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PERSIAN PEOPLE

CENTRAL ASIA

"Then Jesus told his disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up."

Luke 18:1

PRAYER POINTS

- ~ Pray for a move of the Holy Spirit to draw all Persian people to know Jesus as Savior.
- ~ Pray for believers in Iran, that they would grow in their relationship with Christ.
- ~ Pray for courage as believers long to worship free of persecution.

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STATISTICS

Population 37,193,000

Christian 2.00%

Evangelical - 1.90%

Largest Religion - Islam - 97.30%

Main Language - Persian - Iranian

The Persians are a people rich in history & culture, love & laughter, respect & honor. Traditionally they are Muslim by birth, but this has become more distant in their hearts.

Because of many disappointments with government & hardships, hearts are surprisingly open to other religions. But Islam is dominate. It is illegal to evangelize in Iran & conversion is punishable by death. However, many are coming to faith through supernatural encounters.

This is an unreached people group that three of our GWs are striving to reach.



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