

Dhankar Dhanuk in India



The Dhanuk are a Scheduled Caste except in Tripura and Bihar. Depending on where they live, the Dhankar Dhanuk people can be farmers, scavengers, sweepers, weavers, or office workers. The Dhanuk are mainly monogamous and have arranged marriages, but they can also divorce and remarry. They are Hindus who also worship their own local deities.

Ministry Obstacles

Most Dhanuk are not well educated, so the gospel will need to be presented in oral forms.

Outreach Ideas

Believers can take Christ to their villages through songs and skits, neither of which involve the printed page. They can be left with gospel recordings in the local languages. Christian schools might also be helpful.

Prayer Focus

As of yet, we know of no Christian believers from this people group. Pray that this changes soon. Pray for the spiritual blindness and bondage to the evil one to be removed, so they can understand and respond to Christ. Pray for the Lord to provide



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POPULATION: 88,000

LANGUAGE: Hindi

RELIGION: Hinduism

BIBLE: Complete

STATUS: Unreached

for their physical and spiritual needs as a testimony of his power and love. Pray the Dhankar Dhanuk people will have a spiritual hunger that will open their hearts to the King of kings. Pray for an unstoppable movement to Christ among them.

SCRIPTURE The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. Psalm 23:1

PRAY that this people group will be satisfied with the Lord alone and turn to no other god.