

REDEEMER & FRIEND

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THE ONE WHERE JESUS REWRITES THE REPUTATION

"I no longer call you slaves, because a master doesn't confide in his slaves. Now you are my friends, since I have told you everything the Father told me. You didn't choose me. I chose you."

John 15:15-16 (NLT)

The Redeemer and Friend at the Well

John 4:1-30

1. The Redeemer works with _____.

John 4:16-18 (NLT) – "Go and get your husband," Jesus told her. "I don't have a husband," the woman replied. Jesus said, "You're right! You don't have a husband—for you have had five husbands, and you aren't even married to the man you're living with now. You certainly spoke the truth!"

Psalms 139:1-4 (NLT) – "O LORD, you have examined my heart and know everything about me. You know when I sit down or stand up. You know my thoughts even when I'm far away. You see me when I travel and when I rest at home. You know everything I do. You know what I am going to say even before I say it, LORD."

Hebrews 4:13 (NLT) – "Nothing in all creation is hidden from God. Everything is naked and exposed before his eyes, and he is the one to whom we are accountable."

Romans 5:8 (NLT) – "God showed his great love for us by sending Christ to die for us while we were still sinners."

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2. The Friend values _____ over _____.

John 4:6-7 (NLT) – "Jesus, tired from the long walk, sat wearily beside the well about noontime. Soon a Samaritan woman came to draw water, and Jesus said to her, 'Please give me a drink.'"

John 15:16 (NLT) – "You didn't choose me. I chose you."

Luke 19:10 (NLT) – "For the Son of Man came to seek and save those who are lost."

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3. Friends of the Redeemer _____.

John 4:28-29 (NLT) – "The woman left her water jar beside the well and ran back to the village, telling everyone, 'Come and see a man who told me everything I ever did! Could he possibly be the Messiah?'"

John 4:13-14 (NLT) "Anyone who drinks this water will soon become thirsty again. But those who drink the water I give will never be thirsty again. It becomes a fresh, bubbling spring within them, giving them eternal life."

John 4:39 (NLT) – "Many Samaritans from the village believed in Jesus because the woman had said, 'He told me everything I ever did!'"

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