

BENIN

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Benin is a long narrow country on the western border of Nigeria in Africa. The population is a little over 9 million. About 42 African ethnic groups live in Benin.

It is one of the least developed countries in the world. It is a non-Muslim country, although the Muslim population is rapidly growing.

About 40% of the population claims to be Christian- most of those are Roman Catholic. About 8% are Evangelical.

Prayer needs: Since most of the work is manual/mental labor pray that employers will treat their workers fairly. There are many less reached people groups. Among these are beliefs such as voodoo, and animism that must be overcome.