

**CHOSEN –
TO PARTNER WITH JESUS IN BURUNDI!
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JOHN 4; MATT 14:14-21; MATT 25: 31-46; GEN 1:27**

Matthew 25:35-40 (Jesus) “For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶I was naked and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came to me.’ ³⁷ Then the righteous will answer him, saying, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you drink? ³⁸ And when did we see you a stranger and welcome you, or naked and clothe you? ³⁹ And when did we see you sick or in prison and visit you?’ ⁴⁰ And the King will answer them, ‘Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.’

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Genesis 1:27 “So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.”

Matthew 19:21 “Jesus said to him... “Go, sell what you possess and give to the poor, and you will have treasure; and come, follow me.”

LOOK IN:

1. Have you ever felt ashamed, labeled, or marginalized because of something you did, or just because of your life circumstances? Can you relate to the people of Burundi who often feel marginalized? Have you ever felt unworthy of God’s love?
2. Have you ever experienced a time when you had less, and so you felt less than? How does Genesis 1:27 speak to this?
3. Have you ever seen a group of people and reacted to them in a similar way that you react to your least favorite insect? How does Genesis 1:27 speak to this? In retrospect, how does this make you feel?
4. Do you feel the compassion Jesus has for the people of Burundi (poorest people in the world)? Why or why not?