What a Good Witness Needs to Know

John 4:1-35

I. Don't Be Afraid of People Who Are Different - v7-9

- A. This woman was probably someone you would not want to associate with. Why?
 - 1. She was a W______.
 - 2. She was a F______.
 - 3. She was I______.

B. Advise for witnessing - v7.

II. Lord Jesus Wants to Perform His Ministry In & Through You - v10-15

A. How is the Lord Jesus present today? - v10 & Acts 2:38

B. How can you avoid being thirsty spiritually? - v13-14

III. Be Aware of Your Own Sin & Inadequacies - v16-18

A. Evidence she may have been a P_____ - v17-18.

1. Her lifestyle: ______.

2. The way she approached men - v25-30.

B. This woman became S_____ C____ - v18-19.

1. What did she try to do?

2. Advise for witnessing: ______.

IV. Your Ability to Witness is in Proportion to Your Devotional Life! - v19-26

A. How does the Lord dwell within you?

1. What does He want to do?

2. Why might he not be able to do it?

B. What is the real question?

1. It is not "_____"

but "______"? - v21 & 24

2. The question is coming to grips with

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V. Enthusiasm & Zeal Can Often Overcome Personal Obstacles! - v28-35

A. In spite of what she had against her witnessing, what did she accomplish? - v29-30

B. What did Jesus mean when He said the fields were "ripe for harvest"? - v35

C. Advise for witnessing - John 3:14-15.

- 1. What is the main objective?
- 2. What are the seeds of salvation? Romans 10:17

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