

Living Water

John 4:1-30

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The story we will be examining today is full of _____.
A woman with severe rejection and _____ comes
unexpectedly face to face with the only One who can help her. The
_____ of that conversation was also unexpected.

A. The _____

1. Jesus

- a. He was gaining a _____.
- b. The Pharisees were beginning to _____.
- c. "He must needs go _____ Samaria."
- d. He was _____.

2. The _____

- a. _____
 - (1). A _____ ethnic group and despised by the Jews
 - (2). Had a _____ view of Scripture and salvation
- b. Shamelessly _____ (tired, thirsty, _____, disillusioned, rejected, and dissatisfied)
- c. _____ questioner
- d. _____ reasoner (v. 11)
- e. Bewildered _____ (v. 15)
- f. _____ conversation
- g. Earnest _____
- h. _____ testifier

B. The Picture of _____ Water

1. Two _____ words used.

- a. Pit, or _____ in vv. 11 and 12
- b. _____, fountain in vv. 6 (twice) and 14
Metaphorically: the indwelling _____ of God in John 4:14, and eternal life and the future _____ accruing from it in Rev. 7:17 and 21:6.

2. Distinctions between the two _____ of wells
 - a. Accumulation of water in a hole, _____, or cistern.
 - (1). Water _____ to be living when it is gathered, stored, and kept.
 - (2). Collected water becomes _____.
 - b. Living water is always _____, bubbling up.
Gen. 26:19
3. Christ's _____ – the gift of God (His Son)
 - a. The same thought in the conversation with _____.
 - b. Jesus is referring to the _____ Scriptures:
 - (1). Jeremiah 2:13, "My people have committed two evils; they have forsaken Me the fountain of living waters; and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water."
 - (2). Zechariah 14:8 "living waters shall go out from Jerusalem"
 - c. The _____ of the gift
 - (1). _____ (v. 14)
 - (2). Isaiah 55:1
 - d. The _____ of the gift. John 6:35; 7:37