

Connecting the Words of the Play with the Words of the Lord:

"Do not be overcome with evil. Overcome evil with good."

Romans 12:21

In the Chicago of The Boys and The Nuns, our titular activists and sisters are subject to so much ignorance, judgment and hatred. For me, when I begin to feel overwhelmed by some of the same forces our characters face, I turn to grace and strength found in this verse from Paul's letter to the Romans. This desire to combat the evil of the world with the good in humanity (namely our ability to love, heal, understand, etc...) is a huge part of this story.