

The New Birth

1. V4, 9 Why were there problems between the Samaritan and the Jewish people?
(1 Kings 12:26-33; 13:33,34; 2 Kings 17:20 – 30; Ezra 4:1 – 4; Mark 10:1; Luke 9:51 – 56)
2. V7, 9 What can we learn from how Jesus began this conversation?
3. V10 What did Jesus mean by “Living Water”? (John 7:37-39 see handout)
4. V16 How did Jesus call the woman’s attention to her need for spiritual living water?
5. How did Jesus respond to the woman’s three attempts to divert the discussion from her spiritual need?
 - a. V16 – 18 Denial
 - b. V19 – 24 Religious debate
 - c. V 25 – 26 Delay
6. V28-29 What can we learn from the woman’s response to the men of her city?
7. V30 – 42 What did Jesus expect his disciples to learn from this encounter?