



JESUS

LIONMAN *of* JUDAH

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PART 19: JESUS GIVES JOY

John 2:1-12

*Jesus is in a phase of his ministry where he is calling people to "COME AND SEE".
As they come and see and believe, he changes his call to "FOLLOW ME".*

HOW JESUS DEVELOPS FRIENDSHIPS:

1. Jesus **INVITES** others into his life.

TARGET

2. Jesus **UNDERSTANDS** their problems.

LISTEN

3. Jesus brings **JOY** to their situation.

CARE

A SIMPLE STRATEGY TO HELP YOU INVITE OTHERS TO “COME AND SEE”

This Summer, let's learn to give “Eternal C.P.R.” to those who need Jesus' life!

C: **CULTIVATING**

Developing Christ-Like **FRIENDSHIPS**.

- **REMEMBER:** some ground is harder, it takes more cultivating.
- *This is the most time-consuming part, and it is on-going.*

P: **PLANTING**

Sharing God's **TRUTH** with those friends.

- **REMEMBER:** if no seed is ever planted, nothing will grow!

R: **REAPING**

Challenging friends to **RESPOND** to the truth of God's Word.

- **REMEMBER:** a good farmer pays attention to when the crop is ripe for harvest.

HOW TO START CULTIVATING: It takes a little T.L.C.

T: **TARGET**

Write down a name of someone you know needs Jesus. Who? Think of neighbors, co-workers, recreation partners...

L: **LISTEN**

Get to know them. Ask questions!

Learn about their family (learn names), learn what they enjoy doing with their free time, learn what their occupation is (or what they wish it was!), learn about their memories – what was the greatest day of their life? Spend time with them, **invite them into your life.**

C: **CARE**

Selflessly serve them. How could you *genuinely* show care and kindness to them?

HOMework



Open Your Group in Prayer.

Use the Prayer Guide on the next page for Suggestions.

1. Read John 2:1-12 together.
2. What stands out to you about this passage?
3. Jesus is currently in a period of his ministry where he is calling people to “come and see” who he is. For those who believe, his challenge will change to “follow me”. — In this account, what are all the ways you see Jesus inviting people into his life to “come and see”?
4. Take some time again to review the “C.P.R.” model of evangelism with your 1:10 Group, and the “T.L.C.” guide to cultivating relationships that Pastor Josh introduced last week in the message. *(If you didn't get a chance to discuss the 1:10 Homework for the week of June 1, 2014, you may want to go do that now!)*
5. How could these things be applied to the relationships and friendships within your 1:10 Group? (Meaning, how do you show C.P.R. **to each other** in your 1:10? How could you Target, Listen, and Care better for each other?)
6. Jesus is using this time to cultivate deep relationships with his followers. Last week we talked about the “T.L.C.” acronym as a guide for cultivating Christ-like relationships. How do you see Jesus doing each of those things (Target, Listen, Care) in this passage?
7. Why was it such a shameful thing to run out of wine at the wedding celebration?
8. When Mary goes to Jesus and says, “They have no more wine,” do you think she was expecting a miracle? Why or why not?
9. Mary stated in v. 5, “Do whatever he tells you.” Why is this great advice from any parent?
10. What do you think was going through the servants' minds after Jesus gave them the instructions he did?
11. What did they think after seeing what happened?
12. Where are you lacking and in need of Jesus come and restore your joy?

6:7 family questions

JESUS' FIRST MIRACLE

Read John 2:1-11

- What city was Jesus in when he performed his first miracle?
- What was he doing there?
- What was Jesus' first miracle?
- Why did Jesus perform this miracle, and what happened after he did (vs. 11)?
- How would you have reacted if you had been there?

These simple questions are designed to help you live out the command in Deuteronomy 6:7 to teach our kids and make God's Word a natural topic of conversation in our homes. Use them at the dinner table, in the car, or whenever you find your family together with a few moments to spare.

PRAYER GUIDE

WEEK OF JUNE 8, 2014

During your prayer time this week, let's all be praying together about the following items.

Use the space at the bottom to record your personal prayer items, or requests from your 1:10 Group.

NOTE: *Due to the sensitive nature of some items on the Prayer Guide, we do not publish it online. Email the church office to sign up for the email prayer list: office@wawaseebible.com*