

DRAWING FROM THE WELLSPRING

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Key Scriptures:

John 17:3

1 John 4:20

1 Kings 17: 1-16

Key Points:

- Drawing from the well is multi-faceted – it can take many different forms.
- The outcome of truly drawing from the well is always having His eternal life formed within us.

Questions:

1. What is God looking to do in us, though our seeking of Him? Can you share testimony of a recent transformative work He has done in you?
(This could be a change of mind-set, encounter with his love, or revelation through the word)
2. What does it mean to receive from God in each of the three ways discussed: Solid, Liquid and Gas?
3. Why is it so important that we have all three and not just one?

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Practical Exercise:

Select **ONE** of the following passages of scripture below and spend some time mediating and marinating on it. Ask your self what is the core truth the writer of the passage is communicating and wanting the reader to know and understand. Write down your conclusions.

The next thing to do is take each verse at a time and ask questions of each verse, writing down any insights, thoughts and ideas you receive. Allow yourself to ponder any other verses that come to mind which might relate to the verse you are looking at, and write all these thoughts down.

There will be a picture that will be starting to form of all the thoughts and ideas the Holy Spirit is speaking to you about.

Things to look for:

The main theme or core truth that the writer wants us to know.

Who is the writer speaking to?

Are there absolute statements being made? Look for the words “so that” as there will be a very definitive outcome that is associated with this.

The context to which the writer is speaking.

Look before and after the passages to gain greater understanding of the context, and how the passages fit into the bigger picture.

John 15:1-11

Ephesians 3:14-19

Deuteronomy 8:1-20

1 Corinthians 2:1-16

We will look to get 2 people up each night over the coming weeks to share what they received from doing this exercise.