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Today's Devotional

James 4:8, NLT "Come close to God, and God will come close to you. Wash your hands, you sinners; purify your hearts, for your loyalty is divided between God and the world."

It is a matter of wanting to come close to God. Those who do can come close to Him, but it must be on His terms. We need to first understand that our hearts are impure and divided.

Pray for the Rajputs in Karnataka to understand this basic spiritual truth.â€"KC

Today's People Group

(This story illustrates the beliefs of the Rajput peoples.)

â€œOnce upon a time,â€ the father said, â€œthere was a warrior clan, the sons of a king.â€ He paused and watched as his two young sons took this in. They had heard the story many times, but were always enraptured by it. He continued, â€œThey ruled most of north India and even parts of what is now Pakistan. They were a truly great people. For quite some time they even had their own kingdom. It was calledâ€"â€"â€"Rajputana!â€ the first boy shouted. The father nodded. â€œAnd in 1949 it becameâ€"â€"â€" He paused, allowing them to answer. â€œRajasthan!â€ the boys said in unison. â€œVery good,â€ the father said, smiling. â€œBut father,â€ one of them wondered aloud, â€œwhy donâ€™t we live in Rajasthan?â€ â€œYes, father,â€ the other asked, â€œwhy do we live in Karnataka?â€

This simple question has a very complicated answer. While the Rajputs once had their own land and were a noble class dominating much of northern India, today they are spread throughout the subcontinent. Over a period of hundreds of years, the Rajputs slowly left the north, some of them choosing to settle in Karnataka. Here, they continue to be a high caste, often stubbornly rejecting the good news of Christ.

Pray for the hearts of the Rajput peoples to be soft and ready to accept the gospel. Pray for them to humble themselves before God and put their faith in Christ.

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