Rtahu Amdo in China



you know that the Dalai Lama is Tibetan, but <u>now</u> you know he is from one of the Amdo groups! Padmasambhava, an eighth-century Tibetan sage, prophesied that "When the iron bird flies and horses run on wheels, the Tibetan people will be scattered like ants across the world and the Dharma will come to the land of the Red Man." In 1959, the Dalai Lama had to flee from Tibet to India, where he lives in exile and continues to work for the liberation of his people from the control of China. The Rtahu Amdo people speak one of the four Amdo languages.

Ministry Obstacles

The Rtahu Amdo people are dedicated Tibetan Buddhists. They worship unclean spirit beings. No Christian believers live among the Rtahu Amdo, and if anyone in the tribe puts all their trust in Christ, community response will undoubtedly be serious.

Outreach Ideas

The Rtahu Amdo live under a government that was imposed on them, but believers can take them gospel materials if they are careful.

Prayer Focus

Pray that the Rtahu Amdo would



POPULATION: 101,000

LANGUAGE: Tibetan, Amdo

RELIGION: Buddhism

BIBLE: Portions

STATUS: Unreached

seek the freedom that can be found in Christ—no matter where they live, no matter who rules over them. Pray that they will come to know God's government, the one ruled by a Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Pray for a movement to Christ to flourish among them.

SCRIPTURE With joy you will drink deeply from the fountain of salvation! Is 12:3

PRAY May many from this people group drink deeply from the fountain of His salvation and mercy!