50 DAYS OF UNBROKEN PRAYER
FOR THE TURKIC WORLD

# DAY 34: MAY 08

## Nafar

The Nafar are **a small and lesser-known Turkic people group** scattered across southeastern Fars Province and areas near Tehran. They represent a blend of Turkic, Arabic, and regional nomadic cultures and were gradually absorbed into larger tribes such as the Qashqai or Baharlu, with only about 5,000 remaining.

Historically, they were nomadic pastoralists, migrating seasonally. Today, most have settled in rural communities and work as farmers. Strong family honor and local customs shape daily life. The majority are Shia Muslims, and **Islam is deeply woven into community structures** and traditions.

The Nafar resisted attempts by the central government to control them for many years. They are difficult to reach. **Illiteracy remains a challenge**, as many children leave school early to help support family work. Gospel presence is minimal, if it exists at all.

## Scripture

**"That your ways may be known on earth, your saving power among all nations."**

**Psalm 67:2**

## Prayer Points

- Pray for a powerful move of the Holy Spirit and that God would **break down spiritual strongholds** that are preventing the spread of the Gospel among the Nafar.
- Pray for a committed, continually interceding team of believers to be sent out with wisdom, courage, and humility to **serve among the Nafar**.
- Pray for dreams and **visions of Jesus**, even in the most remote and rural places.
- Pray that God **opens the hearts of family leaders** to Him through discovery Bible studies in their homes.

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