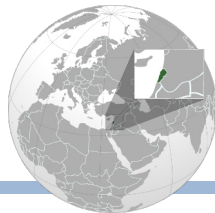


Middle Eastern Turkmen in Lebanon



Each Turkmen tribe has its own individual history of when they migrated to the Middle East. Some Turkmen tribes arrived at the time of Genghis Khan in the 1200s. Others arrived later during the Ottoman Empire. There are Turkmen populations located throughout the Middle East, including Lebanon. Some Turkmen self-identify as Turks whereas others identify as Turkmen. Those in Lebanon usually speak Turkmen at home as their heart language.

Obstacles

The Turkmen are often very uneasy being around people who are not from their tribe. They are not very receptive to ideas and beliefs that conflict with Sunni Islam.

Outreach Ideas

A complete Bible translation is available in Turkish. Use of Scripture is important for greater outreach and a major spiritual breakthrough.

Prayer Focus

There is one steadily growing Turkmen church. Pray that it is able to prosper and that the Turkmen people benefit from its presence in



🔊 **TERK-men**

POPULATION: 69,000

LANGUAGE: Turkish

RELIGION: Islam

BIBLE: Complete

STATUS: Unreached

their communities. Pray for Turkmen disciples in Lebanon who will make more disciples. Pray that they would have access to quality medical care and housing so that their basic needs will be met.

SCRIPTURE And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying, To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever! (Revelation 5:13)

PRAY *May God's praises ring out forever among this people group!*