Azeri Turks in Iran



In Iran, this people group is known formally as Azeri. Informally, the Azeris and other Turkic speaking Iranian groups are commonly referred to as "Tork" (Turk). Despite conflict in the past, the Azeri are now well represented at all levels of the government and military, as well as in the religious community. The living conditions of Azeris in Iran closely resemble that of Persians.

Ministry Obstacles

The Azeri live in a region of Iran that is especially difficult to access.

Outreach Ideas

God is moving in Iran. Pray that He will lead Azeri families and communities into a movement to Christ.

Prayer Focus

There are only a few believers among the Azeri of Iran. Pray that they will bold and fruitful in sharing the gospel with their own and other families. Pray that the Azeri families of Iran will increasingly be drawn to



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LANGUAGE: Azerbaijani, South

RELIGION: Islam

BIBLE: Complete

STATUS: Unreached

Isa al-Masih (the name Muslims use to refer to Jesus), and to God's Word. Pray that the Lord will establish a church planting movement among the Azeri Turks in Iran.

SCRIPTURE The king asked, "Well, how can I help you?" With a prayer to the God of heaven ... Neh 2:4

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

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