



Outline – Women’s Biblical Theology February 16, 2017

GBC Women’s Theology Class

Who Is This Woman At The Well of Jacob?

John 4:6-11

We shall consider her under three stages or categories!

1. A lost sinner whose daily life is lived in the darkness of transgression – covered by the mask of daily routines which *signify* both her guilt and dissatisfaction with life. vs Eccl 6:7/Is 55:2-3
2. An un-saved religious person trapped in tradition and legalism confined and defined by her culture: Gal 3:23-25
3. An elect child of God practicing (all the above) destined and predestined for a radical encounter with GOD: 1 Tim 1:12-16
Note that our third option is not necessarily preceded by the previous two conditions – They are not both required to be our experience in order to meet the God of our Salvation.

Home Work Assignment – Text to Read: 1 Cor 2:1-16

1. Where is she in her spiritual maturity?
2. And what are the evidences?
3. What are the three subjects Discussed by Christ in our text?
a. _____ b. _____ c. _____

“The Well Motif”

John 4:9-12

If you are acquainted with your bible you will notice a repeated scenario of striking and richly important events transpire at wells of water in different times of biblical history. Why?

There are 3 accounts. I want you to read and tell me what are the similarities and lessons we learn from them.

1. Moses/Zipporah – Exodus 2:15-18
2. Eliezer/Rebekah – Genesis 24:11-27
3. Jacob/Rachel – Genesis 29:1-28

For our present study, the well will serve to instruct us in 4 areas –

1. Longing – (needy – desperate – vulnerable) _____
2. Learning – (data – gathering – epiphany – promise) _____
3. Leaving – (transition – new perspective) _____
4. Living – (new life – mission – purpose) _____

Her Response leads to 4 questions (for me) John 3:1-2; 4:9-10

- a. Is she hiding behind a mask? If so – what kind? _____
- b. Is she intrigued by His request or disturbed because of cultural norms? _____
- c. Is she flattered and compelled because of a hidden need? _____
- d. Is she blinded by a false hope? _____ Jer 2:13/Is 55:1-2

What does the Master’s Words say about her *spiritual condition*? vs 10

1. Did her religion prepare her to meet Jesus Christ? _____ John 4:22
2. Did your religious upbringing prepare you to meet Him? _____ Jer 14:19-22/Ps 37:7, 9, 34
3. Can mere religion prepare the soul for the revelation of Jesus Christ? _____ Titus 3:5/
John 3:8/Luke 2:38/John 1:35-45 (2 Cor 4:2-6)