

Con.text: Weaving the Gospel and Culture

“Who is my Neighbor?”

Terry Townsend, August 23, 2017

Luke 10:24-37

(Alexander the Great) gave the Samaritans permissions to build a temple on Mt. Gerizim

Jesus viewed Samaritans as (individuals) in need of (salvation)

Luke 9:51-56

They were members of a (cult)

They were (multiracial)

Jews and Samaritans practiced first century (apartheid)

Jesus demonstrates that (mercy) triumphs over (religion)

You can't (choose) your neighbors

People no longer respond to evangelism by (guilt)

“It is not the person from the radically different culture on the other side of the world that is hardest to love, but the nearby neighbor whose skin color, language, rituals, values, ancestry, history, and customs are different from one's own.

Jews had no dealings with the Samaritans. With whom do you have no dealings”

– *Word in Life Study Bible*

(Pray)

(Care)

(Share)

Action Points

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Sundays 5 PM at Greenberg Elementary

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Focusing on an underserved neighborhood

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