Bahing in Nepal



he Bahing are one of the Kirat peoples, a cluster of tribal peoples living in Nepal. As a tribal people, the Bahing are vulnerable to changes imposed by outsiders. For this reason, they have an organization to protect their rights from those who might try to seize their land. They enjoy celebrating the festival of colors, the start of spring and the festival of lights.

Ministry Obstacles

The Bahing worship and serve the gods of the Hindu pantheon. They visit temples and offer prayers, food, flowers and incense in hopes of gaining protection and benefits. They do not have a personal or familial relationship with their gods like Christians or Jews.

Outreach Ideas

Missionaries can help give the Bahing people the skills to adjust to the twenty-first century. Unless they are equipped with job skills, it is only a matter of time before others take their land and leave them with nothing.

Prayer Focus

Pray for the Holy Spirit to move among Bahing families in Nepal and for



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POPULATION: 3,300

LANGUAGE: Bahing

RELIGION: Hinduism

BIBLE: New Testament

STATUS: Unreached

community leaders to seek his face and enjoy his blessings. Pray for the Lord to send out workers who would nurture a disciple-making movement among the Bahing people. Pray that soon the Bahing would have faith that is more precious and durable than gold.

SCRIPTURE Let not the foreigner who has joined himself to the Lord say, The Lord will surely separate me from his people; and let not the eunuch say, Behold, I am a dry tree. Isa 56:3

PRAY that many from today's people group will put all their hope in the Lord.