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## John 4:1-17a (CSB)

When Jesus learned that the Pharisees had heard he was making and baptizing more disciples than John <sup>2</sup> (though Jesus himself was not baptizing, but his disciples were), <sup>3</sup> he left Judea and went again to Galilee. <sup>4</sup> He had to travel through Samaria; <sup>5</sup> so he came to a town of Samaria called Sychar near the property that Jacob had given his son Joseph. <sup>6</sup> Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, worn out from his journey, sat down at the well. It was about noon.

<sup>7</sup> A woman of Samaria came to draw water.

"Give me a drink," Jesus said to her, 8 because his disciples had gone into town to buy food.

<sup>9</sup> "How is it that you, a Jew, ask for a drink from me, a Samaritan woman?" she asked him. For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.
<sup>10</sup> Jesus answered, "If you knew the gift of God, and who is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would ask him, and he would give you living water."

<sup>11</sup> "Sir," said the woman, "you don't even have a bucket, and the well is deep. So where do you get this 'living water'? <sup>12</sup> You aren't greater than our father Jacob, are you? He gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did his sons and livestock."

<sup>13</sup> Jesus said, "Everyone who drinks from this water will get thirsty again. <sup>14</sup> But whoever drinks from the water that I will give him will never get thirsty again. In fact, the water I will give him will become a well, of water springing up in him for eternal life."

<sup>15</sup> "Sir," the woman said to him, "give me this water so that I won't get thirsty and come here to draw water."

<sup>16</sup> "Go call your husband," he told her, "and come back here."

<sup>17</sup> "I don't have a husband," she answered.

