

JESUS

TheSource of Transformation

JOHN 2:1–11 (CSB)

¹ On the third day a wedding took place in Cana of Galilee. Jesus's mother was there, ² and Jesus and his disciples were invited to the wedding as well. ³ When the wine ran out, Jesus's mother told him, "They don't have any wine." ⁴ "What has this concern of yours to do with me, woman?" Jesus asked.

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“My hour has not yet come.” ⁵ “Do whatever he tells you,” his mother told the servants. ⁶ Now six stone water jars had been set there for Jewish purification. Each contained twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷ “Fill the jars with water,” Jesus told them. So they filled them to the brim.

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⁸ Then he said to them, “Now draw some out and take it to the headwaiter.” And they did. ⁹ When the headwaiter tasted the water (after it had become wine), he did not know where it came from—though the servants who had drawn the water knew. He called the groom ¹⁰ and told him,

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“Everyone sets out the fine wine first, then, after people are drunk, the inferior. But you have kept the fine wine until now.” ¹¹ Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee. He revealed his glory, and his disciples believed in him.

THE KEY POINT

- Every sign points not to the gift, but to the Giver, Jesus at the center.

But these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

(John 20:31)

A WEDDING WITH JESUS

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Don't just invite Jesus as a guest, make Him the center. Miracles start with His presence.

LIFE'S REALITY

Running out of wine = shame & emptiness.

John 2:3

A problem becomes a platform when Jesus is invited. (They ran out of wine, but Jesus was there.)

HOW DID SHE KNOW?

Mary = The church

This connection was the shadow of what was to come.

Mary's words remain the greatest advice ever
spoken: "*Do whatever he tells you.*"

John 2:5

COLLABORATION

- ***Obedience + cooperation***: The miracle happened because human effort met divine power.
- God's work often requires ***participation and cooperation***. The miracle was not done without human involvement.

POWER OF INSTRUCTION

Obedience to Jesus' instructions unlocks miracles; His presence sets the stage.

⁷ *“Fill the jars with water,” Jesus told them.*
(John 2:7)

Jesus does not just fix problems; He
transfroms situations.

ABUNDANT LIFE

120-180 Gallons = Overflowing Supply

GOD'S STANDARD

Jesus didn't just make wine; He made the best wine. God's miracles exceed expectations.

John 10:10

WHAT TO REMEMBER

- The first miracle of Jesus wasn't about necessity but celebration.
- Obedience to Jesus instruction is the bridge between the ordinary and the miraculous.
- The servants who obeyed saw the miracle first. Obedience gives you front-row seats to Jesus's power.
- Without Jesus, the party was running dry; with Jesus, joy overflowed.
- Every miracle points not to the gift, but to the Giver—Jesus at the center.”

WHAT TO REMEMBER

- The jars were empty until Jesus gave the word; our lives are the same without Him.
- Obedience may look ordinary, but in Jesus' hands it produces the extraordinary.
- Wine in the Bible represents joy, true joy is only found when Jesus is at the center.
- The first miracle of Jesus teaches us this: life is tasteless without Christ.