

# Tsagu

## Nigeria

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



### SUMMARY

2,000 population, African Traditional Religion, remote, camping required, estimated 30 Christians, some gospel recordings available

### DETAILS

**Who are they?** The Tsagu follow African Traditional Religion, though Islam is becoming more prevalent among them.

**What is their primary religion?** African Traditional Religion

**Where are they?** The Tsagu are located in Ganjuwa Local Government Area in Bauchi State. They reside primarily in one town, Tsago/Tsagu near Miya.

**Do they have a Christian witness?** There is a Tsagu pastor of an evangelical church with approximately 30 Tsagu believers.

**What strategies are being implemented for reaching this people group?**

- Oral recordings of gospel messages
- Tsagu pastor

**Suggestions and rationale for engaging this people group:** An Engaging Church could partner with the pastor and his church, doing discipleship and church planting training to reach the Tsagu. The Engaging Church could reach other small people groups in Ganjuwa Local Government Area.

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

- Lack of accessibility, especially during rainy season (May-October)
- If staying among the Tsagu, camping will be necessary
- Strict Islamic law, called Shari'a law, is in force in the state in which the Bamburo live, therefore, local government officials are able to stop the work

**Specific Opportunities/Benefits:**

- They have resisted Islam
- Gospel Recordings available in their language as well as Hausa

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