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CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING PRINCIPLE #1 Human Dignity

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Gen 1:27 tells us that "God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them." Because the human person is the most central and clearest reflection of God among us human life is sacred. The worth and value of each and every person does not come from any human quality, legal mandate, or individual merit or accomplishment. The dignity of every person, independent of ethnicity, creed, gender, sexuality, age or ability, is the foundation of Catholic Social Teaching. Poverty, hunger, oppression and injustice make it impossible to live a life corresponding with this dignity.

(http://www.caritas.org.au/learn/catholic-social-teaching)

HOW does the background image demonstrate the innate dignity of the women?

HOW do I promote and respect human dignity?

HOW does our community promote and respect human dignity?