

## INTRODUCTION

- \* God's plan for Christ to come into the world was not a mystery. He had planned it before the foundations of the world were laid.
- \* During 2011 we have been considering the Shadow of Christ found in the Old Testament.
- \* During the past three weeks we have focused on Israel's deliverance from Egypt and God's provision for them. We have seen Christ as the Passover lamb, the Shechinah Chabod (tabernacling glory) of God, and the Bread of Life – the true manna from heaven.
- \* Today, we want to look at another Shadow of Christ from this same setting ... seeing Christ as the Living Water!

## INSTRUCTION

### I. THE PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF THE PASSAGE

#### A. The Failure of the P\_\_\_\_\_ (cf. Exodus 17:1-6; Numbers 20:1-6)

1. A LACK OF T\_\_\_\_\_T
2. A LACK OF C\_\_\_\_\_T (cf. Philippians 4:11)

#### B. The Failure of the L\_\_\_\_\_ (cf. Numbers 20: 7-13)

1. THEY DID NOT \_\_\_\_\_ GOD (v. 11)
2. THEY DID NOT \_\_\_\_\_ GOD (v. 10, 12; cf. Numbers 27: 12-14; Deut 4:20-22)

### II. THE PROPHETICAL APPLICATION OF THE PASSAGE (cf. John 7: 37-39)

#### A. The Setting of Christ's Declaration

1. THE LAST DAY OF TABERNACLES (cf. 7:2, 37; Isaiah 12: 2-3)
2. THE STATEMENT
  - a. Jesus identified Himself as the Rock (cf. I Corinthians 10:1-4)
  - b. Jesus identified Himself as the Source of Living Water (cf. John 4:10-14)

#### B. The Substance of Christ's Declaration

1. THE CONDITION (cf. Revelation 22:17; Psalm 63:1; 42:1-2; Matthew 5:6)
2. THE PROVISION
  - a. You will be Filled!
    - 1) THE GIFT OF \_\_\_\_\_
    - 2) THE GIFT OF \_\_\_\_\_ (cf. John 7: 39; 14:26; 16:7,13; Eph 1:13-14)
  - b. You will be Overflowing! (cf. Isaiah 58:6-11; Psalm 1:1-3; Jeremiah 17:7-8; Matthew 12: 33-37)

## INTROSPECTION

- \* WHAT YOU SEEKING TO SATISFY YOUR THIRST?
- \* ARE YOU A POSSESSOR OF THE LIVING WATER THAT CHRIST OFFERED TO FREELY GIVE?
- \* WHAT IS "BUBBLING OUT" OF THE SPRING OF YOUR LIFE?