

YALE, KOSAREK

(YALE)

The Yale language is the westernmost language of the Mek language family. The position of the airstrip in the centre of the Yale area is 139'32" eastern longitude and 47'30" southern latitude ...

The people refer to themselves as Yalenang "people of the east" and to their language as yale yubu "language of the east". ... The names were given by the western neighbours of the Yale people who speak a quite different language of the Dani language family. Several generations ago the Yale people lived with their western neighbours and lived further to the west before turning eastward again ...

Other names intersect with those given above. ... The name Kosarek is the name of the area around the airstrip, Kosa'e in the Yale language and Kosarek in the language of the western neighbours. However, Kosarek has become the quasi-official name for the missions and for the Indonesian administration. Thus, we find also the terms "Kosarek people" and "Kosarek language". The main hamlets in the Yale area are (going from east to west): Malo (east of the In river), Uldam, Nohomas, and Wahae on the western side of the In river, Wahaldak (or Wasaldak) near the airstrip on the eastern side of the Denkomne river, Sedekahi, Hamboka, and Mine on the western side of the Denkomne river.

- Heeschen 1988:7.

... in the north-west, the Yale language spoken around Kosarek, the dialects spoken in the Iluk, Obahak, Sesom, and Yamek valleys ...

- Heeschen 1992:467.

Where no other names are known I will use the name of the river or that of the valley for the language as well as the people: Bime people or Bime language or Sesom dialect (of the inhabitants of the Sesom valley) ... [Sesom valley is KOSAREK Yale]

- Heeschen 1998:17.

... Names used in the literature are Kimyal for the language of the Korapun people, named after one of the important clans of the Erok valley, Kimyal; Hmanggonā for the language of the Nalca people; Una for the language of the people from Larye or Langda, named after the interrogative pronoun una "what"; Ketengban for the language in the area around Omban and Okbab; Yale (language) for the Kosarek people or the inhabitants of the In Valley. ...

- Heeschen 1998:17.

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(YALENANG)

Turning now to the Mek population living north of the watershed, we begin with those at the western end. The In valley is inhabited by the so-called Yalenang. This is a transition area. The people speak one of the Mek languages, but culturally

they have much in common with the Yali people. ... / Mek people are also living in two villages, Piniyi and Pindok, in the upper Ūbahak valley, near the juncture with the Sosom valley ..., which otherwise is inhabited by the Yali.

- Godschalk 1993:4-5.

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(YALE)

(Kosarek; Inlom)

2,300

LOC: South of Idenburg River, northwest of Nipsan

DIALECTS: Kosarek, Tiple, Kilika

- Silzer & Clouse 1991:86.

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(KOSAREK YALE)

Yale, Kosarek: 1,600 speakers reported in 1986, in the eastern highlands of Irian Jaya. Also called Kosarek, Yale-Kosarek, Wanam, or In Lom.

- Comrie 1992z:415.

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Eastern highlands, just east of Yali of Ninia, northwest of Nipsan, east of Dani, a little north of Yali of Angguruk. ... Closely related to Nipsan, Hmanggona, and Gilika. The term 'In Lom' refers to only half the group. ...

- Grimes 1992:585.

YALE, KOSAREK (KOSAREK, YALE-KOSAREK, WANAM, INLOM) ...

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- Grimes 1996.

YALE, KOSAREK (KOSAREK, YALE-KOSAREK, WANAM, INLOM) ...

2,300 (1993 R. Doriot UFM). Eastern highlands, just east of Yali of Ninia, northwest of Nipsan, east of Dani, a little north of Yali of Angguruk. Linguistic affiliation: Trans-New Guinea, Mek, Western. Dialects: KOSAREK, GILIKA (KILIKA), TIPLE. Closely related to Nipsan, Nalca, and Gilika. The term 'In Lom' refers to only half the group. ...

- Grimes 2000.

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[GILIKA]

Gilika: 800 speakers reported in 1986, in the eastern highlands, Irian Jaya.

- Comrie 1992z:414.

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Eastern highlands near Yale-Kosarek. ... Close to Yale-Kosarek and Nipsan. ...

- Grimes 1992:572.

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KELEKA

[shown as Mek language]
- Heeschen 1992:466 (map).
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KOSAREK

[Map]
Benebanal
Gilikaikma
Homoboka
Ikonikma
Kaampini
Kosarek
Kronos
Meine
Meringman
Noromas
Pindok
Pini
Pintewalikmu
Serekasi
Telampela
Uitam
Wahe
Wali
Wasaltek
Yabukibe
- Reuter 1975:88-89.

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... [Wanam = KOSAREK] ... 139° 29'; 4° 6' ...
- Heeschen 1978:7.

[Yale = KOSAREK]
- Heeschen 1992:466 (map).
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WANAM

Wanam is spoken near the Dani language border, nor far north
of Angguruk. ...
- Voorhoeve 1975b:400.

(WANAM)

? [speakers]
Dialects: ?
Villages: ?
- Voorhoeve 1975f:46.

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KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
KOSAREK	Mek (Heeschen 1978, 1992)
KOSAREK	2,000 Mek (Wurm & Hattori 1981; Wurm 1982, 1994)
KOSAREK = YALE	Heeschen 1988, 1992
KOSAREK -- d of YALE	Silzer & Clouse 1991
KOSAREK -- d of KOSAREK YALE	Grimes 1996, 2000
KOSAREK = KOSAREK YALE	Comrie 1992z; Grimes 1992, 1996,
KOSAREK YALE	1,600 (1986) Mek (Comrie 1992z)
KOSAREK YALE	1,600 Mek (Grimes 1992)
KOSAREK YALE	2,300 Mek (Grimes 1996, 2000)
GILIKA	800 (1986) Mek (Comrie 1992z)
GILIKA	800 Mek (Grimes 1992)
GILIKA -- d of KOSAREK YALE	Grimes 1996, 2000
KELEKA	Mek (Heeschen 1992)
KILIKA -- d of YALE	Silzer & Clouse 1991
KILIKA = GILIKA d of KOSAREK YALE	Grimes 1996, 2000
INLOM = YALE	Silzer & Clouse 1991
INLOM = KOSAREK YALE	Comrie 1992z; Grimes 1996, 2000
YALE	2,300 Mek (Goliath) (Silzer & Mek (Heeschen 1992)
YALE	Heeschen 1998
YALE = KOSAREK	Heeschen 1988
YALENANG = YALE (own name)	Comrie 1992z; Grimes 1992, 1996,
YALE-KOSAREK = KOSAREK YALE	
YALE YUBU = YALE (own name for language)	Heeschen 1988
WANAM	Wurm 1971f1, Voorhoeve 1975
WANAM = KOSAREK	Heeschen 1978; Wurm & Hattori 1981; Wurm 1982, 1994
WANAM = NIPSAN	Silzer & Clouse 1991
WANAM = KOSAREK YALE	Comrie 1992z; Grimes 1992, 1996,
Benebanal -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Gilikaikma -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Hamboka -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Homoboka -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Ikonikma -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Iluk V -- YALE	Heeschen 1992
Yabukibe -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Yamek V -- YALE	Heeschen 1992
Kaampini -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975

Kosarek -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Kosarek -- YALE	Silzer & Clouse 1991, Heeschen 1992
Kronos -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Malo -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Meine -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Mine -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Meringman -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Nohomas -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Noromas -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Obahak V -- YALE	Heeschen 1992
Pindok -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Pindok -- YALENANG	Godschalk 1993
Pini -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Pinii -- JALÉ	Koch 1966, 1974
Piniyi -- YALI	Zöllner 1988
Piniyi -- YALENANG	Godschalk 1993
Pintewalikmu -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Sedekahi -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Serekasi -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
SESOM -- d of KOSAREK YALE	Heeschen 1998
Sesom V -- YALE	Heeschen 1992
Telampela -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
TIPLE -- d of YALE	Silzer & Clouse 1991
TIPLE -- d of KOSAREK YALE	Grimes 1996, 2000
Uitam -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Uldam -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Wahae -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Wahe -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Wahaldak -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Wasaldak -- YALE	Heeschen 1988
Wali -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975
Wasaltek -- KOSAREK	Reuter 1975

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