

**“You’re Not Worth It!”
He Didn’t Say That – Part 2**

ON TV: Because of you, churches are being strengthened, new congregations are being planted, and the nations are being reached with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

ON TV: Last week’s bottom line: Peace for you will begin when your demand of payment ends.

ON TV (IN CHAOTIC FONT): “You’re not worth it!”

ON TV/OUTLINE: Wherever you’ve been, whatever you’ve done or thought, you are priceless to God!

ON TV: Your worth is not determined by things like the clothes you wear, the place you live, the color of your skin, the things you own, or the way you talk.

ON TV/OUTLINE: You are God’s treasure. In fact, every person is God’s treasure!

ON TV: Jesus went against the grain by crossing a divide to reach a hurting person with His love.

ON TV: Jesus came to earth and lived a perfect life to prove He is God and to show us the depths of His love.

ON TV: *John 4:4-9: Now he had to go through Samaria. So he came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of ground Jacob had given to his son Joseph. Jacob’s well was there, and Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well. It was about noon. When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, “Will you give me a drink?” (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.) The Samaritan woman said to him, “You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?” (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.)*

ON TV: Jesus was passing through Samaria.

ON TV: In God’s eyes, there is only ONE race – the human race.

ON TV: We can keep our God-given uniqueness and also be One in Him.

ON TV: Jesus was at Jacob’s (or Israel’s) well.

ON TV: The Gospel has always been for everyone (not just Jews) because all people have always been priceless to God.

ON TV: God never does anything by accident, and nothing catches Him by surprise.

ON TV: *Jesus said to her, “Will you give me a drink?”*

ON TV (Big, Chaotic Font): HE asked HER for water!

ON TV/OUTLINE: It is wrong to declare people worthless when God has declared that they are priceless!

ON TV: *John 4:10-14 - Jesus answered and said to her, “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.” She said to Him, “Sir, You have nothing to draw with and the well is deep; where then do You get that living water? You are not greater than our father Jacob, are You, who gave us the well, and drank of it himself and his sons and his cattle?” Jesus answered and said to her, “Everyone who drinks of this water will thirst again; but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him shall never thirst; but the water that I will give him will become in him a well of water springing up to eternal life.”*

ON TV: He had gone a step further and was offering her His living water.

ON TV: Because of her experience and what society said about her, she was struggling inside to think that she was worth anything to God or anyone.

ON TV: “FOMO” – “The Fear of Missing Out.”

NOTE: The following three statements can be on the screen at the same time if that’s best.

ON TV: Jesus never said, “You’re only worth My forgiveness if you’ve done this or not done that.”

ON TV/OUTLINE: True Christianity is not a [religion](#) or a set of [rituals](#).

ON TV/OUTLINE: True Christianity is a [relationship](#) with God through [Jesus](#).

ON TV: Jesus offers His living water to everyone, everywhere. Nobody deserves it, but Jesus offers it freely because we are all priceless to Him.

ON TV: *John 4:15-26: The woman said to Him, “Sir, give me this water, so I will not be thirsty nor come all the way here to draw.” He said to her, “Go, call your husband and come here.” The woman answered and said, “I have no husband.” Jesus said to her, “You have correctly said, ‘I have no husband’; for you have had five husbands, and the one whom you now have is not your husband; this you have said truly.” The woman said to Him, “Sir, I perceive that You are a prophet. Our fathers worshiped in this mountain, and you people say that in Jerusalem is the place where men ought to worship.” Jesus said to her, “Woman, believe Me, an hour is coming when neither in this mountain nor in Jerusalem will you worship the Father. You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews. But an hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for such people the Father seeks to be His worshipers. God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.” The woman said to Him, “I know that Messiah is coming (He who is called Christ); when that One comes, He will declare all things to us.” Jesus said to her, “I who speak to you am He.”*

ON TV: Jesus never said, “You’re not worth it!”

ON TV: Sin is anything we think, say, or do, that goes against God. ALL of us have sin.

ON TV: ALL OF US HAVE SIN.

ON TV: LIE: “Because I don’t struggle with _____ like they do, I’m worth more to God than they are.”

ON TV: Paul called himself, “the chief of sinners.”

ON TV: Jesus didn’t point out her specific sin in a public sermon. He did it through a heartfelt conversation as He offered her His forgiveness.

ON TV/OUTLINE: When we remember that we are unworthy without God yet priceless to Him at the same time, we can engage people with genuine humility.

ON TV/OUTLINE: When people encounter Jesus-followers, they should be captivated by how much they care as they’re engaged by the truth God uses them to share.

ON TV: Real relationships are the environment where Gospel bridges can be built.

ON TV: The key is that we let God use us to meet people where they are.

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ON TV: For people to understand how much they are worth, they need to understand what God was willing to do for them.

ON TV: Jesus paid the physical price for our sin. Jesus paid the spiritual price for our sin. Even though we are unworthy of God’s forgiveness, we are certainly not worthless to Him!

ON TV: *Isaiah 53:6 “We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity (sin) of us all.”*

ON TV/OUTLINE: We must let God help us meet people where they are, treating them as priceless to Him. That is how God meets us!

ON TV: *John 4:27-30 “Just then his disciples returned and were surprised to find him talking with a woman. But no one asked, ‘What do you want?’ or ‘Why are you talking with her?’ Then, leaving her water jar, the woman went back to the town and said to the people, ‘Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did. Could this be the Messiah?’ They came out of the town and made their way toward him.”*

ON TV: *John 4:39-42: “Many of the Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman’s testimony, “He told me everything I ever did.” So when the Samaritans came to him, they urged him to stay with them, and he stayed two days. And because of his words many more became believers. They said to the woman, “We no longer believe just because of what*

you said; now we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this man really is the Savior of the world.”

ON TV: Once we find Jesus, we simply become one beggar telling another beggar that Jesus is the Bread of Life. God wants us to keep that posture as we share His love with others.

ON TV: God calls us to demonstrate, through actions and words, that people are priceless to Him and valuable to us. Then, we can share His life-changing truth with them through meaningful conversations.

ON TV: “No Perfekt people allowed, including us!”

ON TV/OUTLINE: BOTTOM LINE: You are God’s treasure. In fact, every person is God’s treasure! The cross proves that you are priceless to Jesus.