

MIRACLES

GOD'S POWER AT WORK IN YOU

Water to Wine

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Introduction:

- ◆ Everything is possible with God
- ◆ Jesus' first public miracle

Jesus looked at them intently and said, "Humanly speaking, it is impossible. But not with God. Everything is possible with God." **Mark 10:27**

The next day there was a wedding celebration in the village of Cana in Galilee. Jesus' mother was there, and Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the celebration. The wine supply ran out during the festivities, so Jesus' mother told him, "They have no more wine." "Dear woman, that's not our problem," Jesus replied. "My time has not yet come." But his mother told the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Standing nearby were six stone water jars, used for Jewish ceremonial washing. Each could hold twenty to thirty gallons. Jesus told the servants, "Fill the jars with water." When the jars had been filled, he said, "Now dip some out, and take it to the master of ceremonies." So the servants followed his instructions. When the master of ceremonies tasted the water that was now wine, not knowing where it had come from (though, of course, the servants knew), he called the bridegroom over. "A host always serves the best wine first," he said. "Then, when everyone has had a lot to drink, he brings out the less expensive wine. But you have kept the best until now!" This miraculous sign at Cana in Galilee was the first time Jesus revealed his glory. And his disciples believed in him. **John 2:1-11**

A wedding to remember...

1. Jesus went to a _____

For everything there is a season, a time for every activity under heaven... A time to cry and a time to laugh. A time to grieve and a time to dance. **Ecclesiastes 3:1, 4**

2. Disappointment and _____

- Out of _____ [v. 3a]
- Jesus can _____ [v. 3b-5]
- Opportunity for _____ [v. 11]

3. The _____ or _____

- Look to _____ [v. 3]
- Do what Jesus _____ [v. 6-8]
- Trust God for the _____ [v. 9-10]

So it is with faith: if it is alone and includes no actions, then it is dead. **James 2:17**

Next Steps:

- Memorize Mark 10:27 (series memory verse)
- I will look for an opportunity to celebrate life this week
- Ask God to turn my disappointment: _____ into a miracle, trusting God for the results
- I will obey God and do what he tells me to do: _____