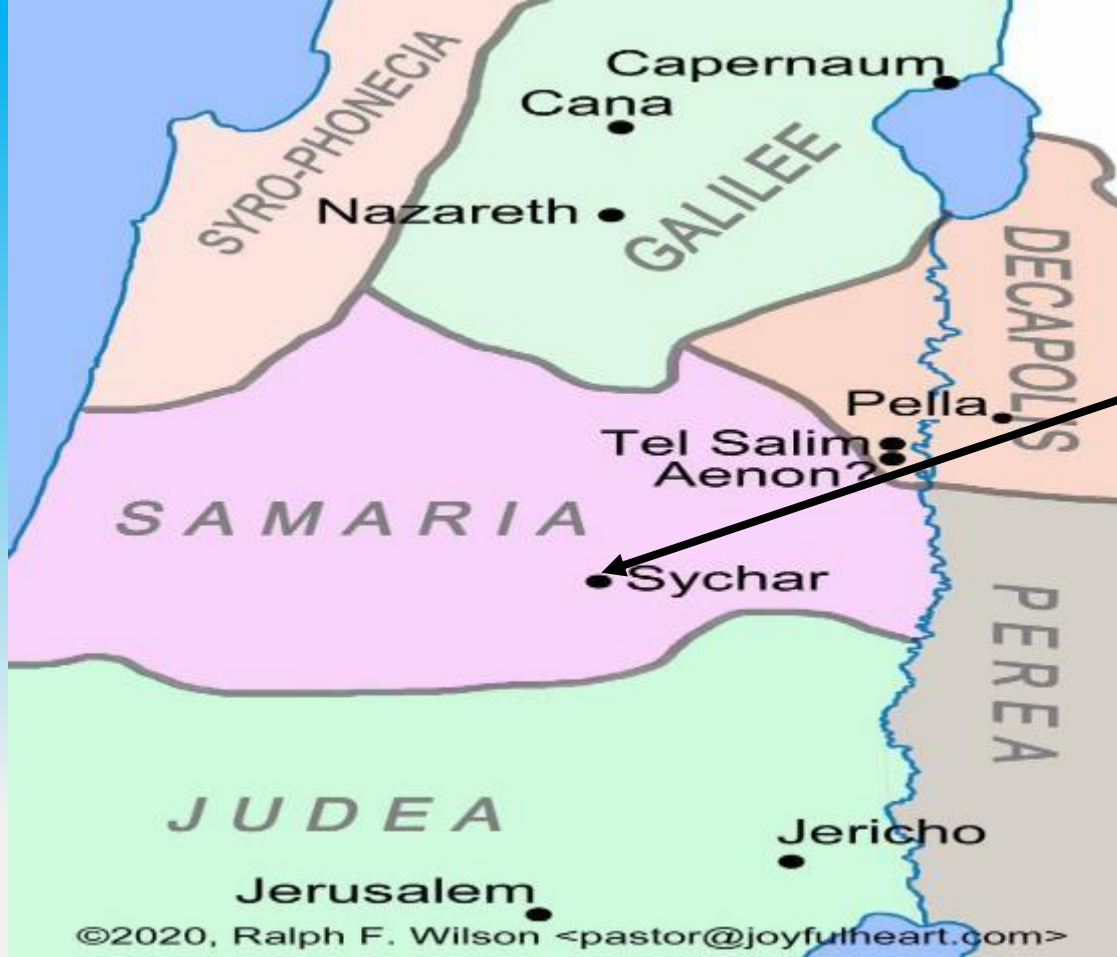




# Welcoming A Life

John 4:7-26 (NLT2)



# Jacob's Well

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## I. Jesus Welcomes the Woman

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## John 4:7 (NLT2)

<sup>7</sup> Soon a Samaritan woman came to draw water, and Jesus said to her, "Please give me a drink."





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**John 4:9 (NLT2)**

**9 The woman was surprised, for Jews refuse to have anything to do with Samaritans. She said to Jesus, "You are a Jew, and I am a Samaritan woman. Why are you asking me for a drink?"**



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## **Barriers of This Time**

**Racial – Samaritans vs Jews**

**Religious – Samaritans vs Jews**

**Sexist – Male vs Female**





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**John 4:10 (NLT2)**

<sup>10</sup> Jesus replied, "If you only knew the gift God has for you and who you are speaking to, you would ask me, and I would give you living water."



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**John 4:11 (NLT2)**

11 “But sir, you don’t have a rope or a bucket,” she said, “and this well is very deep. Where would you get this living water?”





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## John 7:38-39 (NLT2)

38 "He who believes in Me,  
as the Scripture said, 'From  
his innermost being will flow  
rivers of living water.'" 39 But  
this He spoke of the Spirit,  
whom those who believed in  
Him were to receive...



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## John 4:12 (NLT2)

<sup>12</sup> And besides, do you think you're greater than our ancestor Jacob, who gave us this well? How can you offer better water than he and his sons and his animals enjoyed?"



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**John 4:13 (NLT2)**

<sup>13</sup> Jesus replied, "Anyone who drinks this water will soon become thirsty again."





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## John 4:14 (NLT2)

<sup>14</sup> But those who drink the water I give will never be thirsty again. It becomes a fresh, bubbling spring within them, giving them eternal life."



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## John 4:15 (NLT2)

<sup>15</sup> “Please, sir,” the woman said, “give me this water! Then I’ll never be thirsty again, and I won’t have to come here to get water.”





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## John 4:16 (NLT2)

<sup>16</sup> “Go and get your husband,” Jesus told her.

She needs to have her conscience reawakened. She needs to be aware of her sin. She needs to know that she needs a Savior. She needs to thirst for “living water”.



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## John 4:17 (NLT2)

17 “I don’t have a husband,”  
the woman replied. Jesus  
said, “You’re right! You don’t  
have a husband—





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## John 4:18 (NLT2)

<sup>18</sup> for you have had five husbands, and you aren't even married to the man you're living with now. You certainly spoke the truth!"



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**Religious – Samaritans vs Jews**

**Sexist – Male vs Female**

**Moral – Her Sin vs Jesus Purity**





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**I. Jesus Welcomes the Woman**

**II. The Woman Welcomes Jesus**

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## John 4:19 (NLT2)

19 “Sir,” the woman said,  
“you must be a prophet.

A Jew

John 4:9

Sir

John 4:11,15

Prophet

John 4:19





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## **John 4:20 (NLT2)**

**20 So tell me, why is it that you Jews insist that Jerusalem is the only place of worship, while we Samaritans claim it is here at Mount Gerizim, where our ancestors worshiped?"**



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**John 4:21 (NLT2)**

**21 Jesus replied, "Believe me, dear woman, the time is coming when it will no longer matter whether you worship the Father on this mountain or in Jerusalem.**





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**John 4:22 (NLT2)**

**22 You Samaritans know very little about the one you worship, while we Jews know all about him, for salvation comes through the Jews.**



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## John 4:23 (NLT2)

**23** But the time is coming—indeed it's here now—when true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and in truth. The Father is looking for those who will worship him that way.





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**John 4:24 (NLT2)**

**24 For God is Spirit, so those who worship him must worship in spirit and in truth."**



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## John 4:25 (NLT2)

25 The woman said, "I know the Messiah is coming—the one who is called Christ. When he comes, he will explain everything to us."





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John 4:26 (NLT2)

26 Then Jesus told her,  
"I AM the Messiah!"



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A Jew

John 4:9

Sir

John 4:11,15

Prophet

John 4:19

Messiah

John 4:26

Messiah = Hebrew

Christ = Greek

Meaning is "Anointed One"





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## Isaiah 7:14 (NASB)

<sup>14</sup> "Therefore the Lord  
Himself will give you a sign:  
Behold, a virgin will be with  
child and bear a son, and  
she will call His name  
Immanuel.



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### Isaiah 9:6 (NASB)

<sup>6</sup> For a child will be born to us,  
a son will be given to us; And  
the government will rest on His  
shoulders; And His name will  
be called Wonderful Counselor,  
Mighty God, Eternal Father,  
Prince of Peace.







**Mr. Prakash  
Chunduru  
and  
His Wife  
Parimala  
Yendluri**