

Chapter XIX - At Jacob's Well

- A. What can we learn from the humble attitudes of Jesus and John? Is such humility intentional, or is it solely the result of God's presence in one's life?
- B. John understood his role as he worked for God and was willing to accept it. What should our attitude be when in a leadership position?
- C. Read [John 3:30](#). Describe a time when you had to take such a course of action.

< Additional Thoughts >

- 1. ***"A Jew would not borrow from a Samaritan, nor receive a kindness, not eve a morsel of bread or a cup of water."*** How does this make you feel? (Page 183)
- 2. Did Jesus ask the woman only because He was thirsty? (Pages 184)
- 3. Why was she looking backward and forward when she should have been concerned for the now? (Page 184)
- 4. When she asked for "water" Jesus told her to go get her husband. Why? (Page 187)
- 5. Why was she not offended when Jesus revealed that He knew the secrets of her life? (Page 189)
- 6. Why could Jesus trust this woman more than He could the Jews, to whom He was much more sever? (Page 190)
- 7. How quickly did the Samaritans come when the woman told them about Jesus? (Page 192)
- 8. What was the disciples' attitude toward the Samaritans those two days? (Page 193)
- 9. Who does this woman represent? (Page 195)
- 10. Personal views: List a favorite section or some new thought from this reading.