



"The Significance of the Sign"

John 2:1-11 • part 9

INTRODUCTION

- "miracles" *v.* "signs"

1. The set-up (2:1-5)

- at a wedding in Cana of Galilee

- crisis at the wedding

Ps. 104:15

- Mary's request

Lk. 2:19

- Jesus' response

Jn. 4:34; 6:38
Jn. 12:23; 13:1; 17:1

2. The sign (2:6-10)

- purification protocols

Mk. 7:3-4

- water pots filled with water

- the headwaiter surprised by the quality of the wine

- the groom surprised by the quantity of the wine

3. The significance (2:11)

- "signs and wonders"

Ex. 7:3; Jer. 32:21; Acts 2:43

- a unique revelation of Christ

Lk. 1:15; 5:33-35; Jn. 15:11

CONCLUSION