

PATTEGAR



Population: 11,500 Religion: Hinduism
Christian: 0% Language: Kannada



The Pattegar people, also known as the Savjis, originated in Northern India.

When Savjis from the north central India migrated to the southern states, many of them were involved in silk cleaning and weaving. Today, there are many Savji families in Karnataka, Andhra and Tamil Nadu who are still in the silk cleaning and weaving business.

Savji community is known for its hot and spicy non-vegetarian delicacies and Savji masala in places where Savjis are concentrated in large numbers. Goat meat, chicken and fish forms major component of Savji cuisine along with other vegetarian dishes.

Pray for a church to adopt the Pattegar/Savji people group, to pray for them, and to commit to reaching them with the gospel.