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PHILIPPIANS 2:9

"Who is Jesus?"

- Jesus is the "Second Adam"
- Jesus is the "Anointed One"
- Jesus is the "Alpha & Omega"
- Jesus is the "Ancient of Days"
- Jesus is the "Bread of Life"
- Jesus is the "Branch of Jesse"
- Jesus is the "Captain of our Faith"

- Jesus is the "Chief Cornerstone"
- Jesus is the "Daysman"
- Jesus is the "Door of the Sheep"
- Jesus is the "Everlasting Father"
- Jesus is the "Friend of Sinners"
- Jesus is the "First Fruits"

Jesus: Fountain of Living Waters

"I will be satisfied when I awake with his likeness."

Psalm 17:15

The Context of Our this Passage

- John 3 gives the account of Jesus' interview with the Pharisee, Nicodemus. His religion was not sufficient. He needed <u>new birth</u>.
- John 4 gives the account of Jesus' encounter with the immoral Samaritan woman at Jacob's well. Jesus shows her she needed <u>living water</u>.

Jesus is the Savior who can give living water to all thirsty souls.

"He had to pass through Samaria" (John 4:4)

"There cometh a woman of Samaria to draw water" (4:7)

- This was unusual because she was doing it at noon
- This lady was intentionally avoiding interactions with people

"Jesus saith unto her, Give me to drink" (4:7)

- This was shocking because Jews despised Samaritans and never talked to them
- This was shocking because in that culture men never talked to woman in public

If you are going to be affective in Gospel conversation, you have to get into people's lives.

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"Counsel in the heart of man is like deep water; but a man of understanding will draw it out."

Proverbs 20:5

Jesus is drawing out what she is thirsting for.

- Everyone is thirsty.
- Everyone has desires.
- Everyone is looking for something.

"If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink. He that believeth on me, as the Scripture has said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water."

You don't understand the answer unless you understand the question.

- Jesus was not talking about the body.
- Jesus was talking about the soul.

At the point where people thirst is where Gospel conversation become the most affective form of evangelism.

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#3: The Fountain of Living Waters Reaches People at the Thought Level

- A. In order to drink of this water, you need to know that it is
 - V. 10 "Living water"
 - V. 14 "Whosoever drinkers of the water ... shall never thirst"
 - V. 15 "Shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life"

#3: The Fountain of Living Waters Reaches People at the Thought Level

- A. In order to drink of this water, you need to know that it is
- B. In order to drink of this water, you need to know who it is
 - 1. The fact that Jesus was tired and thirsty shows that He is human
 - 2. The fact that Jesus is able to give living water shows that He is God

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- A. In order to drink of this water, you need to know that it is
- B. In order to drink of this water, you need to know who it is
- C. In order to drink of this water, you need to know how to drink it
 - 1. To drink of this water you must acknowledge your need to God
 - 2. To drink of this water you must confess your sin to God
 - 3. To drink of this water you must bow before God
 - 4. To drink of this water you must believe in Jesus for who He is

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