



Virginia Agape International Baptist Church

## Children's Cell Newsletter

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**Dear Parents,**

Thank you so much for allowing your child to join our service. I'd love for you to use this newsletter to review this week's Bible story with your child at home.

Today, we'll learn that **"Jesus Told a Woman about Living Water"** (John 4). *In this Bible story, Jesus met a woman who had come to a well to draw water. Even though the woman was a Samaritan, Jesus did not try to avoid her. Instead, He offered her the gift of eternal life. Her life was never the same.*

Review the gospel and encourage your child to speak with you if they have questions. Remind your child that God loves us so much that He sent His Son, Jesus, to die for us. Encourage them to remember that we can know with confidence that God loves us because of what Jesus has done for us. Then pray, thanking God for the gift of eternal life and the Holy Spirit.

*Grace and blessings in Christ,*

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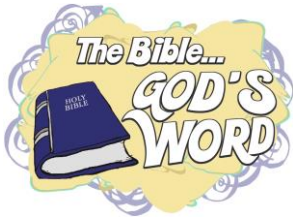
## Jesus Told a Woman about Living Water

BIBLE PASSAGE: John 4

KEY PASSAGE: John 1:29

BIG PICTURE QUESTION: *How do we know God loves us?*

**We can know that God loves us because He gave us Jesus  
to forgive the sins of the world.**



Jesus and His disciples traveled through Samaria and stopped in a town with a well. Jesus' disciples went into town to buy food. While Jesus was at the well, a Samaritan woman came to get water from the well. Jesus said to her, "Give

Me a drink."

The woman was surprised. "Why are You talking to me?" she asked. "You're a Jew, and I'm a Samaritan."

Jesus said, "I asked you for a drink. You don't know who I am. If you did, you would have asked Me for a drink, and I would give you living water." The woman was confused. She said, "Sir, this well is deep, and You don't have a bucket. Where do You get this 'living water'?" Jesus said, "Anyone who drinks this well water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks from the water I give will never be thirsty again! In fact, the water I give will become a well inside you, and you will have eternal life." Jesus was talking about the Holy Spirit, but the woman did not understand.

"Sir," she said, "give me this water. If I'm not thirsty, I won't have to keep coming to this well to get water."

"Go get your husband," Jesus said.

"I don't have a husband," the woman replied. Jesus knew she was telling the truth. He






said, “You don’t have a husband now, but you’ve had five husbands.”

Jesus was right. “I see You are a prophet,” the woman said. Maybe this prophet could explain something to her. She said, “The Samaritans worship here on a mountain, but the Jews say we need to worship at the temple in Jerusalem.” Jesus said, “Soon you will not need to be in either of those places to worship God in spirit and in truth.”

The woman said, “I know the Messiah is coming. When He comes, He will explain everything to us.” Then Jesus said, “I am the Messiah.”

The woman left and told the people in her town, “Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did! Could this be the Messiah?” Many Samaritans believed in Jesus because of what the woman said. Jesus stayed in their town for two days. Many more believed because of what Jesus said. They told the woman, “We no longer believe because of what you said, for we have heard for ourselves and know that this really is the Savior of the world.”

*Christ Connection: Jesus offers something better than physical water; He gives us Himself. Jesus gives the Holy Spirit to everyone who comes to Him by faith. We can worship Him as Lord and Savior wherever we are.*



**But God shows his love for us in  
that while we were still sinners,  
Christ died for us.**

Romans 5:8



## REMINDER

### [ Important Notice ]

- ✓ Children's cell worship service will start at 12:00 noon.
- ✓ Please encourage and help your child to read and write the Bible. The next Bible quiz will be from **1 Samuel 12**.
- ✓ **Upcoming:**  
**Spring Picnic & Outdoor Service** on April 30.
- ✓ Remind your children **not to play with electronic devices or toys** such as smartphones or dolls, during our service.
- ✓ Our prayer is that the children's time spent in our church would encourage them to trust Christ as Savior, to submit to Him, and to live out the Gospel wherever they are.



### "People Rejected Jesus" (Luke 4)

