Religious Identity Collage

I was born in a Christian family, specifically protestant family. I always went with my parents every Sunday to church and sometimes during the weekday. I believed in everything I was taught as a kid, but as I grew up, I started to pave my way and figure out what type of Christian I want to be if all.

When I moved out of my parents’ house, I started finding my way through Christianity, practicing what makes sense to me while learning more from the Holy bible on my own. The first picture of the Collage shows the Holy bible, which is a book that I have found to help me through any situation. The Bible restores my faith and builds my relationship with God everyday as I learn more about his ways.

Learning the bible on my own came to a point where I could not understand somethings and that is where I needed someone who I could trust to know better than I do regarding what God wants me to understand in his word. That is when I got to know Apostle Mignone Kabera, A Rwandan Woman and mother who has dedicated her life to empowering women while helping them grow in their faith. Apostle Mignone in the bottom right picture has been a great help and example for me as I grow in my faith and pursue my career as I aspire to be a successful Christian woman.

Moreover, The Bottom left corner has a bible verse that I always try to live up to. Which is living in peace with everyone. I used to be someone that would just not care about my actions as long as I think I am right, but the more I grow in my Christian journey, I came to realize the importance of living at peace with people and considering other people’s emotions before I act since I believe that I don’t just exist as an individual but I exist in a community God has created for me to live in.

Lastly, I have a picture of my two little sisters, Esther and Eunice, on the top left corner. I did not get a chance to spend a long time with my little sisters because I only went to boarding high schools and by the time I was done with high school, I came to the US and never got time to really establish a bond with them. However, one thing I always take as a miracle is how close we turned out to be. I feel like they are my little children that I need to take care of, and they take me as they best friend and can count on me for anything. When I see this bond between us, I feel so grateful and amazed by God. I always wonder how people that never really got to interact, still get to have such a strong bond. This confirms to me that this is God’s doing and there is a reason for them to be in my life.