**The Woman At The Well Prayer Station**

**John 4:1-42**

**4**So when the Lord learned that the Pharisees had been told that Jesus was making and baptizing more disciples than John **2(**although Jesus Himself was not baptizing, but His disciples were**)**, **3**He left Judea and returned again to Galilee. **4**Now [[a](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John%204%3A1-42&version=AMP#fen-AMP-26161a)]He had to go through [[b](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John%204%3A1-42&version=AMP#fen-AMP-26161b)]Samaria. **5**So He arrived at a Samaritan town called Sychar, near the tract of land that Jacob gave to his son Joseph; **6**and Jacob’s well was there. So Jesus, tired as He was from His journey, sat down by the well. It was then about the sixth hour (noon).

**7**Then a woman from Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, “Give Me a drink”—**8**For His disciples had gone off into the city to buy food— **9**The Samaritan woman asked Him, “How is it that You, being a Jew, ask me, a [[c](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John%204%3A1-42&version=AMP#fen-AMP-26166c)]Samaritan woman, for a drink?” **(**For Jews have nothing to do with Samaritans.**)** **10**Jesus answered her, “If you knew [about] God’s gift [of eternal life], and who it is who says, ‘Give Me a drink,’ you would have asked Him [instead], and He would have given you living water (eternal life).” **11**She said to Him, “Sir, [[d](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John%204%3A1-42&version=AMP#fen-AMP-26168d)]You have nothing to draw with [no bucket and rope] and the well is deep. Where then do You get that living water? **12**Are You greater than our father [[e](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John%204%3A1-42&version=AMP#fen-AMP-26169e)]Jacob, who gave us the well, and who used to drink from it himself, and his sons and his cattle also?” **13**Jesus answered her, “Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again. **14**But whoever drinks the water that I give him will never be thirsty again. But the water that I give him will become in him a spring of water [satisfying his thirst for God] welling up [continually flowing, bubbling within him] to eternal life.”

**15**The woman said to Him, “Sir, give me this water, so that I will not get thirsty nor [have to continually] come all the way here to draw.” **16**At this, Jesus said, “Go, call your husband and come back.” **17**The woman answered, “I do not have a husband.” Jesus said to her, “You have correctly said, ‘I do not have a husband’; **18**for you have had five husbands, and the man you are now living with is not your [[f](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=John%204%3A1-42&version=AMP#fen-AMP-26175f)]husband. You have said this truthfully.” **19**The woman said to Him, “Sir, I see that You are a prophet. **20**Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you *Jews* say that the place where one ought to worship is in Jerusalem [at the temple].” **21**Jesus replied, “Woman, believe Me, a time is coming [when God’s kingdom comes] when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. **22**You [Samaritans] do not know what you worship; we [Jews] do know what we worship, for salvation is from the Jews.**23**But a time is coming and is already here when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit [from the heart, the inner self] and in truth; for the Father seeks such people to be His worshipers. **24**God is spirit [the Source of life, yet invisible to mankind], and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.” **25**The woman said to Him, “I know that Messiah is coming **(**He who is called Christ—the Anointed**)**; when that One comes, He will tell us everything [we need to know].” **26**Jesus said to her, “I who speak to you, am *He* (the Messiah).”