

John 4:1-42 Part II

Four Evangelistic Ironies of the Well

1. The _____ and _____ of All Things is Thirsty: (7-9)

- a. He humbles himself and requests her _____:
 - i. He breaks all ethnic, social, and religious taboos. –*John 10:16; 19:28*
 - ii. He sent his disciples to buy food from the Samaritans. –*John 8:48*
- b. She is _____ that He would speak with her:
 - i. Lit. ‘Jews do not use _____ with Samaritans.’ –*Ezra 4:3*
 - ii. Rabbis do not normally talk to _____. –*John 4:27*

2. The One _____ for Water is the True _____: (10-12)

- a. If she knew who Jesus was she would be the one asking for water:
 - i. Jesus is the _____ of _____ for the salvation of man. –*John 3:16*
 - ii. Jesus offers living water: the _____. –*Ezek 36:25-27; 47:9*
- b. The woman misunderstands and _____ His greatness:
 - i. Jesus has no bucket to draw water from the well. –*John 3:4*
 - ii. Is Jesus _____ than Jacob and his sons? –*John 8:53*

3. One Greater than _____ Sits at Jacob’s Well: (13-15)

- a. Jesus offers something _____ than Jacob’s well:
 - i. All who drink from Jacob’s well will thirst again. –*Ps 104:5-11*
 - ii. Jesus’ water will become a _____ of _____. –*Is 12:3; 49:10*
- b. She _____, and asks for Jesus’ water. –*John 3:4*

4. The One Speaking of Her Husband Knows _____: (16-18)

- a. Jesus tells her to call her husband:
 - i. He helps the woman to see her _____ for His water. –*John 16:8*
 - ii. She speaks truly, yet hides her _____ and _____. –*John 8:34*
- b. Jesus gently, yet firmly, reveals the _____ about her:
 - i. She is a _____ and likely an _____. –*John 8:3*
 - ii. She must be willing to be _____ about her sin. –*1 John 1:5-10*
 - iii. Jesus knows all she has ever done yet still _____ her. –*John 4:29*

John 4:7-18

A woman from Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, “Give me a drink.” ⁸ (For his disciples had gone away into the city to buy food.) ⁹ The Samaritan woman said to him, “How is it that you, a Jew, ask for a drink from me, a woman of Samaria?” (For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans.) ¹⁰ Jesus answered her, “If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, ‘Give me a drink,’ you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water.” ¹¹ The woman said to him, “Sir, you have nothing to draw water with, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water? ¹² Are you greater than our father Jacob? He gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did his sons and his livestock.” ¹³ Jesus said to her, “Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, ¹⁴ but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty again. The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life.” ¹⁵ The woman said to him, “Sir, give me this water, so that I will not be thirsty or have to come here to draw water.”

¹⁶ Jesus said to her, “Go, call your husband, and come here.” ¹⁷ The woman answered him, “I have no husband.” Jesus said to her, “You are right in saying, ‘I have no husband’; ¹⁸ for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true.”