

## **Victorious Faith in the Midst of Persecution**

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#### **Group 1:**

- They know Jesus.
- They know the power of prayer and fasting.
- Large portions of the Bible can be recreated by memory.
- Large amounts of indigenous music has been committed to memory.
- The persecuted know that they are prayed for.

#### **Group 2:**

- The local believing community cares for their families.
- They know that their suffering is for Jesus' sake.
- They know their persecution is normal.
- They have claimed their freedom.
- They have lost their fear.
- They have a genealogy of faith.