

Jesus and Change

John 2:1-11

What is the point of this story?

This is a story about _____.

Specifically, it is a story about Jesus' ability to change things.

JESUS ALWAYS _____ THINGS FOR THE BETTER!

Let's look at 4 distinctions of the change Jesus can make.

I. Jesus changes the _____ into the extraordinary. Verse 6-10.

A. Jesus used ordinary common water (ceremonial cleansing water) to perform this miracle.

B. If you surrender your life to Jesus, even though you may not think its worth much, it is special in Jesus' hands! You never know what Jesus might do!

C. When the water turned to wine was carried to the governor of the feast he was amazed at how good it was.

II. Jesus saves the _____ for last. Vs 10b.

A. Jesus' timing is perfect! He's never late. He is never early. Jesus is always right on _____.

B. Sometimes Jesus waits until we come to an end of our own resources and turn to Him in faith for help.

C. Whenever we finally come to an end of ourselves and look onto Jesus, that's when the good stuff happens.

III. When Jesus makes a change, it is always for God's _____. Vs 11 "manifested his glory"

A. God is changing us, or transforming us into the image of His Son, that we should manifest HIS glory.

B. When that happens, when we recognize the hand of God, God receives the praise and glory.

IV. When others see the change Jesus makes, they _____ in God. Vs 11b "his disciples believed in Him".

A. A changed life is a powerful witness!

B. MINISTRY IS ALL ABOUT Jesus changing lives through us.

Jesus is still in the life-saving and life-changing business!

CONCLUSION: When was the last time Jesus made a change in your life? Has it been a while?

Christian, the Lord wants you to be constantly growing and progressing in your Christian walk.

You cannot stay where you are and go with God.

God wants you to stretch and you must change something in your life to do that.

FRIEND, IF YOU ARE NOT SAVED, JESUS WANTS TO CHANGE YOUR LIFE! Will you trust Him alone for salvation today?