

Theologgins for your Noggin

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The Sneetches

1. Jesus and the Star-bellied Sneetch

John 3:1-3 *Now there was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a member of the Jewish ruling council. He came to Jesus at night and said, "Rabbi, we know you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the miraculous signs you are doing if God were not with him." In reply Jesus declared, "I tell you the truth, no one can see the kingdom of God unless he is born again."*

2. Jesus and the Plain-bellied Sneetch, The

John 4:7-10 *When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, "Will you give me a drink?" (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.) The Samaritan woman said to him, "You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?" (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.) Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water."*

3. The Star-bellied Sneetch, Nicodemus and the Plain-bellied Sneetch, The Samaritan Woman _____ some things in _____.

a. Both had built their lives on a _____ belief system.

b. Both were _____ in their pursuits.

c. Both were confronted with the _____ by Jesus Christ.

4. What would Jesus _____ to Star-bellied and Plain-bellied Sneetches?

a. True _____ can only be found in me.

b. Genuine _____ comes only through me.

c. Lasting _____ is available by a personal relationship with me.