

Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022

## HOW TO SHARE THE JOY OF EASTER

Lessons from Jesus

*John 4:1-45 (NIV)*

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### Big Idea – There is JOY in Sharing Your STORY

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#### 1. Jesus Teaches Us to Break Through \_\_\_\_\_.

- John 4:6-9a

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#### 2. Jesus Teaches Us to Love Through \_\_\_\_\_.

- John 4:9b
- 1 Peter 3:15-16

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#### 3. Jesus Teaches Us to Talk About \_\_\_\_\_.

- John 4:16-18
- John 4:19-20 (NLT)

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#### 4. Jesus Teaches Us to Give an \_\_\_\_\_.

- John 4:10-11
- Matthew 22:9

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#### 5. Jesus Teaches We Get \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_.

- John 4:31-34

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#### 6. Jesus Teaches Us to Expect God to \_\_\_\_\_.

- John 4:39
- John 4:35-36

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### Discuss and Apply

Use the following questions to help you formulate age-appropriate questions to stimulate conversation that matter. Please share your ideas and experiences with us at [connect@manna.church](mailto:connect@manna.church).

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1. What impacted you the most from this week's message? Encouraged you? Challenged you?
2. Share a time when you chose to break through social barriers to share Christ.
3. What steps could you take to get over your feelings of insecurity about what your peers will think when you share Christ?
4. People feel love when they are listened to. How can you spend less time listening for (what I want to say) and more time listening to (what are their needs)? How can you use this technique in sharing God?
5. How would you explain your relationship with God in a gentle and respectful way to a non-believer?
6. Make a list of people you plan to invite to Easter:

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### Prayer

Jesus, thank you for the Gospel Touches made this week through outreach. May the seeds planted sprout and produce spiritual fruit. Help us to break through social barriers and connect with neighbors and strangers. Help us LISTEN, LOVE and SHARE your stories of hope and transformation. May we experience real joy as we share your love with others.

In Jesus' Name, Amen

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