## THE GOSPEL OF JOHN Chapter 4

## INTRODUCTION...

In Chapter Four we begin to get into the different interactions that Jesus had with people. It is important to understand how it is that Jesus dealt with people in order to know how Jesus deals with us. Hebrews 13:8 tells us that Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever. Because of this glorious truth, we can take to heart that Jesus has the same heart for His people and still treats them in the same manner. Pay close attention, through observation, to all of the details of the impact of His interaction with the Samaritan woman at the well, His disciples and the nobleman's son.

Be sure that you read the questions carefully to make sure that you have answered the complete question. You will notice that some of the questions may have more than one part to them.

Remember that you will be using the Inductive Bible Study (IBS) method of study. Which means that in each study you will be required to make observations, interpretations and application of what you have observed and interpreted. (see further explanation in Study #1)

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE...

John 4:10

10 Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, 'Give Me a drink,' you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water."

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## THIS WEEKS BIBLE STUDY...CHAPTER FOUR...

Be sure and pray before you begin your bible study, asking the Lord to reveal those things that He wants you to know from the text you are reading.

Read through the chapter, at least twice, and then answer the following questions. Be sure to write the Scripture reference to support your answer.

Why did Jesus leave Judea? Where did he go from there? What route did Jesus take?
How do we know this woman was from Samaria?
What city was Jesus in when he met the Samaritan woman?
What was so surprising to the woman in regards to Jesus talking to her? Why was it surprising?
Why was the woman having trouble understanding what Jesus was asking and saying?

AWhat application does this have within me?						
What did Jesus mean by 'living water'?						
What spiritual truth was Jesus trying to explain to the woman, in vs. 10-15?						
What was one of the differences between the Jews and the Samaritans?						
What significant truth about 'eternal life' was Jesus trying to convey in vs 22 & 23?						

What four things do we know about 'the Messiah' from this conversation between Jesus and this woman? (Be sure to list only what the verses state)							
What most impressed the woman about Jesus?							
What did the people do when the woman told them about Jesus? Why did they respond the way they did?							
What did Jesus mean by vs. 32?							
What was the disciples' response to what Jesus said to the woman and why did they respond that way?							

What work was Jesus talking about in vs 34? How do you know this?							
What do you think Jesus meant by vs 35?							
In the context of vs 34-38, what do you think Jesus was saying in vs 38?							
Why did so many Samaritans believe in Jesus?							
What did the Samaritans come to know about Jesus? How?							
AWhat is the personal application to us in regards to the previous question?							

How long was Jesus in Sychar?						
Why did the Galileans receive Jesus?						
From previous studies, what do we know about Cana?						
Who and where was the person who needed to be healed? How do we know they wanted to be healed?						
What do you think Jesus was saying in vs 48?						
AWhat is the personal application of vs 48?						

Why did the nobleman believe in Jesus?						
What is the significance of the latter part of vs 53?						
AWhat application should this whole incident in vs 46-54 have in our lives?						
Write down some of the things that the Lord spoke to your heart while studying Chapter 4?						

QUESTIONS?			

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