## Mbojo in Indonesia



he Mbojo are also called the Oma ("move") because they often move from one place to another. The Bima language, sometimes called Nggahi Mbojo, has several dialects. The main livelihood of the Mbojo is farming in fields, but they also plant rice in paddies using a special irrigation system called panggawa. They are well-known horse tenders as well. Bima women are usually skilled at making plaited mats from bamboo and palm leaves.

## **Ministry Obstacles**

The Mbojo people live in an underserved island that rarely attracts attention. They are Muslim, and few are willing to challenge their ancient beliefs.

## **Outreach Ideas**

The Mbojo people are afraid of spirits. Christ followers who understand spiritual warfare can go to them and demonstrate God's power over malevolent spirits.

## **Prayer Focus**

Pray for the Mbojo people to accept the Lord as their rock and their fortress. He alone can protect them.



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POPULATION: 836,000

LANGUAGE: Bima

RELIGION: Islam

BIBLE: New Testament

STATUS: Unreached

Pray for the Lord to thrust out loving and dedicated workers. Pray for the Mbojo culture to be blessed and enhanced by the work of the Lord. May their families and farms be blessed!

**SCRIPTURE** The leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations. No longer will there be anything accursed, but the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and his servants will worship him. Rev. 22:2b-3

**PRAY** that soon the Mbojo people will understand and embrace God's sovereignty. May they look to the victorious one and join in his victory!