

STANDING *in the gap*

FOR THE PEOPLES OF SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA



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Islam has been present in Hausaland since the 14th century. While firmly entrenched in the cities, rural Hausa (HOW-sah) practice an Islam mixed with animistic beliefs. Considered one of Africa's largest ethnic groups, the Hausa live in Nigeria, Niger and many other western African countries, exerting tremendous influence both politically and spiritually. However, one Hausa man's opinion, published on allafrica.com, shows his concern about today's Hausa: "...our society is decaying fast. If we want our society to progress to corporate Nigeria, we must restore our good values." We have the answer to this man's concern over the moral decay of his people; that answer is following Christ.

- Pray for a church planting movement among the 28 million Hausa of western Africa.
- Ask God to visit Hausa through dreams and visions, causing them to be open to spiritual conversations.
- Pray for God to embed believers who are knowledgeable in Islamic beliefs ready to give answers to the questions of searching Hausa.
- Ask God to raise up persons of peace in villages and urban centers ready to welcome His messengers of the Truth.
- Pray protection over the few Hausa who have accepted the Truth, that they would be witnesses to others

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