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## Values and Dignity

### Empowered Beyond Limits' Values

Family, Generosity

Integrity, Servanthood

Inclusion, Relational, Empathy, and  
Compassion

Partnership, and Accountability

"As it is, there are many parts, but one body. The eye cannot say to the hand, 'I don't need you!' And the head cannot say to the feet, 'I don't need you!' On the contrary, those parts of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, and the parts that we think are less honorable we treat with special honor. And the parts that are unpresentable are treated with special modesty, while our presentable parts need no special treatment. But God has put the body together, giving greater honor to the parts that lacked it, so that there should be no division in the body, but that its parts should have equal concern for each other. If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it." 1 Corinthians 12: 20-26



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## EMPOWERED BEYOND LIMITS

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Reaching People with  
Disabilities for Jesus Christ  
[Connecting Lives and Building Community](#)



## EMPOWERED BEYOND LIMITS MISSION STATEMENT

**Empowered Beyond Limits** exists to reach people living with and affected by disabilities with the gospel of Jesus Christ

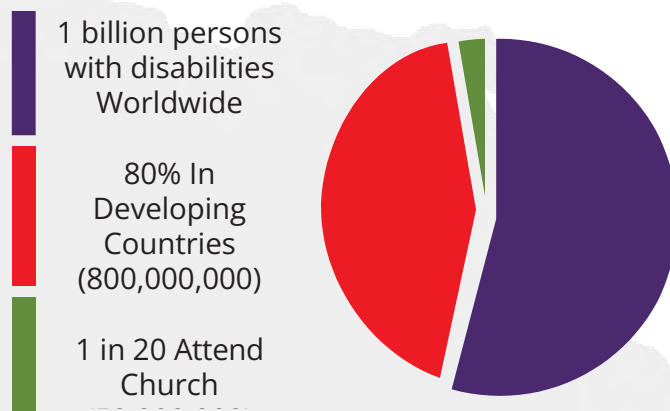
To bring about awareness of the holistic needs of persons with disabilities and their families by connecting with individuals, ministries and communities.

With the goal that every person living with disabilities will be empowered to be fully engaged, participating in, and integrated into the community and the body of Christ.

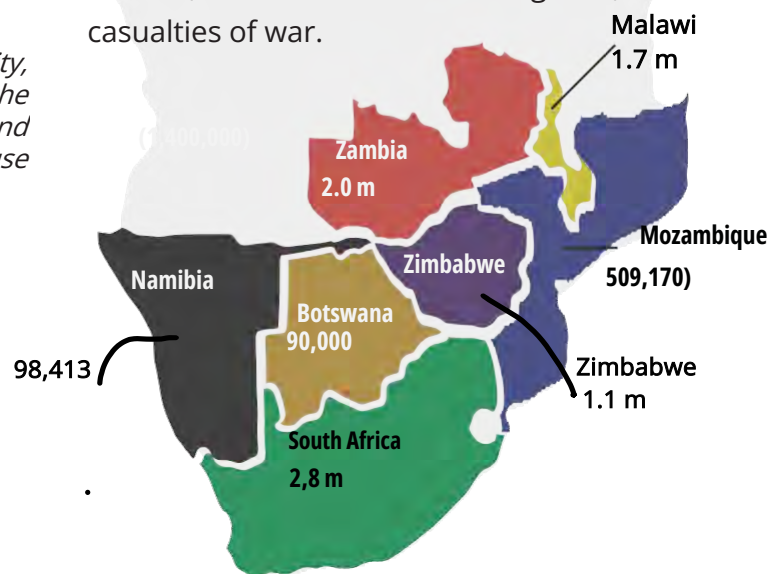
*"Go out quickly into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in here the poor and the maimed and the lame and the blind...Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled."*

- Luke 14:21, 23

## STATISTICS ON PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES



People with disabilities is one of the largest minority groups worldwide, and there are over 7,000,000 in the southern portion of the African continent. The number of persons with disabilities continues to grow in various ways, such as aging, accidents, birth defects, disease, even after-effects of surgeries, and casualties of war.



## PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES BELONG

**Empowered Beyond Limits** believes that partnerships with persons with disabilities, and their families will bring many blessings. Our hope is that God will reveal the truth to the local churches and the communities in Southern Africa to see that the Body of Christ is incomplete without including people with disabilities

The Bible tells us that when Jesus and his disciples met a man blind from birth, the disciples asked Jesus if the man's blindness was due to sin. Jesus admonished his disciples for this opinion, saying in John 9:3, "Neither this man nor his parents sinned," said Jesus, **but this happened so that the works of God might be displayed in him.**"

*And He said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness." Therefore, most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me. Therefore, I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in needs, in persecutions, in distresses, for Christ's sake. For when I am weak, then I am strong. - 2 Corinthians 12:9,10*