

URDU-SPEAKING MUSLIMS IN Jaipur, Rajasthan

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3.1 MILLION

Estimated Population

571,600

Muslims

RAJASTHAN

State/Province

0.1%

Christians in State

MAP OF INDIA



ABOUT THE STRATEGIC CITY OF JAIPUR

Over a half million *Urdu speaking Muslims in Jaipur* are unreached—with **only a TENTH of ONE percentage of the total city population professing Christ**. Muslims in Jaipur are also unengaged—with only a handful of cross-cultural workers remaining in the city, mostly focused on Hindus.

Jaipur is the capital and largest city of the Indian state of Rajasthan—and is a draw for the historical tourists (*imagine 12th century Kingdoms, Rajas, Moguls, palaces and tigers*).

Many Muslims live in the middle to lower economic status. Opportunities exist to engage Muslims in the Jem stones cutting and polishing businesses, block printing, and tourism.

RAJASTHAN STATE



Location of Jaipur in Rajasthan

LIVABILITY

Jaipur is densely populated although good housing is available. A number of parks sprinkle throughout the city making for outdoor family activities and exercise.

Jaipur, originally the Kingdom of Amber, is home to abundant beautiful historical sites like the Amir Palace, Jai Mahal, City Palace and others.

The climate is hot and semi-arid.

Are you a foodie? Rajasthan and Jaipur boast a rich food history—and like the rest of India, food is spiced and offers a variety of non-veg and vegetarian dishes. The people are hospitable and friendships are formed around meals.

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Overview & OPPORTUNITIES

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SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES

Rajasthan itself has a population of over 7 million Muslims in many unengaged people groups, with very few believers. Engaging the half million Muslims in Jaipur would certainly trickle into the rest of the state. Very few Muslim Background Believers exist in Jaipur, and believers mostly congregate in house fellowships discreetly.

JAIPUR, THE PINK CITY

During the rule of Sawai Ram Singh I, the city of Jaipur was painted pink to welcome HRH Albert Edward, Prince of Wales. Many of the avenues still remain painted in pink, giving Jaipur a distinctive appearance and the epithet "Pink City".

Jaipur's heritage even drew Hollywood filmmakers to shoot one of the highest-grossing films of the time [*The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel*](#). Watch it and see shots from a few of the beautiful spots of Jaipur like Tripolia Bazar.

Religion in Jaipur city (2011)

Religion	Percent(%)	Number
Hinduism	77.9%	2 394 100
Islam	18.6%	571 600
Jainism	2.4%	73 800
Other	1.1%	33 800
Total	100%	3 073 350



Is God stirring your heart to love Urdu-speaking Muslims in India? Jaipur offers a unique opportunity for tourists, entrepreneurs, and students studying at universities to invite Muslims to follow Jesus, with love and respect.