



scripture from the margins

The Bible tells the story of a God who is always on the side of people that have been pushed to the edges of their society.

When you read your Bible, use the questions overleaf to help you reflect on what you read.

You may find that the scriptures surprise you, overturn your assumptions – and challenge you to take action to tackle poverty and injustice in the world today.



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I wonder...

- Who has the power in this Bible passage?
What happens to them?
 - Who is poor or powerless in the passage?
What happens to them?
 - Whose side is God on?
 - *Why* are things the way they are in this passage – and who is responsible?
 - Whose voices do we hear in the passage?
Which voices are excluded?
 - Who were the original audience or readers for the passage?
 - What kind of world did they live in?
 - In our world today, which people might have experiences similar to those described in the passage?
 - How should *I* respond?
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