



JOHN 4:1-42

1. Tell the group the best thing that happened to you this last week.
2. Looking back at John 4:1-30, the Samaritan Woman's reaction to Jesus was to spread the good news. What do you think keeps people from responding that way now? What keeps you from spreading the word like she did?
3. What have you believed because of someone else's testimony?
4. Read 4:31-34. In your own words, what is Jesus saying here?
5. How is doing God's will and work like food?
6. Jesus spoke to the disciples using an agriculture illustration about planting and harvesting. Read John 4:35-38 and discuss what we can learn from Jesus' teaching. Now that we understand it, how can you personalize it to your life? What is our responsibility in this illustration? When was the last time you set aside time and made specific plans to engage in the harvest?
7. What are some practical ways we can "sow seeds" to help people come to faith in Jesus?
8. How is it encouraging that "one sows, another reaps"?
9. Read John 4:39-42 and John 1:29. Jesus spent 2 days with the Samaritan people. What was their final conclusion after all that time with Jesus?
10. When the woman told her story, how much did she understand about Jesus?
11. What story could you share about how God has worked in your life recently?
12. Challenge: Make plans to do *one thing* this week to sow a seed.
 - Invite someone to church
 - Tell someone about something Jesus has done in your life
 - Share the Gospel with someone you know