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# AMAZING

But how...

# NEWS

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# In Jesus we are able to

- ▶ Never have any fear - 1 John 4:8
- ▶ Always be at peace - Eph 2:14
- ▶ Always be joyful - John 16:24
- ▶ Know that your future will be amazing - Rev 21:4
- ▶ Always know you are deeply loved - Romans 5:8
- ▶ Have a clear sense of purpose - Eph 2:10
- ▶ Know you have meaning and belonging - Romans 8:15



# Amazing News

- ▶ With news so great we should share it!
- ▶ But...

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# Anxiety

- ▶ What do I say?
- ▶ How do I say it?
- ▶ When do I say something?
- ▶ Who do I say something to?

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# How to share the Amazing News

- ▶ John 4:1-42 - Advanced and beginner
  - ▶ John 4:1-26 - Advanced example
    - ▶ Jesus speaking to Samaritan woman
  - ▶ John 4:39-42 - A beginner
    - ▶ Samaritan woman shares about Jesus



# What did Jesus Do?

- ▶ John 4:1-26 - Advanced (v 1-10)
- ▶ Conversation, not preaching
  1. Everyday interaction - drink of water
    - ▶ Opportunities are everywhere
  2. Observe the response - asking, go deeper
    - ▶ Don't be put off by negative response
    - ▶ Some people aren't ready - Holy Spirit isn't working
  3. Transition from natural to spiritual, temporal to eternal, immediate to long-term



# What did Jesus Do?

▶ John 4:1-26 - Advanced (v 11)

4. Short spiritual statement - observe response

▶ Not a long lecture

▶ What do you think about spiritual things?

▶ What do you think happens after death?

▶ Why do you think people kill each other?

5. Don't get side tracked

▶ Don't have to answer every question



# What did Jesus Do?

▶ John 4:1-26 - Advanced (v 12-26)

6. Going deeper

▶ What do you think about Jesus?

7. Watch for miracles

8. Remove obstacles

▶ Don't get caught up in arguments



# Anyone can share the Amazing News

▶ John 4:39-42 - Samaritan woman

1. Tell your story
2. Bring along

▶ John 4:40-41

1. When God is working, stay there
2. Interrupt your plans