

## True Peace

The satisfaction that the Lord Jesus was speaking of was the deep satisfaction of peace with God. But how can a righteous God make peace with failing men and women?

The Apostle Paul tells us that the Lord Jesus has made it possible for us to have peace with God through His death on the cross. Speaking to a group of Christians he said, "you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled ... by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him".

Lasting peace with God is not only possible it is available to you here and now if you will accept it: "Being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ."

**"Can this be the Christ?"**

John 4vs14

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## Special Tent Meetings

A special series of tent meetings to explain Christianity has been arranged in your area. Why not take this opportunity to learn more about real spiritual satisfaction?

The meetings will continue, God willing, Sunday to Thursday each night from Sunday 17 August to Thursday 4 September at 8.00pm at The Whins, off Park Street, Crosshill.

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## LIVING WATER

### Finding Genuine Satisfaction

**"Let him that is athirst come.  
And whosoever will let him  
take the water of life freely"**

## Thirsting for God?

In Scotland we are never far from water. When it isn't actually falling on us from the sky there are few places where we are not within a mile of a river or a loch.

You might think then that Scots don't know what it is to be really thirsty. But it is abundantly clear to anyone who cares to look that Scotland is suffering from a huge spiritual thirst.

Having given up on God, our country seems unsure where to turn to satisfy the inner longing we all have for meaning in life.

Spiritism and science, sport and entertainment, sex and body image - all are being used to try and fill the hole in our lives. But somehow they never do.

**“Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again”**

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## Spiritual Satisfaction

Along with God, the Bible is being ignored by many people in modern Scotland. Yet this was the source of much of what has made our country what it is.

It still provides us with the only truly authoritative guidance to finding true spiritual satisfaction.

The Lord Jesus said, "if anyone thirsts, let him come to me to drink" and "whoever believes in me shall never thirst". He claimed to be the only source of true spiritual satisfaction.

So who was this man who made such an astonishing claim, and what is the basis upon which he makes it?

**“whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty again”** John 4vs13

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## Who is Jesus?

One day a woman asked the Lord Jesus a very similar question. He was sitting beside a well and she asked him, "are you greater than our father Jacob? He gave us the well".

The Jacob she referred to was one of the early ancestors of the Jewish nation and was called a "Prince with God". Could Jesus possibly be greater than Jacob? Yet that is exactly what he claimed to be!

As he spoke to the woman she came to realise that here was a man who knew her better than she knew herself. She soon abandoned her water pot and ran to tell her friends, "come, see a man who told me all that I ever did. Can this be the Christ?"

**“The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life”**

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