

The Woman at the Well

New Life in Christ

Lesson 10

The Teacher's Preparation

Scripture Passages to Study: John 4:1-42

Study Guide: Read "The Woman at the Well: *New Life in Christ*" from *The Life of Christ - Part 1*.

Lesson Objective: In an unlikely place, at an unlikely hour, using an unlikely request, Jesus made an unlikely convert who was responsible for igniting a great revival. In this lesson, Jesus gives us an example: we can win anyone, anywhere, any time.

Lesson Application: I need to tell others about Jesus! Who can I tell about Jesus this week?

Memory Verse: John 4:34



Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work.

—John 4:34

The Teacher's Checklist

- Activity Worksheets and Pencils
- Attendance and Record Notebook
- Lesson Plan
- Cue Card
- Memory Verse Card
- Music Player
- Visual Illustrations for the Lesson
- Attention Getter: Toy or Game

Teacher Tips

Always use simple words that the children can comprehend. "Being saved" may not be as easily understood by your class as "being saved from a place called Hell where we will be eternally separated from God."

The Teacher's Lesson Plan

Materials: A Childhood Toy or Game

Ideally, for this illustration, you should use a favorite toy or game from your childhood. If you do not have one or cannot purchase a similar item from a local store, then talking about either one is fine.

What You Could Say:

What is your favorite part of school? [Allow the children to respond.] How wonderful it is to have so many different things to look forward to each day when we go to school! When I was your age, my favorite part of school was not reading or writing or even recess—it was “Show and Tell” Time.

During this time, my classmates and I took turns talking about books we had just read or games we had just learned or anything else that we would like to “show and tell” to each other just like this... [Hold up your toy or game and talk about it. Perhaps you could share a fond memory from your childhood that somehow involved the toy or game.] As you can see, I really liked “Show and Tell” Time because I was able to share with my classmates what was special to me.

More important than telling our friends or neighbors or people we meet about any storybook or game or toy or anything on this earth is telling them about Jesus Christ. Because He is what is most special to us, we should tell others about Him every time we have the opportunity.

Teacher's Notes

The class reflects the teacher. If she is organized, they will be organized. If she is quiet, they will be also. If she is enthusiastic, they will be. There will be fewer discipline problems in a classroom that is organized, quiet, and enthusiastic.
—Ardell Jacquot