

Golog - China



The Golog are the descendants of Tibetan warriors sent to guard the northern borders. According to one source, Golog means "those with heads on backwards." This name comes from them having a bad reputation as starting needless fights. The Golog language is "largely unintelligible to most Tibetans." There are numerous dialects and local varieties spoken by dozens of different Golog tribes and clans. The nomadic Golog wear greasy sheepskins, yak-hide boots, and felt bowler hats, a lasting legacy of the British invasion of Tibet in the early 1900s. Many wild animals inhabit the Golog region.

Ministry Obstacles

Few Golog have ever heard of Jesus Christ or his offer of salvation. They have been separated from all outside influence, including Christianity, for centuries. They often have hostile relationships with outsiders.

Scripture Focus

O kingdoms of the earth, sing to God; sing praises to the Lord, Selah to him who rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; behold, he sends out his voice, his mighty voice. Psalm 68:32-33

Prayer Focus

May all the nations praise Him!

Pray for the Lord to intervene in their families, calling people to his side. Pray for loving, anointed workers. Pray for their hearts to be drawn to the Lord of lords. Pray for a church planting movement to thrive in their communities.



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People Name:	Golog
Pronunciation:	Gor-lok
Country:	China
10/40 Window:	Yes
Population:	167,000
World Popl:	167,000
Main Language:	Tibetan, Amdo
Main Religion:	Buddhism
Scripture:	New Testament
Online NT:	Yes
Jesus Film:	Yes
Audio Recordings:	Yes
Christ Followers:	Few, less than 2%
Status:	Unreached
Progress Level:	

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