

## Composition of Zipcode 81501

Category	Zip Code
2010 Population	24,000
2010 Households	10,004
2010 Group Quarters	1,983

## Missionscape: Cultural Bridges

Cultural Bridge	#HHlds	%HHlds
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	6,867	69%
McDonald's	5,520	55%
Reading Books	5,300	53%
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	5,199	52%
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	5,172	52%
Controlling Diet		
Heartburn/Indigestion Aids/Anti-Nausea-Use	4,882	49%
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	4,821	48%

## Getting Informed

More zip information may be found on the [MissonalCorps.org](http://MissonalCorps.org) website and more specific data for each lifestyle segment may be accessed at the CBGC Missional Resources web page.

## Getting Involved

To learn more about this location, please contact Steve Hoekstra ([alpinerm@qwestoffice.net](mailto:alpinerm@qwestoffice.net)).

### 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 81501 Community Types

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### Rev. 5:9

And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals, because you were slain, and with your blood you purchased for God persons from every tribe and language and people and nation."



Households: 5,665  
Percent: 56.63%



Households: 2,053  
Percent: 20.52%



Households: 1,366  
Percent: 13.65%

### 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.

### 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.

### 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.

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## Top Lifestyle Segments in Zipcode 81501



### 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: 2,456

Percent: 24.55%



### Small-city Endeavors

(67% Unreached)

Small-city Endeavors has a split personality, reflecting the cluster's mix of young and old, singles, families and single parent households. In these diverse working-class communities concentrated primarily in the Midwest, newcomers share blocks with longtime residents, drawn to the affordable housing and short commutes to work. Many of the adults never went beyond high school, and the employment base largely consists of low-wage blue-collar jobs.

Households: 2,026

Percent: 20.25%



### 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: 644

Percent: 6.44%

## Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP HHLDS	ZIP %
Unreached	6,846	68.43%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	1,495	14.94%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	1,058	10.58%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	4,293	42.91%

### New Generation Activists

(67% Unreached)

Concentrated in the nation's inner cities, New Generation Activists is often the first home-on-their-own cluster for young singles and single-parent families. More than a third of the households are under 35 years old and nearly nine out of 10 are single. This segment reflects a majority minority populace with high numbers of Hispanics and African Americans. With their modest educations and high unemployment rate, households earn about half the national average.



Households: 628

Percent: 6.28%

### Urban Diversity

(72% Unreached)

With nearly half of households containing minorities, Urban Diversity is known as a transient world of young, multi-ethnic singles and single-parent families. In these inter-city neighborhoods, residents struggle against challenging economics in a mix of rowhouses and high-rise apartment buildings. Most adults have completed high school or some college, with many working at entry-level jobs in retail, health care and food services.



Households: 571

Percent: 5.71%

### American Great Outdoors

(64% Unreached)

A rugged blend of rural couples and retirees makes up American Great Outdoors. Scattered in remote communities around the country, this segment is characterized by aging households-about half are over 65- who like an outdoor lifestyle. These singles and couples live in modest homes, small apartment buildings and mobile homes. There's little emphasis on educational achievement, and one in five did not complete high school.



Households: 473

Percent: 4.73%

## Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP	ZIP %
Active Evangelical HHlds	891	8.91%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	2,267	22.66%