



# is it really over?

divorce may not be your only option

Having difficulty in your marriage? Are you at the point where you believe divorce is the only option? The answer is simple. Bring another into your marriage. You may already know him. You may have loved him your whole life. He was likely a special guest at your wedding. In many instances, you couldn't have married without him. Who is this miracle mystery that can singlehandedly save your marriage? Quite simply, Jesus. You invited him to the wedding, but did you ask him to remain during your marriage?

At a wedding in Cana in Galilee, Jesus was attending with his mother and his disciples. In these days, weddings were week-long festivals. Most of the town was invited to attend. To refuse an invitation was an insult. During the course of the wedding, the wine ran out. Running out of wine was not only an embarrassment to the family, but a violation of strict hospitality laws.

Jesus' mother told him, "They have no more wine." Jesus replied, "Dear woman, that's not our problem. My time has not yet come." She told the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."



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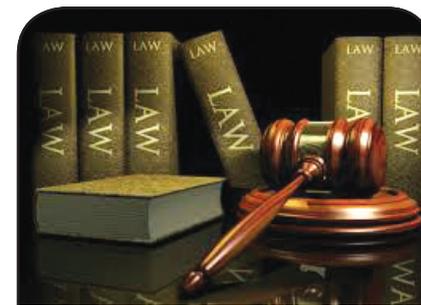
Standing nearby were six 20 to 30 gallon stone water jars used for Jewish ceremonial washing. Jesus told the servants, "Fill the jars with water." When the jars had been filled, he said, "Now dip some out, and take it to the master of ceremonies." The servants did as they were told.

When the master of ceremonies tasted the water that was now wine, not knowing where the wine had come from, he called the bridegroom over. "A host always serves the best wine first," he said. "Then, when everyone has had a lot to drink, he brings out the less expensive wine. But you have kept the best until now!"

Without Jesus, the wedding would have been a failure. Just like the wine, Jesus makes what we expect better and he often exceeds our expectations. In times of illness, pain, sorrow, and desperation, many of us turn to prayer. We often turn to Jesus when we have nowhere else to turn. We don't have to wait until these times of desperation to seek him. He is willing to be there from the beginning.

It is important to note that Jesus chose a wedding to reveal his miraculous glory, since a wedding is where a man and woman become husband and wife. If you invite Jesus to your wedding and never let him leave, with love, faith and trust, you will have everything you need to get through the rough times and may even avoid them.

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