

Encounters with Jesus Part 8: The Samaritan Woman, 2
“Sin, Savior, Sign”
John 4:15-30

Review

- “Had” to pass through Samaria (4:4)
- “Give me a drink” (4:7)
- “...water springing up to eternal life” (4:14)

Sin

- Pointed out, without judgment (4:18)
- Worship incorrectly (4:22)
- Must acknowledge our sin to come to the Savior

Savior

- True worshipers worship in truth (4:24)
- Advancement in worshiping God (4:23)
- Jesus is the Savior we need, “I Am” Exodus 3:14

Sign

- Let go of our power (4:28)
- Tell others about Jesus (4:29)
- Know the Scriptures to know God (4:29)
- True, real salvation has signs
 - 1 John 1:4 – 2:6
 - Hebrews 3:12-4:16

Second Sermon

Sin

- Need to point out sin as the Holy Spirit directs
- Humility, recognition of our own sin and Savior's work in us
- Need to listen to the Spirit for details in people's lives

Savior

- Need a Savior
- Must approach with truth

Sign

- Only need to believe: signs are not unto salvation
- Many signs of salvation (next sermon)
- Above signs, plus love and understand God's Word

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Young People's Questions

1. Why did Jesus HAVE to go through Samaria?
2. How does Jesus turn the conversation toward Himself and salvation?
3. What are the sins of the woman that Jesus points out?
4. What does it mean that we have to worship God in truth?
5. What is the great advancement in worshiping God after Jesus came and died and rose again?
6. What signs does the Samaritan woman show that she is probably a true follower of Jesus?
7. What could we do when talking with people, following the lead of the Holy Spirit, that would help them know they need a Savior?
8. What is most important for people to know how to approach God?
9. Do we need signs that we are saved to be saved?
10. What sign of salvation does Pastor Dan fall back on often?