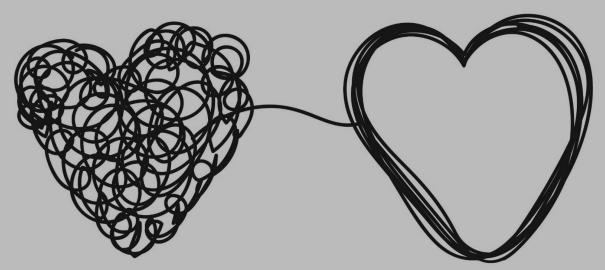
RECLAIMING

God's Coding for

SEXUALITY

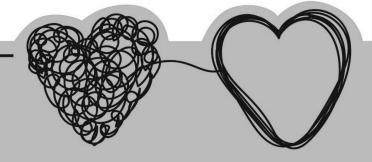


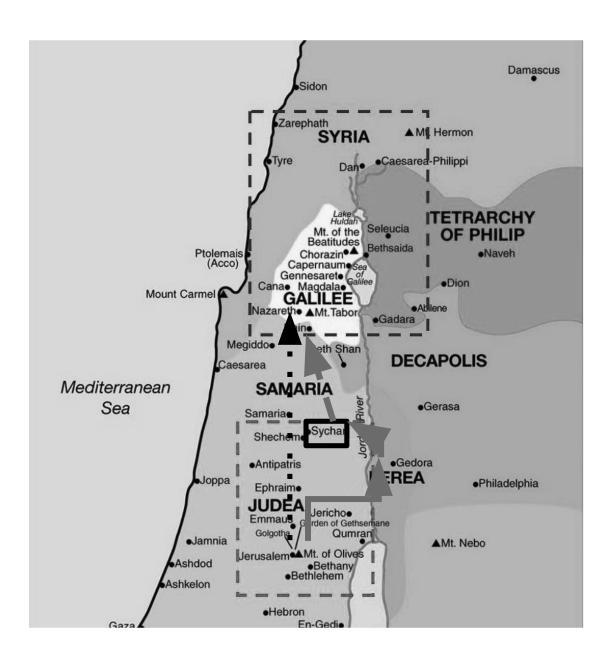
John 4:6-18; 25-26

1. Jesus "sees" us even if no one else does.

Reasons why Jesus could have "rationalized" her away:

- A. Headed home.
- B. SAMARITAN. V 9
- C. Woman. V 27.
- D. LIVING IN ACTIVE SIN. V 18.



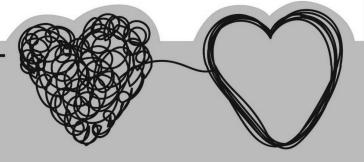


2. Jesus invites us to examine where our deepest need is being met.

A. Jesus does not talk about:

- 1. The Laws of Divorce. Deut 24:1-4; Matt 19:4-6; Mark 10:5-9; 1 Cor 7:15
 - That God hates divorce. Mal 2:14-16
- 2. The sin of non-marital sex. 6^{TH} man.
- 3. SATAN'S AGENDA TO DESTROY THE FAMILY.

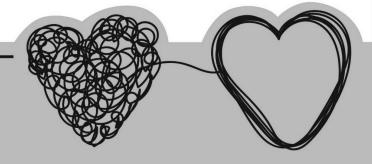
B. SHE WAS LOOKING FOR A "THIRST-QUENCHER," WRONGLY.

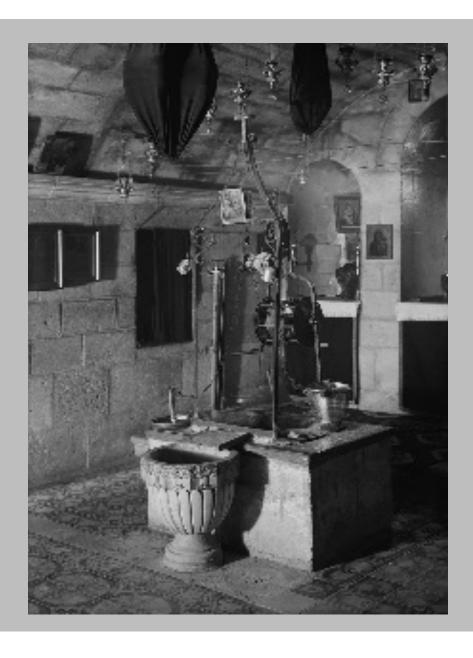


3. Jesus invites us to drink his water — so we can become a spigot for others.

Why leave her water pot unless she was coming back? What changed:

- A. "Less-than" belief in Herself. V9.
- B. A TAPE OF CONDEMNATION, GUILT, AND SHAME. V 17; v 19, 20, 25.
- C. ISOLATION AND SILENCED BY OTHERS.





Spiritual truths from 1st sermon:

- 1. The cross reveals that **right and wrong matter** to God. John 1:17(a), Rom 3:23-24
- 2. The *character of God as good* is revealed under the stress of the wounds of the cross. Isaiah 53:4-7
- 3. Jesus is *grace <u>and</u> truth* made real. John 1:17(b).

• NEXT STEPS:

1. Is Jesus calling you to "drink his water" today? The water of Jesus heals wounds, forgives sins, restores relationships, beginning with us and God, and extending to others. Will you put down your "waterpot" and come to Jesus?

