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Scriptural References and Comment Notes

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Ephesians 5:18

BE FILLED WITH THE SPIRIT

4:15 – Ephesians 5:18 – Don not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit. Why does Paul mention being drunk on wine and being filled with the Spirit in the same breath ?

4:40 – Acts 2:13-15 - Luke also records an incident at Pentecost wherein wine and the Spirit were mentioned in the same context. Terry discusses the nature of both.

12:20 John 4:7-15 – The story of the Samaritan women at the well and Jesus’ teaching that he is the true water of life.

25:30 Psalm 42:1-2 and Psalm 63:1 – The spiritual parallel between thirst for water and thirst for God.

27:15 Ecclesiastes 3:11 - God has set eternity in man’s heart, therefore, no thing of “time” can fully satisfy his longing for what only can be found in a relationship with the “Timeless” Lord himself. Many people are often afflicted with a type of free floating anxiety because they fear quiet time or time alone – for it makes them uncomfortable. They know something is missing but they will not face the fact that it is a relationship with God. They try and fill the time with diversions of all sorts, so they do not have to wrestle with the real issue of a missing Spiritual connection.

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29:25 John 7:37-39 - Jesus at the feast of Tabernacles where he relates the idea of the feeling of great thirst to the need for a connection with the one true God.

Terry teaches about the overflowing life.

Eph. 5:18 Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit.

Acts 2:13 Some, however, made fun of them and said, “They have had too much wine.”

Acts 2:14 Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: “Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. 15 These men are not drunk, as you suppose. It’s only nine in the morning!

John 4:7 When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, “**Will you give me a drink?**” 8 (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.)

John 4:9 The Samaritan woman said to him, “You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?” (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.)

John 4:10 Jesus answered her, “**If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water.**”

John 4:11 “Sir,” the woman said, “you have nothing to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water? 12 Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did also his sons and his flocks and herds?”

John 4:13 Jesus answered, “**Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, 14 but whoever drinks the water I give him will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life.**”

John 4:15 The woman said to him, “Sir, give me this water so that I won’t get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water.”

Psa. 42:1 As the deer pants for streams of water,
so my soul pants for you, O God.

2 My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.
When can I go and meet with God?

Psa. 63:1 O God, you are my God,
earnestly I seek you;
my soul thirsts for you,
my body longs for you,
in a dry and weary land
where there is no water.

Eccl. 3:11 He has made everything beautiful in its time. He has also set eternity in the hearts of men; yet they cannot fathom what God has done from beginning to end.

John 7:37 On the last and greatest day of the Feast, Jesus stood and said in a loud voice, "If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink. 38 Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him." 39 By this he meant the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were later to receive. Up to that time the Spirit had not been given, since Jesus had not yet been glorified.