



Building Connections through Community Digitization Events

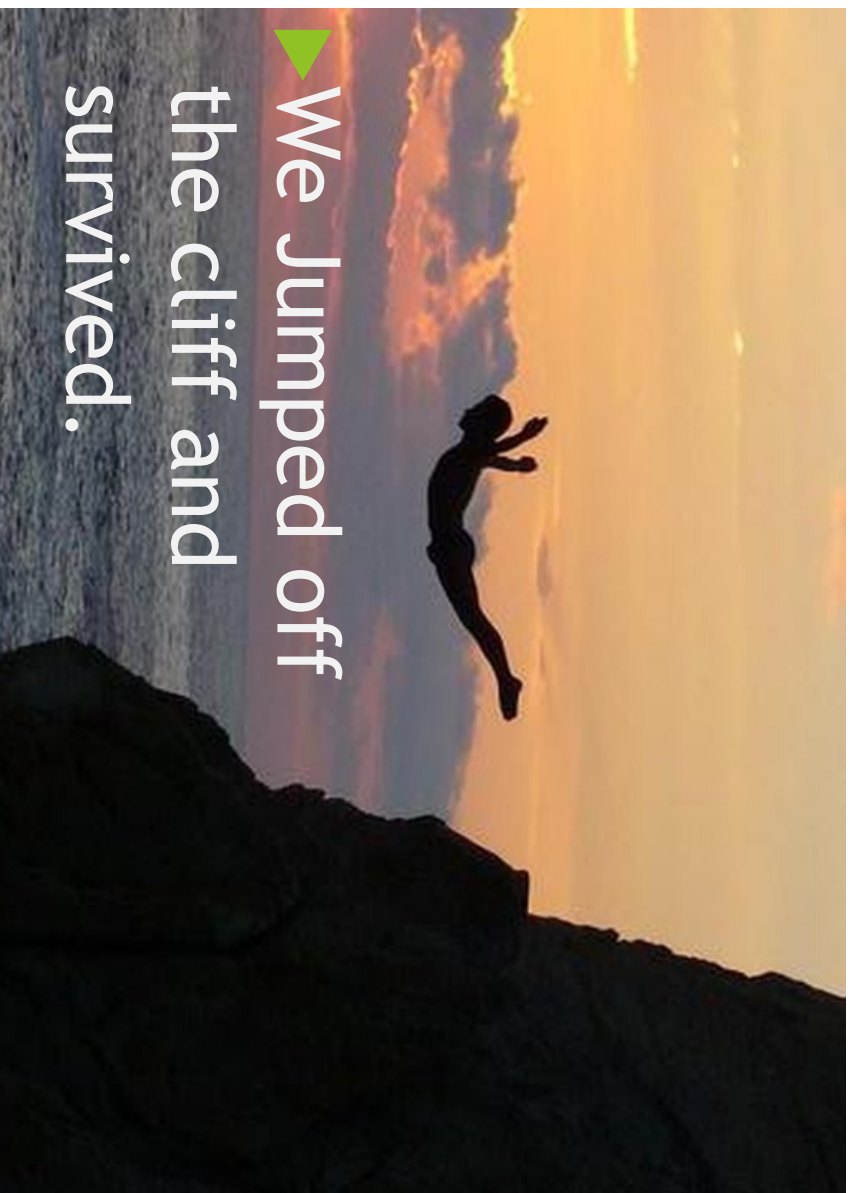
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Good News



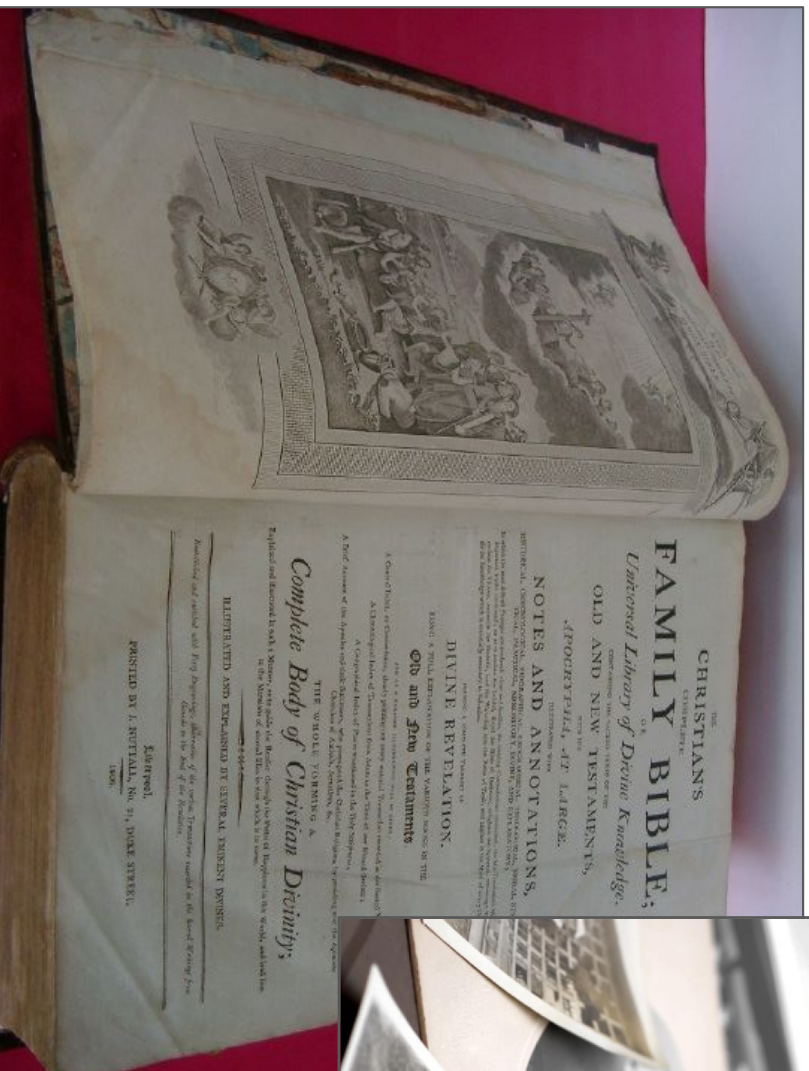
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the cliff and
survived.

Who's the Messenger - Why it Matters

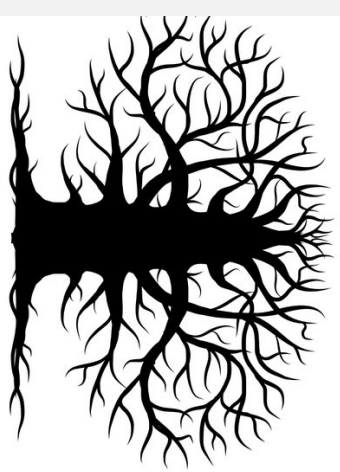


- **Cultural competence** is the ability to understand, communicate with and effectively interact with people across **cultures**. **Cultural competence** encompasses. being aware of one's own world view. developing positive attitudes towards **cultural** differences. gaining knowledge of different **cultural** practices and world views.

Lessons Learned



Thank you Questions?



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