

Our Place in the Race

By *Leeann Younger*, p. 54

The wild, amazing, and frankly, impossible story at the center of our faith.

1. What is the longest distance you have ever run—either as exercise or in competition?
2. What might be the problem with a “finish line faith” or having an end goal of getting people to profess faith in Jesus?
3. What do you think the difference is between a ministry of relief and *zzzza* ministry of transformation?
4. What do you think Leeann Younger means when she says the new life Jesus offers is an invitation to take our place in the race?
5. Younger says, “Our call is to run our part of the relay with perseverance.” What might that look like in your context?