

MESSAGE NOTES

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Encountering Christ (Gospel Of John)
A Royal Official
John 4:43-54
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- John uses verb “_____” (*pisteuo*) nearly _____ times. John 20:31
- Not all belief is the living, _____ belief Jesus seeks. John 2:23-25
- Like a “_____,” Jesus develops & deepens this man’s _____.

This was the second miraculous sign that Jesus performed, having come from Judea to Galilee. John 4:54

THIS ROYAL OFFICIAL’S BELIEF

- “_____ faith” brings him to beg Jesus to _____ heal his son.
- But Jesus’ reply _____ & invites him to seek _____. 4:48; Mk 9:24
- It’s a _____ of _____ when Jesus says “*Your son lives.*” Jn 20:29
- He takes Jesus at His word with “_____ faith.” Mt 8:13; 15:28
- His servants’ _____ leads to “_____ faith” in Jesus.
- His “_____ faith” leads his _____ to believe too.

TAKING JESUS AT HIS WORD

- What am I doing with _____? John 10:27; Rom 10:17; Col 3:16
- What _____ are Jesus’ _____ having on me? Jn 4:50; 14:15,21

“Unless you people see miraculous signs and wonders,” Jesus told him, “you will never believe.” John 4:48

LEARNING FROM THIS ENCOUNTER

- Am I letting Jesus “_____” me to deeper belief in Him? Jn 21:18-22

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