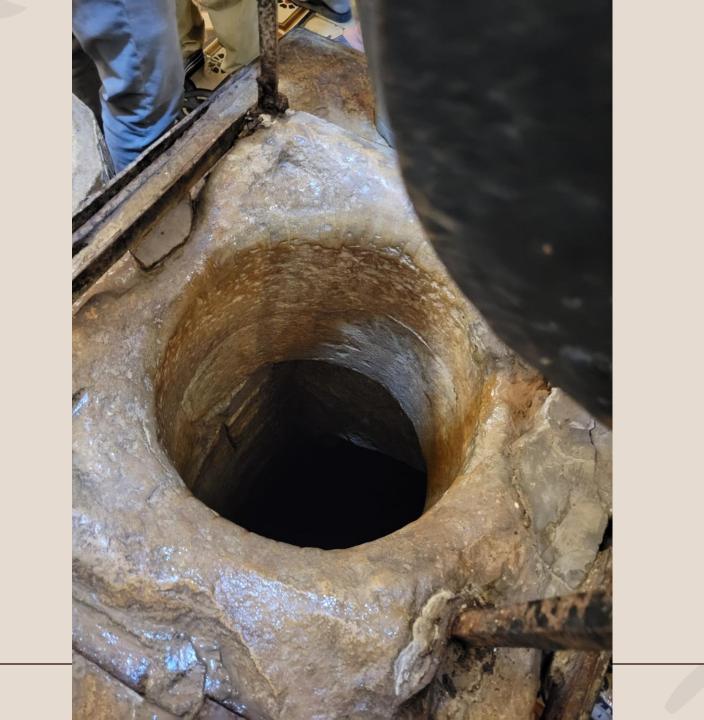
"Lessons from The Holy Land #8: Drinking from the Right Well Text: John 4









1. She Depended on Her Heritage - But Didn't Know Christ (vv5-9)

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 John 4:5 So he came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the field that Jacob had given to his son Joseph.

⁶ Jacob's well was there; so Jesus, wearied as he was from his journey, was sitting beside the well. It was about the sixth hour.

⁷ A woman from Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink."

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 8 (For his disciples had gone away into the city to buy food.)

⁹The Samaritan woman said to him, "How is it that you, a Jew, ask for a drink from me, a woman of Samaria?" (For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans.)







2. She Trusted in a Place - But Didn't Know Christ (vv 10-18)

John 4:10 Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water."

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 ¹¹The woman said to him, "Sir, you have nothing to draw water with, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water?

¹² Are you greater than our father Jacob? He gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did his sons and his livestock."

¹³ Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again,

¹⁴ but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty again. The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life."

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 ¹⁵The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I will not be thirsty or have to come here to draw water."

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 16 Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here."

¹⁷ The woman answered him, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You are right in saying, 'I have no husband';

¹⁸ for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true."

Overlooking the Proposed Site of the Tabernacle

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The northern platform

After the Children of Israel entered the Land of Israel, Joshua the son of Nun set up the Tabernacle in Shiloh.

Here at the Tabernacle, the division of land into tribal inheritances was completed, Hannah prayed for a son, and Samuel the Prophet grew up and began to prophesy.

Some researchers believe the Tabernacle stood on the platform flanked by two rock walls at the northern extension of the tel.

The width of the platform matches the width of the courtyard of the Tabernacle mentioned in the Torah – 50 cubits, and its eastwest orientation matches the description of the Tabernacle, whose opening faced east, with the Holy of Holies to the west.

Other sites proposed for the location of the Tabernacle are the summit of the *tel* or an area south of the *tel*.











3. She Knew About Worship - But Didn't Know Christ (vv 19-26, 28-30)

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 John 4:19 The woman said to him, "Sir, I perceive that you are a prophet.

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 ²⁰Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you say that in Jerusalem is the place where people ought to worship."

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 ²¹ Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem will you worship the Father.

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 ²² You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews.

²³ But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him.

²⁴ God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth."

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 ²⁵The woman said to him, "I know that Messiah is coming (he who is called Christ). When he comes, he will tell us all things."

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 26 Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am he."

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 ²⁸ So the woman left her water jar and went away into town and said to the people,

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 ²⁹ "Come, see a man who told me all that I ever did. Can this be the Christ?"

"Lessons from The Holy Land #8 30 They went out of the town and were coming to him.



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