

# **Franciscan Servant Leader**

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# OUTLINE

- ▶ **Introduction**
- ▶ **Franciscan servant leader (FSL) as extension of the Gospel**
- ▶ **FSL as example of Jesus**
- ▶ **FSL as embodiment of the Franciscan charism**
- ▶ **respect for all creation**
- ▶ **reconciling the sisters and brothers**
- ▶ **Conclusion**

# **Some Elements of the Franciscan Charism...**

- ▶ **Respect for individual dignity**
- ▶ **Hospitality, courtesy, kindness**
- ▶ **Friendship, openness, truthfulness**
- ▶ **Fostering loving relationship**
- ▶ **Serving, caring for the poor and oppressed**

# **Some Elements of the Franciscan Charism...(con't)**

- ▶ **Concern for social justice issues**
- ▶ **Taking responsible social action**
- ▶ **Offering unselfish service, altruism**
- ▶ **Respect for all creatures**
- ▶ **Fostering a simple lifestyle, stewardship**
- ▶ **Human dignity and empowerment of people**

# **Some Elements of the Franciscan Charism...(con't)**

- ▶ **Concern for environmental issues.**
- ▶ **Healing and reconciliation**
- ▶ **Conflict resolution**
- ▶ **Forgiveness**
- ▶ **Care and understanding, to eliminate fears.**

**Let us bless the Lord....**

**The living and true God.**

**Let us always give back to God...**

**Praise, Glory, Honor,**

**Blessing, and Every Good!**

**Amen, so be it, Amen!**