

Khmer Krom in Cambodia



There are at least 250,000 Khmer Krom (descendants of the original Khmer inhabitants of what is now southern Vietnam) who have migrated from Vietnam and now live within the borders of Cambodia. Because of linguistic, political and social factors, they are distinct in many ways from the wider Khmer population in Cambodia. Buddhism is the public veneer of Kampuchea Krom religion, but animistic belief in the spirit world may have more influence in their daily lives.

Ministry Obstacles

As Buddhists, the Khmer Krom may not have an understanding of the reality of sin and their need for Jesus as their Savior. Altering one's world view is painful and difficult.

Outreach Ideas

The Bible is available, and many language-based resources are available in the language of these people. Workers are needed to take these resources to the people.

Prayer Focus

Pray for the relatively few Christian believers to be accurately taught the



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POPULATION: 284,000
LANGUAGE: Khmer
RELIGION: Buddhism
BIBLE: Complete
STATUS: Unreached

ways of Christ; they need qualified teachers. Pray for this people group to have the opportunity to hear of Christ in their mother tongue and in a manner they will both understand and accept. Pray for workers to plant and water seeds of the Gospel in the Khmer Krom community.

SCRIPTURE Let your steadfast love, O Lord, be upon us, even as we hope in you. Ps 33:22

PRAY for this people group to give their love and devotion to the Lord and be rewarded with hope and joy forever.