persian.
Rangrez people traditionally dye cloth. They were originally
Hindus worshiping many gods, but
Muslim missionaries converted this people group to Islam many centuries ago. They maintain a low to middle caste status wherever they live in
South Asia. Most Rangrez people live in India's northcentral states and
Pakistan's Punjab Province, but some live in Bangladesh.

Ministry Obstacles

The Rangrez people in Bangladesh face tremendous social pressure to not turn to another belief system.

Outreach Ideas

Rangrez people live where there are very few followers of Lord Jesus Christ. They have contact only with other Muslims and some Hindus in Bangladesh. Christian businessmen could find a way to purchase Rangrezmade goods for the world market. This effort would give them regular contact with this spiritually needy Muslim community in Bangladesh. The entire Bible has been translated into Bengali, their spoken language. Audio and visual resources also exist for their benefit. Perhaps they can view the JESUS Film in homes and outreached areas.



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POPULATION: 10,000

LANGUAGE: Bengali

RELIGION: Islam

BIBLE: Complete

STATUS: Unreached

Prayer Focus

Pray that Almighty God will give Rangrez leaders dreams and visions leading them to opening their community to salvation through Christ alone. Pray for the Holy Spirit to give Rangrez leaders a hunger and thirst for true righteousness that will lead them to Jesus Christ.

SCRIPTURE The Mighty One, God the LORD, speaks and summons the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting. Psalm 50:1

PRAY that today's people group will respond to God's summons to come to Him!