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Jesus and the woman of Samaria... Jn.4.1-18

What is worth noting about **Jn.4:3-4**? **4:9**; **8:48**; **4:34**; **6:38**

What is doctrinally important to see in **4:6**?; **Mt.4:2**, **8:24**; **Heb.2:17**, **4:15**

What does Jesus ask her? **4:7**; **Heb.2:17**, **4:15**

So what are the 'barriers' to what Jesus does? **4:7-9**; **Lu.7:39** Note: **dealings=handle utensils**

What is clear from the woman's response? **4:9**; **Lu.7:39** Note: see **Lu.10:33**, **17:16-19**

What does Jesus offer her? **4:10**, **7:37-39**; **17:3**; **Jer.2:13**; **Eph.2:8**; **II Cor.9:15**; **Is.12:2-3**

What is her response? **4:11-12**; **ICor.2:14**

And what is His gentle response to her? **4:13-14**, **7:37-38**; **Isa.12:3**

And what is the woman's reply to this? **4:15**, **6:26-40**; **Rom.8:5**

What does her response clearly indicate about her understanding? **Rom.8:5**; **ICor.2:14**

What (2) things does she need to address to get His living water? **4:16**, **26**

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The Jews hatred for Samaritans was so great they went around! Jesus did Father's will

What is doctrinally important to see in [4:6](#)?; [Mt.4:2](#), [8:24](#); [Heb.2:17](#), [4:15](#)

Jesus was wearied. He is 100% Deity and 100% human. He must be both to redeem...

What does Jesus ask her? [4:7](#); [Heb.2:17](#), [4:15](#)

(You) give me a drink! He's thirsty, it's high noon, it's hot. Reasonable, but 'forbidden'!

So what are the 'barriers' to what Jesus does? [4:7-9](#); [Lu.7:39](#) Note: [dealings=handle utensils](#)

Jews never dealt with Samaritans, and Jewish men did not talk with women in public.

What is clear from the woman's response? [4:9](#); [Lu.7:39](#) Note: see [Lu.10:33](#), [17:16-19](#)

She was astonished that a Jewish man, would even speak to her, a Samaritan woman!

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Jesus offers, if you knew Him, living water. That is, eternal life giving water. Jer.2:13

What is her response? [4:11-12](#); [ICor.2:14](#)

You have no bucket/rope! Where's this water from? Are You greater than Jacob??

And what is His gentle response to her? [4:13-14](#), [7:37-38](#); [Isa.12:3](#)

Jacob's well water will not suffice. My water will become a gushing well of eternal life!

And what is the woman's reply to this? [4:15](#), [6:26-40](#); [Rom.8:5](#)

Give me this water, so that I won't be thirsty or have to come here to draw water!

What does her response clearly indicate about her understanding? [Rom.8:5](#); [ICor.2:14](#)

She doesn't get beyond the physical! Just like Nicodemus! Response of 'natural man'...

What (2) things does she need to address to get His living water? [4:16](#), [26](#)

She needs to confess/repent of her sins and acknowledge Jesus as Christ, the Messiah.