

Life is Better **Together**: Marginalized  
*Sunday Night, March 4th, 2018*  
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- The single-never-been-married (college age, career age, middle age and older) *1 Corinthians 7:17-40*
- The single and divorced *John 4; 1 Corinthians 7:8-9*
- The widow and the widower  
*Psalms 68:5; 1 Timothy 5:3-16*
- The women *Matthew 28:1-10; 1 Timothy 5:1-2*
- The orphan (foster care, adoption) *James 1:27*
- The poor *Proverbs 31:8-9*
- The disabled *Matthew 21:27*
- The ethnic minority *Acts 6:16*
- The shut-in/nursing home resident  
*Leviticus 19:32; Matthew 8:14*
- The elderly *Proverbs 16:31*
- The hospitalized, chronically-ill and dying *Luke 5:40*
- The abused (physically, sexually, emotionally) *Psalms 82:3*
- The unpopular *James 2:1-23*
- The refugee/immigrant *Psalms 146:9*
- The grieving *Psalms 10:4; John 11:35*
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