

Hbrogpa Amdo in China



H brogpa, Tibetan for "nomad," or "herder," is the largest of the four main Amdo languages. Most Amdo herd sheep, yaks, and goats. Horrendous clashes with the Chinese have resulted in massive loss of life. The Dalai Lama listed 49,049 deaths from battles within the Amdo regions before 1983, in addition to 121,982 deaths from starvation.

Ministry Obstacles

It is difficult for outsiders to enter the Hbrogpa homeland. The Hbrogpa Amdo are Tibetan Buddhists although there is much interest in the pre-Buddhist shamanistic religion of Bon, which is almost always mixed in with this form of Buddhism.

Outreach Ideas

Christians need to build bridges of trust and friendship with the Amdo. Christians need to show genuine concern for their physical and material needs and survival as a people.

Prayer Focus

Pray for the Amdo who follow Christ, that they will fellowship together and will grow in love for Christ and



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POPULATION: 743,000

LANGUAGE: Tibetan, Amdo

RELIGION: Buddhism

BIBLE: New Testament

STATUS: Unreached

for each other. Pray they will be like God in true righteousness and holiness. Pray the Amdo will be increasingly aware of their need for a savior and that there is a savior in Jesus Christ. Pray for their elders to have dreams and visions of Jesus.

SCRIPTURE Then the king said to me, What are you requesting? So I prayed to the God of heaven. Nehemiah 2:4

PRAY *that you will not pass up the chance for short, but effective prayers when you intercede for the nations.*