

**"THE CONVERSION OF
THE SAMARITAN WOMAN"**

Introduction

1. Christ's meeting with this woman
2. Who the Samaritans were
3. Obviously here as a lesson to us all

1. THE WAY IN WHICH CHRIST BROUGHT HER TO HIM

- 1) He began with a friendly approach: v.7
- 2) He did not allow prejudice to silence Him: v.9
- 3) He lifted her mind to think of God: v.10
- 4) He showed her what He could do: v.14
- 5) He showed her her sins: v.16
- 6) He proved that He reads all hearts: v.17
- 7) He taught her of true worship: v.22f
- 8) He revealed to her that He is Saviour: v.26
APPLICATION: We should try to lead people to know Christ by our conversation

2. THE EAGERNESS SHE HAD TO TELL OTHERS

- 1) She left her waterpot! Explain (v.28)
- 2) A good saying: "She took the Well!"
- 3) She wanted to show them Jesus

- 4) She exposed her sins! Why?
- 5) She said, "Come"; NOT "Go".
- 6) She obviously exalted Christ to them
- 7) She got them to come to Christ
OBSERVE: Here is a wonderful example for us all to follow
ILLUSTRATION: The zeal of the disciples (Jn. 1)
APPLICATION: Never give up trying to do this.

3. THE EFFECT HER WITNESS HAD ON THEM

- 1) v.30: They came to see for themselves
- 2) v.39: Many came to faith
- 3) v.40: They pleaded with Christ
- 4) v.41: "Many more" believed
- 5) v.42: They were real Christians
OBSERVE: How much good came from the witness of one semi-heathen woman!
APPLICATION: Should we not imitate her?

CONCLUSION

1. See who Christ is
2. See how He can bless us
3. Seek this blessing

PSALM

37: 3 – 9

89: 13 – 17

31: 21 – 24