

Jan. 20, 2019
“The Reception Was Excellent!”
(John 2:1-11)

Our lesson today is about a _____ reception that went from disaster to a roaring _____, because _____ was there.

The third day refers to the third day after Jesus had left _____.

Cana was a very small village about 3.5 miles from Jesus’ home in _____.

Something went wrong at the reception. The hosts ran out of _____.

Some lessons for us in this simple story:

1.- The purpose of miracles – they are _____ that Jesus is who he says he is.

Miracles don’t happen just because Jesus has _____ on someone.

Albert Einstein was right when he said: *“God doesn’t play _____ with the universe.”*

What a magnificent _____ God has given us. It is perfectly _____ to sustain the lives of billions of people.

Even God seems to be _____ to interfere with the wonderful mechanisms of the _____ order.

2.- Even the miracles that Jesus performed _____ to God’s natural _____.

A perfect example is the turning of _____ into wine.

In every one of Christ’s miracles Jesus remained true to the laws of _____.

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This is not to say that extraordinary _____ do not happen. The testimony of _____ is that they do happen, but they are rare.

#3.- Their purpose is to _____ us of God’s _____ in our lives.

People of _____ will always have beautiful things happen that they cannot explain.

God does not _____ his laws, but he can certainly work _____ his laws!

We are not to _____ on miracles.

4.- We are to focus on _____ like Jesus and to trust that God will _____ us with what we need.

If we should witness, or experience, a miracle, we are to _____ it as a sign of God’s _____ and give thanks!

Have you seen miracles? If so, that means that you are _____ to the presence of God in your life.

Most miracles occur with the events of _____ life within the confines of God’s natural _____.

Remember this bit advice:

“If you are going to _____ God for something, you have to make _____ to receive it!”

Are you ready for your miracle?