#### Composition of Zipcode 27501

Zip Code Category 2010 Population 18.616 2010 Households 6,639 2010 Group Quarters 157

Missionscape: Cultural Bridges		
Cultural Bridge	#HHIds	%HHlds
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	5,340	80%
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	4,133	62%
McDonald's	3,926	59%
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	3,537	53%
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	3,429	52%
Controlling Diet		
Reading Books	3,414	51%
Heartburn/Indigestion Aids/Anti-Nausea-Use	3,335	50%

# 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 BCNC Missional Resources web page.

# Getting Involved

To learn more about this location, please contact Shirley Sells (ssells@ncbaptist.org).

#### NOTES:

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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## MISSIONAL ZIPCODE DIGEST

# **Zipcode 27501 Community Types**

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Rev. 5:9

song, saying: "You are

worthy to take the scroll

and to open its seals,

tribe

because you

every

and nation."



Households: 2.624 Percent: 39.52%



Households: 1,683 Percent: 25.35%



Households: 963 Percent: 14.51%

## Mainstay Communities

The backbone of small towns and second cities, Mainstay Communities are established neighborhoods where residents enjoy strong relational ties. These moderately educated wage earners are employed in well-paying blue collar and professional service jobs. The aging adult population consists of retired American singles and couples. A sense of belonging within the community is a key identity factor for those who live there. Residents go into the city to visit clubs and malls.

#### 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.

# **Aspiring Communities**

Young, ambitious and culturally diverse, they are the evolving voice of American society. In Aspiring Communities, truth is centered around "me" and everything is interconnected. The majority of people in this group are between the ages of 18 - 34. Sixty percent are renting singles; others live on military bases or in college dorms. Members of Aspiring Communities are four times more likely to be unemployed. Of those who work, most live in or conveniently close to metropolitan areas.



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# Top Lifestyle Segments in Zipcode 27501



Households: 1,575

Households: 1,346

Percent: 20.27%

Percent: 23.72%

#### Prime Middle America

(65% Unreached)

Prime Middle America features a mix of couples and families living in both small towns and mid-sized cities in the South and Northwest. Younger than average and upper-middle-class in status, these predominantly white dual-income households have well-paying blue-collar and white-collar jobs in transportation, manufacturing and public administration. Most of the households own their own homes and are nearly twice as likely to live in mobile homes.

#### **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: 500 Percent: 7.53%



#### Rural Southern Living

(59% Unreached)

Scattered in sparsely settled communities across the South, the households in Rural Southern Living consist of young, predominantly white couples and families with lower-middle-class lifestyles. No segment has more residents living in mobile homes with more than half the households living in manufactured housing. The adults are high school educated and work at blue-collar jobs in manufacturing, construction and transportation.

#### Minority Metro Communities

(74% Unreached)

Minority Metro Communities reflects the nation's growing African-American middle class. With nearly three-quarters of the residents African-American and half the households earning more than \$50,000, this cluster is a testament to high educational achievement and professional employment among African-Americans. Concentrated in inner-ring suburbs, these households earn above-average incomes from a mix of service industry and white-collar jobs.



Households: 443 Percent: 6.67%



#### Family Convenience

(64% Unreached)

Family Convenience is a collection of sprawling families living in remote towns and military bases. Most of the households contain dual-income couples working at skilled blue-collar jobs in manufacturing and construction as well as in the military. Service families are six times as likely to live here than the general population. Despite moderate educations, the adults in this segment earn upper-middle incomes.

Households: 562 Percent: 8.47%

#### **Urban Blues**

(64% Unreached)

While many residents in this cluster may be singing the Urban Blues, the tune probably has a Latin beat. More than three-quarters of all households in this segment are Hispanic-roughly six times the U.S. average. They tend to be mostly young singles, families and single parents living in urban areas primarily in the Southwest. Their schooling is modest and their unemployment rate is more than twice the national average.



Households: 432 Percent: 6.51%

#### **Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators**

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP HHLDS	ZIP %
Unreached	4,344	65.43%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	941	14.17%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	753	11.34%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	2,651	39.94%

#### Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP	ZIP %
Active Evangelical HHlds	863	13.00%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	1,432	21.56%