

I call you friends...



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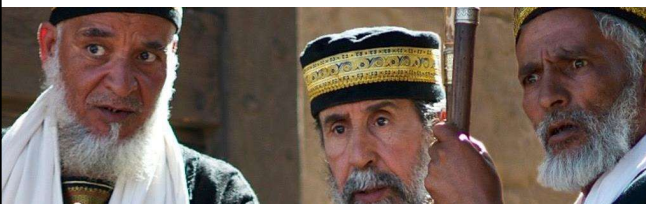
At that point some of the people of Jerusalem began to ask, 'Isn't this the man they are trying to kill? Here he is, speaking publicly, and they are not saying a word to him. Have the authorities really concluded that he is the Messiah? (John 7:25-6)



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At this they tried to seize him, but no one laid a hand on him, because his hour had not yet come. (John 7:30)

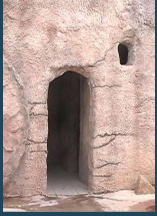
The Pharisees heard the crowd whispering such things about him. Then the chief priests and the Pharisees sent temple guards to arrest him. (John 7:32)



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Misunderstanding

Jesus said, 'I am with you for only a short time, and then I am going to the one who sent me. You will look for me, but you will not find me; and where I am, you cannot come.'



The Jews said to one another, 'Where does this man intend to go that we cannot find him? Will he go where our people live scattered among the Greeks, and teach the Greeks? What did he mean when he said, "You will look for me, but you will not find me," and "Where I am, you cannot come"?' (John 7:33-6)

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Jesus answered, 'I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. (John 14:6)

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Contention stories...



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A Night Visit

John 3:5

*Very truly I tell you, no
one can enter the
kingdom of God unless
they are born of water
and the Spirit.*

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A Night Visit


John 3:5

Ezekiel 36:25-6

*Very truly I tell you, no
one can enter the
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*I will sprinkle clean water on you, and
you will be clean; I will cleanse you
from all your impurities and from all
your idols. I will give you a new heart
and put a new spirit in you*


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A Night Visit
John 3:14-15

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Num 21:9
So Moses made a bronze snake and put it up on a pole. Then when anyone was bitten by a snake and looked at the bronze snake, they lived.

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No Interruptions
John 5:25

Very truly I tell you, a time is coming and has now come when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God and those who hear will live.

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Very truly I tell you, a time is coming and has now come when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God and those who hear will live.

Eze 37:4-5

Then he said to me, 'Prophesy to these bones and say to them, "Dry bones, hear the word of the Lord! This is what the Sovereign Lord says to these bones: I will make breath enter you, and you will come to life.'

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No Interruptions

John 5:24

Very truly I tell you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life and will not be judged but has crossed over from death to life

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Ex 14:21-2

Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and all that night the Lord drove the sea back with a strong east wind and turned it into dry land. The waters were divided, and the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left.

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Bread of Life

John 6:53

*Very truly I tell you,
unless you eat the flesh
of the Son of Man and
drink his blood, you have
no life in you*

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Bread of Life

John 6:53

Eze 39:17

*Very truly I tell you, I am preparing for you,
unless you eat the flesh the great sacrifice on the
of the Son of Man and mountains of Israel. There
drink his blood, you have you will eat flesh and
no life in you drink blood.*

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Bread of Life

John 6:33-5

*For the bread of God is the
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Ex 16:4

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Then the Lord said to Moses, 'I will rain down bread from heaven for you'

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John	Ezekiel	Exodus
3. A Night Visit	Water and Spirit	Snake on the pole
5. No Interruptions	Dead come to life	Cross over from death to life
6. The Bread of Life	Eat flesh and drink blood	Bread of life from heaven

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Living water




On the last and greatest day of the festival, Jesus stood and said in a loud voice, 'Let anyone who is thirsty come to me and drink. Whoever believes in me, as Scripture has said, rivers of living water will flow from within them.' By this he meant the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were later to receive. Up to that time the Spirit had not been given, since Jesus had not yet been glorified. (7:37-9)

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Water Within

John 7:37


*If anyone is thirsty let
him come to me and
drink.*



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Water Within

<p>John 7:37</p> <p><i>If anyone is thirsty let him come to me and drink.</i></p>	<p style="color: red;">Ex 17:3-6</p> <p><i>But the people were thirsty for water there and they grumbled against Moses.</i></p> <p><i>Strike the rock, and water will come out of it for the people to drink</i></p>
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Water Within

John 7:37

Eze 47:1-12

Whoever believes in me, as Scripture has said, rivers of living water will flow from within them.'

The man brought me back to the entrance to the temple, and I saw water coming out from under the threshold of the temple



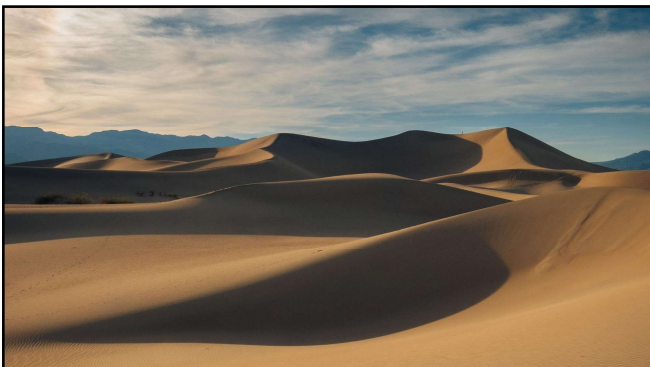
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