

## The Koya People: An Archeological View

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The current Telugu people of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh States on the east coast are the DNA H (Teli), a subgroup of the DNA H (Kui), who lived at the Trikuta for 20,000 years before the monsoon winds reversed direction 4,000 years ago. They were forced to relocate every 20,000 years when the monsoon winds reversed direction due to the Earth's orbit called Axial tilt. The dialects of the H (Teli) are called the Koya family. The current Koya people of northern Telangana are a subgroup of the Koya family. As they moved from Trikuta to the east coast along the Mahanadi River the Koya dialects were splintered into H (Odia) and H (Kuvi). The H (Kuvi) are now known as the Telugu language. Telugu is a mixture of Koya and Grandhika of the DNA J2b, who were also forced to move out of the Trikuta and reached the east coast along a different path. The Telugu of Telangana is actually the Koya family, not Telugu; it has no Grandhika.

