

Greek Jews in Greece



When the German armies took over Greece in 1941, the Nazis began to deport the Jews to the death camps of Central Europe. Over 80% of the Greek Jewish population was murdered. Greeks were able to hide some of their Jewish friends. The descendants of those Jews make up the small group of Jews who live in Greece today. Most Jews speak Greek in their homes and families.

Ministry Obstacles

Many Jews blame Christians for the Holocaust of WWII. Germany was considered a "Christian" nation before WWII. Jews are even hostile to discussing the claims of Jesus Christ.

Outreach Ideas

Christians can reach out and build friendships with their Jewish neighbors. Radio and TV programs in Greek can proclaim the life-saving gospel of Christ.

Prayer Focus

There are few if any Messianic Jews among the Greek Jews. Pray that the ones who will soon trust in their Messiah will grow in the faith. Ask



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POPULATION: 2,900

LANGUAGE: Greek

RELIGION: Ethnic Religions

BIBLE: Complete

STATUS: Unreached

the Lord to raise up a Messianic body of disciples among the Jews of Greece. Pray that the Lord would open the spiritual eyes of the Greek Jews as they read and study the Bible.

SCRIPTURE May our granaries be full, providing all kinds of produce; may our sheep bring forth thousands and ten thousands in our fields... Psalm 144:13a, ESV

PRAY that physical prosperity will lead this people group to thankfulness to the Lord rather than spiritual apathy.