

The Living Water



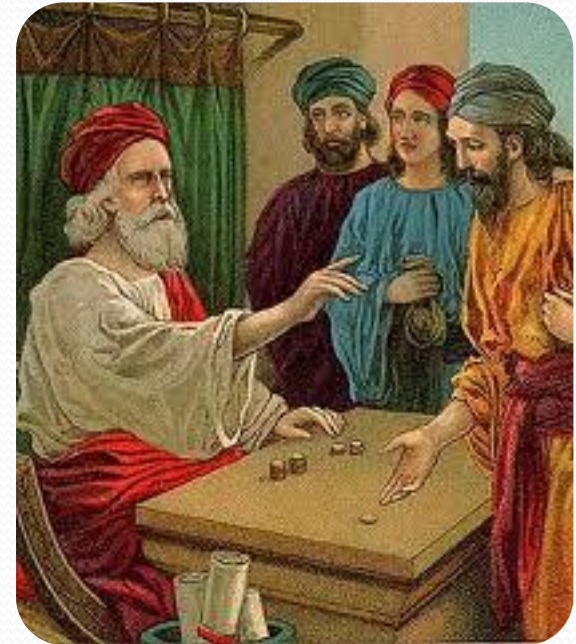
What is the Living Water?

- The gift of God
- **“If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!” (Luke 11:13)**



Some people do not know the gift of God

- “If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, ‘Give Me a drink,’ you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water.” (John 4:10)
- “My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge. Because you have rejected knowledge” (Hosea 4:6)
- We will not be judged according to what we know, but according to what was offered to us.



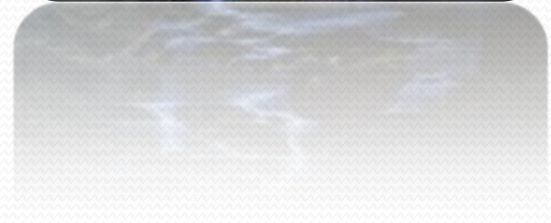
Living water is not stagnant

- It does not collect in one place, but is alive
- **“Do you not know that those who run in a race all run, but one receives the prize? Run in such a way that you may obtain it.” (1 Cor 9:24)**



Living water satisfies

- “...whoever drinks of the water that I shall give him will never thirst.”
(John 4:1)
- “For a day in Your courts is better than a thousand. I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness.”
(Psalm 84:10)



Those who thirst for the living water are freed

- From the restraint of going to the well
- From the desire of thirst itself
 - **“The woman then left her waterpot, went her way into the city...” (John 4:28)**



We should point others to the source of the living water

- “Then they said to the woman, ‘Now we believe, not because of what you said, for we ourselves have heard Him and we know that this is indeed the Christ, the Savior of the world.’” (John 4:42)



Conclusion

1. What is the Living Water?
 - It is the gift of God
2. Some people do not know the gift of God
3. Living water is not stagnant
4. Living water satisfies
5. Those who thirst for the living water are freed
6. We should point others to the source of the living water