

The Contrast of Christ

John 8 1-11

GOSPEL OF JOHN OVERVIEW:

Part 1 (1:1-18) – Jesus’ Pre-Incarnation. Believe in Jesus because He is the Living Word
Time – From Eternity Past to John the Baptist

- The Deity of the Living Word (vv. 1-5)
- The Ministry of the Living Word (vv. 6-13)
- The Glory of the Living Word (vv. 14-18)

Part 2 (1:18-11:45) – Jesus’ Public Ministry (Setting the Stage).

- Growing Admiration of Jesus’ Public Ministry (1:19-6:25)
 - **Stage 1 – Introduction the First Week (1:1-2-12)**
 - Day 1-2 – John the Baptist – Annunciation (1:34)
 - Day 3-4 – First Followers – Proclamation (vv. 35-51)
 - Day 7 – Family Life – Transformation (2:1-12)
 - **Stage 2 – Expansion – Into Jerusalem**
 - A Public Confrontation
 - A Private Conversation
 - ❖ The Necessity of the New Birth (vv. 1-3)
 - ❖ The Nature of the New Birth (vv. 4-21)
 - The Cause of the New Birth – From God’s Perspective (vv. 4-8)
 - The Cause of the New Birth – From Our Perspective (vv. 9-16)
 - The Consequences of the New Birth (vv. 16-21)
 - A Popularity Conversion
 - **Stage 3 – Extension -- Into Galilee**
 - An Unforeseen Conversion (4:1-45 Samaria)
 - A Fashionable Conversion (4:46-54)
 - **Stage 4 – Explosion – Back to Jerusalem and Galilee**
 - Back to Jerusalem – Popularity and Contention (Chapter 5)
 - ❖ A Sabbath Healing – contention begins (5:1-17)
 - ❖ A Sabbath Teaching – contention grows (5:18-47)
 - Back to Galilee – Popularity Explosion (6:1-59)
 - ❖ A Multitude Fed – Crowd Cries to make Jesus King (6:1-15)
 - ❖ A Storm Calmed – Disciples know Jesus is King (6:15-21)
 - ❖ A Lesson Taught – Followers leave
- Growing Opposition to Jesus’ Public Ministry (6:60-11:45)

Part 3 (11:46-21:25) – Jesus’ Primary Mission

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INTRODUCTION

I. Christ the _____ sleeps homeless. Jesus is Unassuming (vv. 1-2).

A. What is expected – A _____ (7:53).

B. What is unexpected – A _____ (8:1-2).

II. Christ the _____ stands tested. Jesus is accused (vv. 3-6).

A. The Accusation of the Pharisees (vv. 3-5).

1. They have not brought the _____.

2. There is no concern for her _____.

3. The _____ nature of their judgment.

B. The _____ of the Pharisees (v. 6).

III. Christ the _____ sanctions forgiveness. Jesus is _____ (vv. 6-11).

A. Jesus Rescues Her _____ .

B. Jesus Rescues Her _____ .