



THE SIN OF PARTIALITY.

“LISTEN, MY BELOVED BROTHERS, HAS NOT GOD CHOSEN THOSE WHO ARE POOR IN THE WORLD TO BE RICH IN FAITH AND HEIRS OF THE KINGDOM, WHICH HE HAS PROMISED TO THOSE WHO LOVE HIM?”

JAMES 2:5

BIG IDEA

Faith on mission requires disciples to love others as Jesus loves us.

1. Showing Christ-like love is a cornerstone of our faith and our missional engagement with a lost world.
 - Our love for others is an overflow of the Fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5:22-23)
 - It distinguishes us from the world.
 - Our love for others gives glory to God.
 - It love reflects the genuine love that Christ showed us.
2. Showing impartiality is public sin that hurts His church.
 - Impartiality is contrary to the gospel of Christ (2 Corinthians 8:9)
 - We are called to make disciples... of every nation and every tribe!
3. To show genuine love is to follow God's commands.
 - We must believe that God can work in the lives of others as He worked in ours.

APPLICATION:

- We must be doers because of what God did for us.
 - Consider your grace story.
 - Allow the Spirit to work in you.