

# Pray for Zero

This people group has no Scripture in their language.

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**KINTAQ**  
MALAYSIA, ASIA  
POPULATION: 200

The Kintaq people of Malaysia live in jungle areas near the border of Thailand where they hunt and gather food. They collect produce from the forest to trade in the local market and provide for their families. While some have learned basic farming, the harvest alone is never enough to support them.

Kintaq people have very little formal education. Many have resisted schooling because of its association with the dominant culture. Therefore, they struggle to keep up with Malaysia's rapidly developing society. Amid the nation's rising prosperity, they have been left behind and are becoming even poorer.

While some Kintaq people would identify as Muslim, most of them are animist. Their traditional religion, full of myths, legends, and supernatural deities, connects them with their homeland and other Kintaq people. They often live in fear of offending ancestral spirits.

Pray for Bible translation to begin in the Kintaq language in a way that is contextualized to their culture so they can embrace Christ as their identity. Ask God to send workers to help meet their physical, educational, and spiritual needs.

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**PRESENCE** - For God to prepare hearts to receive His Word. (Isaiah 48:17)

**PROVISION** - For needed financial provision, prayer partners, translation consultants, and translators. (Luke 10:2)

**PROTECTION** - Against spiritual and physical opposition. (Ephesians 6:12, 18)

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We are passionate about growing in prayer with you.  
Here are five prayer habits for you to practice  
when praying for this language community:

1. Before you read your Bible, pray for the ministry of Bible translation to begin for this language community.
  2. Before you eat, pray for the provision of Bible translators who will bring the eternal food, the Scriptures, to their people group.
  3. Write out a "breath prayer" to pray for your language community. Something like, "Jesus, rescue this people group out of darkness with the light of your word."
  4. When you walk, pray for the "word of God to run swiftly" to this language community (Psalm 147:15).
  5. Invite others to join you in praying for this language community (Acts 2:42).
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