

Kalanadi of India

Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

John 14:6

Believers in Kerala, India, trace their Christian heritage to A.D. 52, yet most people in their state, including the Kalanadi (kuh-luh-NAH-dee), have never heard the gospel. Instead of following Jesus, the Kalanadi follow Hinduism. They are known for performing ritual dances at village shrines. Through these rituals, Kalanadi people hope to achieve happiness and oneness with Hindu gods and goddesses. They do not know that Jesus is the only way to the Father.

ACTIVITY

Can you trace your Christian heritage? Who shared the gospel with you? Who shared it with them? Trace it as far back as you can, and praise God that His good news reached you as you pray for it to reach more Kalanadi.



LET'S PRAY

Pray that believers will have compassion for the Kalanadi and share the good news of Christ with them. Pray that the Kalanadi would turn from worshiping idols and worship the true and living God.