# Composition of Zipcode 50833

Category Zip Code 2010 Population 2.297 2010 Households 1.049 2010 Group Quarters 44

Missionscape: Cultural Bridges				
Cultural Bridge	#HHIds	%HHIds		
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	751	72%		
McDonald's	576	55%		
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	564	54%		
Controlling Diet				
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	542	52%		
Reading Books	525	50%		
Heartburn/Indigestion Aids/Anti-Nausea-Use	523	50%		
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	510	49%		

# Getting Informed

More zip information may be found on the MissionalCorps.org website and more specific data for each lifestyle segment may be accessed at the BCIOWA Missional Resources web page.

# Getting Involved

To learn more about this location, please contact Tim Lubinus (tlubinus@bciowa.org).

The Communities Summary identifies the top three types of communities in the zip code, the number of households, and the percent of the zip code. Communities are comprised of multiple lifestyle segments.

The Lifestyle Summary identifies the top six lifestyle segments in the zip code, the number of households, percent of the zip code households, and the percent of households that are unreached. Lifestyle Segments are individual groups of people with similar living preferences and patterns

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 in the county.

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.

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# Reaching Bedford, Iowa

# MISSIONAL ZIPCODE DIGEST

# **Zipcode 50833 Community Types**

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Rev. 5:9

song, saying: "You are

worthy to take the scroll

and to open its seals,

slain, and with your

blood you purchased

for God persons from

language and people

In partnership with:

Intercultural Institute

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tribe

and

because you

every

and nation."



Households: 406 Percent: 38.7%



Households: 320 Percent: 30.51%



Households: 315

### **Urban Communities**

The people are poor, struggling and largely single. Some are single parents with large families; most have below-average incomes. Unemployment is double the national average. For the African-American and Hispanic 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.

# Country Communities

Land, family and community are central to the day-to-day lives of the people in these farming and mining communities. They work hard to provide a steady, peaceful family life through farming, agriculture, education, mining and service industries. With low levels of education, these primarily white family households earn wages in the lower middle income bracket. Residents live in single-family homes, mobile homes or trailers in rural tracts and neighborhoods.

# Working Communities

Most residents of Working Communities are high school educated. Some have even been to college. Their education affords them lower middle incomes through blue collar jobs in manufacturing, construction, health services, retail, wholesale and food service. These jobs provide a stable household economy supporting personal and family pursuits in everyday life. This ethnically diverse mix of single and married homeowners dwells in densely populated areas and small-town suburbs.



Percent: 30.03%



# Top Lifestyle Segments in Zipcode 50833



# Rugged Rural Style

(58% Unreached)

Rugged Rural Style consists of some of the most isolated communities in America. In these rural working-class households across the Southwest and Western states, predominantly older married couples and retirees live in aging houses and mobile homes. Those still working have blue-collar jobs in construction, manufacturing and agriculture-the cluster has more than four times as many farmers as the general population.

Households: 396 Percent: 37.75%

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# Grass-roots Living

(70% Unreached)

Located in rural villages and aging industrial towns throughout the Midwest and South, Grass-roots Living consists of a racially diverse mix of couples, families and divorced men and women living in lower-middle-class circumstances. Educational levels are low, and nearly a quarter of households did not finish high school. Those still in the workforce tend to have low-paying jobs in manufacturing, construction or agriculture.



Households: 75 Percent: 7.15%



### America's Farmlands

(57% Unreached)

With more than nine times the national average for farmers, America's Farmlands has the highest percentage of farmers in the nation. In these remote communities scattered across the nation, residents are likely to have high school diplomas and middle-class incomes. Many live in older, single-family homes on large plots of land. The population density in this segment is less than one-tenth the national average.

Households: 255 Percent: 24.31%

### Hinterland Families

(41% Unreached)

Hinterland Families is a collection of families and couples who've settled in isolated towns and villages throughout the South. These mostly middle-aged households are overwhelmingly white, less educated (one-fifth never completed high school) and working-class. They work in a variety of blue-collar jobs in manufacturing, construction, transportation and agriculture. Though most live in inexpensive houses, one-third reside in mobile homes.



Households: 48 Percent: 4.58%



#### Steadfast Conservatives

(69% Unreached)

A quietly aging cluster, Steadfast Conservatives is home to mature singles and couples living in midscale urban neighborhoods. Households tend to be white, high school-educated and middle class. Many have begun to empty-nest or are already filled with couples and singles aged 65 years or older. The seniority of many residents does have benefits in the workplace. They earn middle class incomes from skilled jobs in manufacturing, retail and health.

Households: 199 Percent: 18.97%

# Working Rural Communities

(60% Unreached)

There's a grittiness to life in Working Rural Communities. In these older, industrial towns, aging residents hold skilled blue-collar jobs in manufacturing and construction. Most households are filled with empty-nesting couples, middle-aged families and single seniors. They reside in 40-year-old homes valued at below-average prices. Their inexpensive housing allows their middle-class incomes to go far in these predominantly Midwestern towns.



Households: 29 Percent: 2.76%

# **Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators**

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP HHLDS	ZIP %
Unreached	634	60.45%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	102	9.69%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	104	9.88%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	429	40.89%

# Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP	ZIP %
Active Evangelical HHlds	104	9.92%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	311	29.63%