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## NORTH AFRICA HAUSA MAOURI PEOPLE

*"The weapons we fight with are  
not the weapons of the world.  
On the contrary, they have divine  
power to demolish strongholds."*

2 Corinthians 10:4

## PRAYER POINTS

- ~ Pray for workers using Hausa & Zarma Bibles and other resources now available in these languages.
- ~ Pray the Maouri will be dissatisfied using fetishes and will long to know the living God through Jesus.
- ~ Pray the Lord will open their minds & that the Holy Spirit will fill their minds with Truth; Jesus is Truth.
- ~ Pray the Hausa Maouri people will continue to resist the advance of Islam and open their hearts to the Gospel of Christ.

## HAUSA MAOURI PEOPLE

### STATISTICS

Population 785,000

Christian 3.00%

Evangelical 1.50%

Largest Religion - Ethnic Religions

Main Languages - Hausa and Zarma

The Maouri in Niger are considered to be a subgroup of the large Hausa people group of Western Africa. They speak both the Hausa & the Zarma languages. They were colonized by European powers & their lands were traded back & forth between the French & English under treaties established in 1890 & 1906. The French are said to have been especially brutal in their administration of these colonies.

Being traders & farmers, the Maouri have a reputation of being an industrious people. They resisted conversion to Islam during the Fulani jihads of the early 19th century & have continued to resist Islam in their region. They are mostly animistic, although there are growing numbers of Muslims & some Christians.



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