# **Location Composition**

Category	0-1.5 MI	1.5-3 MI	3-7 MI
2010 Population	9,792	53,963	235,304
2010 Households	4,662	23,336	98,189
2010 Group Quarters	3	2,119	8,719

Missionscape: Cult	ural Bridges
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Cultural Bridge	#HHIds	%HHlds
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	3,468	74%
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	2,786	60%
Reading Books	2,673	57%
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	2,590	56%
Controlling Diet		
McDonald's	2,455	53%
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	2,377	51%
Voted in fed/state/local election	2,239	48%

#### Getting Involved

This mission site is located in the North Central Region of the Alabama State Board of Missions. For more information about this need, contact the regional Church Planting Strategist: Otis Corbitt (ocorbitt@alsbom.org)

#### NOTES:

The Location Summary identifies the center of the smallest ring in the map above. The location data provides various types of identification to better describe the location. The GIS data can be used to map the location in Google maps or Google Earth.

The numbers in the Evangelscape communicate the most compelling reasons why this community needs churches and believers to intercede in missional prayer and activity. This community needs eternal transformation that only comes by way of the gospel and the working of the Holy Spirit.

Churchscape indicators reveal a snapshot of the extent of evangelical presence in the focus community.

Location Composition: Listed are the total number of people and the total number of households corresponding to each of the three bands indicated on the map on page one.

Cultural bridges are those characteristics that could be used to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group. Various activities, interests, or opinions represented among the consumer behavior characteristics of the lifestyle group offer ways for believers to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group and through that relationship impact them for Christ.

### Reaching Birmingham, Alabama

# **MISSION SITE DIGEST**

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During the night a vision appeared to Paul: a Macedonian man was standing and with pleading him. "Cross over to Macedonia and help us!" After he had seen the vision, we immediately made efforts to set out for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to evangelize them.





This location has been identified as one of the areas in Alabama in need of new ministries or new churches. This report has been written to assist you in gaining an understanding of where God has gathered concentrations of people in need of Him in order that your church can focus your efforts and resources where He is at work and the need is greatest. May this report assist your church in hearing God's invitation to join Him where He is calling.

#### **Location Summary**

Central Street Address 1891 Parkside Cir

Zip Code 35209

State Region North Central Region

GIS Latitude 33.449090

GIS Longitude -86.834180

Sitescape Category Suburbscape

Sitescape Group Medium Suburbs



# Top Community Types



Households: 1,485 Percent: 31.85%

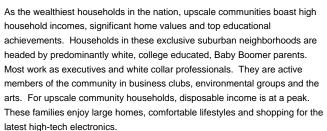
Households: 1,406

Percent: 30.15%

## **Aspiring Communities**

Young, ambitious and culturally diverse, they are the evolving voice of American society. Truth is centered around "me" and everything is interconnected. The majority of people in this group are between the ages of 18 and 34. Sixty percent are renting singles; others live on military bases or in college dorms. They are four times more likely to be unemployed. Of those who work, most live in or conveniently close to metropolitan areas. Career builders who enjoy a moderate income in middle management, they thrive within the IT, sales, administration, education and health care professions.

# **Upscale Communities**





Households: 741 Percent: 15.89%

#### **Urban Communities**

The people are poor, struggling and largely single. Some are single parents with large families. Unemployment is double the national average. For the minority families in Urban Communities, struggling to balance priorities and budgets in a climate of institutional prejudice creates a lack of stability and control. Residing within major metropolitan cities and towns, most households live in apartments. Those who drive choose economy, import, and domestic cars or small trucks. This group finds employment within food and health services, education, retail, and the entertainment industry.

# Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	BAND HHLDS	BAND %
Unreached	3,310	71%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	830	17.81%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	533	11.44%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	1,946	41.75%

# Top Lifestyle Segments

### Young Cosmopolitans

(78% Unreached)

Young Cosmopolitans is a collection of households where many adults are under 35 years old, single and earning above average incomes as white-collar professionals, managers and executives. In their fast-growing cities- including a number of college towns-these upscale young people live in luxury apartments and condos, commuting to work in sporty subcompacts. Nearly half hold college degrees, and they are almost twice the average for grad degrees.



Households: 906 Percent: 19.43%

#### African-American Neighborhoods (70% Unreached)

Young, working-class city dwellers make up African-American Neighborhoods. About three-quarters of the households are African-American and one in four adults is under 35 years old. This is an economically challenged area characterized by relatively high unemployment, low educational levels and single-parent families. A majority of residents have completed high school or some college, and most are earning their paychecks through jobs in health, education and food service.



Households: 737 Percent: 15.81%

#### Urban Commuter Families

(67% Unreached)

Not all families have fled the nation's cities for the far-out suburbs. In Urban Commuter Families, Baby Boomer families and couples are content to live in comfortable, single detached homes in city neighborhoods on the metro fringe. Many of these upscale, college-educated households contain dual-income couples who put in long hours as professionals and managers in retail, health care and education services.



Households: 728 Percent: 15.61%

#### Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	MI RING	RING %
Active Evangelical HHlds	1,018	21.83%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	335	7.18%