



## STUDY NOTES – JULY 4, 2021

### Sermon Series: “The Story of Jesus”

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### Scripture: John 2:1-11

[Today's goal: To understand the human and spiritual aspects of this miracle]

#### 1. The miracle on a human level (Vs. 1-5, 7-10)

- Life lesson:

#### 2. The miracle on a spiritual level (Vs. 11, 6)

- Life lesson:

### HOW TO EXPERIENCE JOY IN THE LORD

1. Make things right. (Ps. 97:11)
2. Love and obey God's commands. (John 15:10-11)
3. Ask God to restore your joy. (Ps. 51:12)
4. Rather than trying to manufacture joy, rely on the Holy Spirit. (Gal. 5:22)
5. Relinquish control and striving. (Ps. 40:4)

### S.A.L.T. Group questions

- Have someone read Sunday's passage: John 2:1-11
  - What truths stand out to you?
- 1. What are some of the concerns you are facing right now?
  - How do you lose your joy in the midst of these concerns?
  - How do you find joy in the midst of these concerns?
  - Why do we find it so hard to believe that Jesus cares about our everyday concerns?
- 2. What are some of today's religious rituals?
  - Can ritual actually help us toward a joyful relationship with Christ?
  - How do we change from the inside out that leads to true joy of?
  - What are some ways that you have found joy in the Lord?

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