## Words By A Well

Insights from John 4:1-42 (Dialogues w/ Jesus, part 2) Pastor Bob Johnson, November 22nd, 2020

Pilate replied, "You are a king then?" "You say that I am a king, and you are right," Jesus said. "I was born for that purpose. And <u>I came to bring truth to the world</u>. All who love the truth recognize that what I say is true." John 18:37 (NLT)

## Insights from Jesus' dialogue with the 'woman at the well'

Truth #1: I can't hide my \_\_\_\_\_\_ from God.

Three Ineffective Ways to Deal With Sin:

- try to I \_\_\_\_\_.
- try to I \_\_\_\_\_.
- try to I \_\_\_\_\_.

Taking the 1st Step Toward Truth:

Be honest with ...

Truth #2: Jesus knows all about me and still \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Every "saint" has a \_\_\_\_\_ and every "sinner" has a \_\_\_\_\_ !

### Taking the 2nd step toward truth:

Believe that the one who knows you best ...

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#### Truth #3: My choices have \_\_\_\_\_

(Galatians 6:7-8)

#### Taking the 3rd step toward truth:

Understand that God loves us just the way we are and loves us enough to not ...

# Truth #4: Jesus is the only one who can satisfy our \_\_\_\_\_.

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." John 4:10 (NLT)

"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." John 4:14 (NLT)

As the deer longs for streams of water, so I long for you, O God. 2 I thirst for God, the living God. Psalm 42:1-2 (NLT)

See, God has come to save me. I will trust in him and not be afraid. The Lord God is my strength and my song; he has given me victory. 3 With joy you will drink deeply from the fountain of salvation! Isaiah 12:2-3 (NLT)

And he also said, "It is finished! I am the Alpha and the Omega—the Beginning and the End. To all who are thirsty I will give freely from the springs of the water of life." Revelation 21:6 (NLT)

#### Taking the best step toward truth:

Admit your \_\_\_\_\_ and accept

Jesus' thirst quenching offer.

God blesses those who realize their need for him, for the Kingdom of Heaven is given to them. Matthew 5:3 (NLT)

Jesus stood and shouted to the crowds, "If you are thirsty, come to me! If you believe in me, come and drink!" John 7:37-38 (NLT)

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