

# UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUP OF THE DAY

## The Turks of Turkey

Population: 54.8 million

97% Islam

.01% Christian

Pray that churches will begin reaching the Turks. And Turkish believers will share the Gospel with their own. Ask the Lord to save key people among the Turks who will boldly declare the Gospel. Pray that Turkey will avoid both ethnic strife (especially with the Kurds) & resurgent Muslim fundamentalism.







*“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ,  
the new creation has come:  
The old has gone, the new is here!”*

*2 Corinthians 5:17*

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- 1. Learning How To Die*
- 2. Learning How To Rise*
- 3. Learning How To Fly*

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*“My Father, if it is possible, may this cup be taken from me. Yet not as I will, but as you will.”*

*Matthew 26*

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*“Now he has reconciled you by Christ’s physical body through death to present you holy in his sight, without blemish and free from accusation.”*

*Colossians 1:22*

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*“Very truly I tell you, unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds.”*

*John 12:24*

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*“But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep. For since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man. For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive. But each in turn: Christ the first fruits; then, when he comes, those who belong to him.”*

*1 Corinthians 15:20-22*

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*‘Whoever wants to be my disciple  
must deny themselves and take up  
their cross daily and follow me’*

*Luke 9:23*

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*“Now if we died with  
Christ, we believe that we  
will also live with him.”*

*Romans 6:8*

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*“There’s always a Good Friday  
before a Resurrection Sunday  
with the bewildering Easter  
Saturday in between.”*

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*“If Jesus rose from the dead, then you have to accept all that he said; if he didn’t rise from the dead, then why worry about any of what he said? The issue on which everything hangs isn’t whether or not you like his teaching, but whether or not he rose from the dead.”*

*Timothy Keller*

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*“Your whole self ruled by the flesh was put off when you were circumcised by Christ, having been buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through your faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead.”*

*Colossians 2:11b-12*

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*“Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.”*

*James 1:4*

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*“Whoever has my commands and keeps them is the one who loves me...Anyone who loves me will obey my teaching.”*

*John 14:21 & 23*

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*Our wings grow strong as we practice...*

- *thankfulness in all circumstances (1 Thess. 5:18)*
- *showing the fruits of the Spirit (Gal. 5:22-25)*
- *honoring God with our bodies (1 Cor. 6:19-20)*
- *living & acting generously (2 Cor. 9:7)*
- *embracing contentment & resisting greed (Heb. 13:5)*
- *healing the sick & expecting God to work miracles (Matt. 10:8)*
- *loving our spouses deeply (Eph. 5:21-33)*
- *parenting with grace (Eph. 6:1-4)*
- *training ourselves to be the servants of all, in life & leadership (Mark 9:35)*
- *our devotion to seeing all people groups know Christ (Mt 24:14/28:18-20)*

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*“Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here; he has risen!”*

*Luke 24: 5b-6a*

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*“If there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised. And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith.*

*1 Cor. 15:13-17;20-23*

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*More than that, we are then found to be false witnesses about God, for we have testified about God that he raised Christ from the dead. But he did not raise him if in fact the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised either. And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins.*

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1. *Every resurrection is preceded by a death, and a cross (or difficulty) can yield great gain in a heart matured by it.*
2. *Like a butterfly, resurrection transformation happens from the inside out; there is no shortcut, and the end result is worth the process.*
3. *Transformation only happens when we enter into the chrysalis of our situation with complete surrender.*
4. *Learning to fly takes practice, and practice means we do what Jesus did over & over again.*

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