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Persian in Iran



Persia – the name evokes ancient memories mostly from the Bible. The children of Israel were taken captive and exiled in Persia or modern-day Iran. Tehran, the capital, is home to many ethnic groups, and the Persians are one such group. The Persians are very family oriented. Modern Persian women highly value their appearance, and many wear designer fashions.

Ministry Obstacles

The government of Iran is strongly opposed to anything they perceive as Western, including the gospel.

Outreach Ideas

The government of Iran tries its best to stop the spread of the gospel, but Iran remains the fastest growing church in the world, thanks to their government-dictated form of spirituality. It is reported that many are coming to Jesus Christ through supernatural encounters. Now seems to be God's time for drawing the Persians to Himself.

Prayer Focus

Pray for believers to be so filled with the love and joy of having a relationship with Christ that others will take whatever chance they need to belong to Him. Pray for God to draw Persians to Himself through supernatural en-



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POPULATION: 37,677,000

LANGUAGE: Persian

RELIGION: Islam

BIBLE: Complete

STATUS: Unreached

counters. Pray for the spread of the gospel in Iran to continue to be blessed by multiplying house church movements. Pray for entire families to come under the conviction of the Holy Spirit and understand that Jesus Christ died for them so that they can live for Him.

SCRIPTURE “Has not my hand made all these things, and so they came into being?” declares the Lord. “These are the ones I look on with favor: those who are humble and contrite in spirit, and who tremble at my word. Is 66:2

PRAY for the Lord to give humility and a fear of Him to this people group that will lead to them being blessed beyond measure.