

LIVING WATER

Here are a few of the scores of mentions of water in the God Story. Choose a few of the situations and read the passages, taking care to think about the fact that water is key in quenching both physical and spiritual thirst. What do you learn about Jesus and His view and uses for water?

In Creation He builds around water (Genesis 2:6,10)

Through water He destroys the earth (Genesis 8:1)

Moses' name means "drawn from the water" (Exodus 2:10)

In Exodus He turns water into blood (Exodus 7:21-24)

In Exodus He swallows up the Egyptian army (Exodus 15:4)

Israel argued with Moses about water (Exodus 17:1-6/Number 20:11)

God used water lapage to define warriors (Judges 7:4-6)

Ejijah drenched water on the altar (1 Kings 18:34-38)

David thirsted after God like water (Psalm 63:1)

Jesus was baptized in water (Matthew 3:11-16)

Peter came to Jesus on the water (Matthew 14:28,29)

Jesus was Master over water (Luke 5:4)

Jesus' first miracle involved turning water into wine (John 2)

Jesus promised living water (John 4)

Jesus offers the water of life (Revelation 21:6; 22:1,17)