The Rescue Begins: "Helping Others with Their Thirst" John 4:1-42

John 3:35-36

John 6:35-37

I. Believe the Father's promises. (John 4:1-4)

II. Be willing to engage. (John 4:5-9)

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III. Build bridges. (John 4:7-9)

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IV. Share the Good News. (John 4:10-15)

1. <u>Hope</u>. Vs. 10-15

- a. Vs 10 "Gift of God" Christ
- b. Vs 10 "Living Water" Life
- c. Vs 13 "Never thirst again..." Satisfaction
- d. Vs 14 "A continual spring welling up to Eternal Life" God's resurrection life
- 2. <u>Sin and wounds</u>. (Vs. 16-19)
- 3. Sharing life and discipling. (Vs. 20-42)

Faith Sheet for Friends and Family this Week

- 1. How often do you encounter foreign-born people who are living in the United States? How could we be more involved in cross-cultural ministry? 1 Thessalonians 2:8, 2 Thess. 3:1, Matthew 5:16, 28:18-20.
- 2. How do you personally know that earthly sources of water (life) do not satisfy? John 7:37-39
- 3. What are the characteristics of worshiping in spirit and in truth?
- 4. Has there been a season in your walk with Christ where you were more sharing of the gospel than in your current season? What made the difference?
- 5. How can you help your spouse, children etc. with their spiritual thirst? Have you asked them how you can help?