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Investing Like Jesus

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Jesus: ***“Lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal.”*** Matthew 6:19

Four Signs that I’m Making Eternal Investments (John 4:1-42)

1. Invest _____: Look for Spiritual _____ in my _____.

And he had to pass through Samaria. So he came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the field that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. Jacob’s well was there; so Jesus, wearied as he was from his journey, was sitting beside the well. It was about the sixth hour. John 4:4-6

2. Invest _____: Get Involved in _____.

*A woman from Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, **“Give me a drink.”** (For his disciples had gone away into the city to buy food.)⁹ The Samaritan woman said to him, **“How is it that you, a Jew, ask for a drink from me, a woman of Samaria?”** (For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans.) John 4:7-9*

*Jesus said to her, **“Go, call your husband, and come here.”** The woman answered him, **“I have no husband.”** John 4:16-17*

*So the woman left her water jar and went away into town and said to the people, **“Come, see a man who told me all that I ever did. Can this be the Christ?”** They went out of the town and were coming to him. John 4:28-30*

3. Invest _____: Unleash _____ and _____.

And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth. John 1:14

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*Jesus said to her, **“You are right in saying, ‘I have no husband’; for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true.”** John 4: 17b-18*

4. Invest _____: Expect God's _____ to do God's _____.

Many Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman's testimony, "He told me all that I ever did." So when the Samaritans came to him, they asked him to stay with them, and he stayed there two days. And many more believed because of his word. They said to the woman, "It is no longer because of what you said that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is indeed the Savior of the world." John 4:39-42

Gospel Application: 1-2-1 R.I.S.E

1: Choose 1 "Samaritan Well" that is already in your weekly routine

2: Intentionally visit your "well" 2 times per week

1: Prayerfully look for 1 "person of peace"

R: Relate personally and genuinely

I: Become authentically Interested in their story

S: Serve any need that is expressed

E: Engage their pain/passions with the Good News of Jesus