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# Radhi Brahmins in Bangladesh



The Radhi Brahmins are mainly in India's eastern state of West Bengal and Kulna, a province of Bangladesh that we will feature for prayer this week. Brahmins are the key community that has traditionally upheld Hinduism. Though Brahmins have their origins as priests and gurus, most Radhis have other occupations in today's world. Some benefit from owning farmland while others are businessmen.

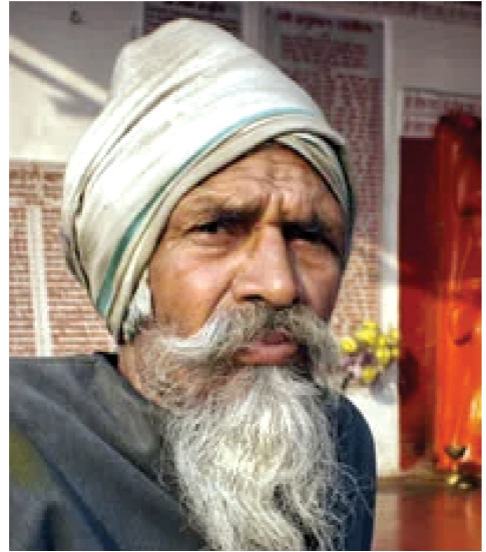
## Ministry Obstacles

Since they have the highest status of any Hindu community, Brahmins believe that they have everything to lose by converting to another religious system, and most believe that switching to a "different God" will result in an inferior reincarnation after they die. High caste communities like the Brahmins often have pride in their status, and pride is an enemy of faith.

## Outreach Ideas

To reach them for Christ, someone will have to enter their world and learn how to communicate in the Brahmin way. This will involve much listening and learning before speaking.

## Pray for the Entire Group



**POPULATION:** 52,000

**LANGUAGE:** Bengali

**RELIGION:** Hinduism

**BIBLE:** Complete

**STATUS:** Unreached

Pray that the light of the gospel breaks through the veil that blinds this community. Pray that the Holy Spirit will reveal Christ to this community and use Brahmins to preach and teach about Jesus Christ to all Hindu communities. Pray for a massive movement to Christ in the Radhi community.

**SCRIPTURE** O my people, trust in him at all times. Pour out your heart to him, for God is our refuge. Ps 62:8

**PRAY** that the Holy Spirit will draw many from this people group to trust the Lord at all times and share their hearts with Him.