

Tal

Nigeria

Physical Exertion: **DIFFICULT**
Resources: **LIMITED**
Threat Level: **MEDIUM**
Freedom: **RESTRICTED**



SUMMARY

18,000 population, African Traditional Religion, remote, camping required, estimated 800 Christians, some gospel recordings available

DETAILS

Who are they? The Tal follow African Traditional Religion. They have an estimated population of 18,000.

What is their primary religion? African Traditional Religion

Where are they? The Tal are located in Pankshin, Kanke, and Mikang Local Government Areas in Plateau State.

Do they have a Christian witness? The Tal villages in the lowland appear to have churches. The villages in the mountain area are said to have NO churches.

What strategies are being implemented for reaching this people group?

- A Nigerian Baptist Church is committed to reaching the Tal on the mountains
- Gospel Recordings are available

Suggestions and rationale for engaging this people group: An Engaging Church can partner with Kunga #1 Baptist Church from Jos to implement church planting strategies among the Tal. This might involve working with the Tal churches in the lowlands, doing training and discipleship as well as Prayerwalking and intentional church planting in the Tal villages on the mountain.

What specific challenges or opportunities could directly affect the engagement of this people?

- Remote and primitive living conditions
- Lack of accessibility, especially during rainy season (May-October)
- The mountain villages are accessible only by foot

Specific Opportunities/Benefits:

- Gospel Recordings available in Tal and Hausa
- Tal believers in the lowland
- Kunga #1 Baptist Church is already committed to reaching the Tal

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