

Signs (Lord of the Feast) | Discussion Questions 6.28.15

What type of first impression do you think you make with people?

If you were in charge of Jesus "coming out" party, a party to introduce him as he starts his ministry, what would you do to introduce him?

Read John 2:1-12.

In John 2:11, John says, "what Jesus did here in Cana of Galilee was the first of the signs through which he revealed his glory...". Why do you think John uses the word "signs"?

How are weddings different today from the weddings during the time that John 2 describes?

Why do you think Mary, Jesus' mother, goes to Jesus to solve the problem of running out of wine?

Does Jesus' response to his mother, in verse 4 surprise you? What do you think he means?

By Jesus changing water to wine, the sermon shows us that Jesus took over the role as master of ceremonies or Lord of the Feast? Read Isaiah 25:6-9. What does this first "sign" and the verses in Isaiah teach us about Jesus?

In this story, there were 6 stone jars used for purification rituals. In the sermon it stated, "these jars were about sin." What is the big picture that we need to see as to why Jesus changed the water to wine?

Read Genesis 3:6-13. What are our tendencies when we sin?

Read John 2:25. How does this verse help you understand this first "sign"?