

PART 2: Choose to Sit

Story after story reflects Jesus' resolve to extend truth and grace to those who desperately needed to experience His love. And it is through one intentional action that God desires to leverage your story to help people encounter His truth and grace.

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SCRIPTURE

MAIN TEXT → [JOHN 4:7-39](#)

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THINK

- "Sammi" (the Samaritan woman) was isolated and alone. And Jesus chose to step into her mess and share grace & truth. How have you experienced Jesus stepping into your mess with grace & truth?
- [John 4:13-14](#) → "Sammi" was trying to quench her internal thirst for meaning and significance with external relationships. There is an internal thirst that cannot be quenched by the external. And Jesus offers "living" water that quenches every thirst you might have. What internal thirst are you trying to quench externally?
- Jesus continuously destroyed barriers that people constructed. What barriers (political, religious, cultural) have you intentionally or unintentionally constructed? What barriers do you need to tear down to sit beside someone?
- Sin has the power to destroy, divide, and define. How have you experienced this in your own life?

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ENGAGE

- Jesus intentionally tore down the cultural, political, and religious barriers to reach Sammi's heart. That is what matters to Jesus. What heart issue is Jesus after within you? Allow him to infuse your heart with grace & truth.
- "Sammi" shared her story with everyone in her town, and many believed in Jesus. Who are you sharing your story with? Who are you inviting to Easter services?

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PRAY

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