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John – Part Two The Miracles of Jesus

Lesson 12

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Seven Signs

- "Written that you may [continue to] believe"
- 7 = Completeness
 - -Days of Week
 - Arms of Candlestand
 - -Doves to Sacrifice
 - Jericho (7 Priests, 7 Trumpets, 7 Days, 7 Circles

7 Signs/ Miracles



Feeding 5,000

Healing a Blind Man Fish Catch

Water to Wine

Healing at Pool

Walking on Water

Raising Lazarus

"Jesus did many other miraculous signs which are not recorded but these [seven] are written that you may [continue to] believe that Jesus is the Messiah"

(1) Water to Wine John 2:1-11

- The Story A Creation Miracle
- Compassion of Christ
- Marriage as Allegory
 - -Jesus Fills the Need
- Ceremonial Washing Jars

(2) Official's Son John 4:43-54

- The Story: A Desperate Man
 - -A Restoring Miracle
- Jesus is True to His Word

(3) Healing at Pool John 5:1-15

- The Story: A Desperate Man
 - -A Restoring Miracle
- Jesus is True to His Word

(4) Feeding 5,000 John 6:1-15; 25-70

- Hungry Followers / Philip's Test
- King? We Have a Candidate!
- All Gospels --- Jesus & Moses

Moses & Jesus

MOSES

JESUS

1. Law given through Moses (John 1:17)

1. Grace and Truth
Through Jesus

2. Allows Circumcision (John 7:16ff)

2. Offers Physical and Spiritual Healing

3. Divides the Waters

3. Walks on Waters

Feeding 5,000

- Moses and Jesus
- One Calls for Manna; One Makes His Own
- Jesus the Real Bread
- Day One a King
- Day Two a Desertion

(5) Walking on Water John 6:16-24

- An Interlude
- Not a Ghost
- Victory Over Chaos

(6) Healing a Blind Man John 9

- Born Blind
- Miracle Mud
- Pharisees Question
- Good Logic / Bad Theology
- "We know that God does not listen to sinners"
- Excommunication But found by Jesus
- Who Was Blind?

- · Mary, Martha and a Two Day Wait
- Asleep, Awake, and Straight Talk
- Martha Hears

"I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in me will never die." (25-26)

- · Mary, Martha and a Two Day Wait
- Asleep, Awake, and Straight Talk
- Martha Answers
 - "I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God who was to come into the world." (27)

- Mary Arrives Weeping
- Jesus Wept (35)
- Resurrection
- "Take off the Burial Clothes"

- The Jewish Dilemma
- Caiphas's Prophecy

 "It is better for you that one man die for the people than that the whole nation perish."

 (11:50)

Points for Home

- 1. God Cares for Your Details
- 2. God is True to His Word
- 3. Jesus Brings Life
- 4. Partake of Jesus
- 5. Jesus Wins Over Chaos
- 6. See Jesus
- 7. The Miracle Worker to the End