

A Poured Out Drink Offering!

David, son of Jesse, a Bethlehemite, craved a drink of water from a well by the gate of Bethlehem. Undoubtedly, he knew the well from his childhood. Perhaps he drank from it often. Hiding from King Saul in a cave in Adullam and in despair, David spoke aloud, his craving for a drink of water from that specific well. Three of his gallant men hear his desire.

The Philistine army surrounded and occupied Bethlehem. Yet, against such odds, those men broke through the Philistine perimeter and took a cup of water from the well. They gave the water to David, who saw it as their blood. Therefore, he poured the water out as an offering to the Lord and in honor of the men. (2 Samuel 23:13-17, NKJV). Jesus shed his blood for all humanity. Beloved water is a symbol of life. Nothing on earth lives without it. Before Jesus' sacrifice, our lives were like water spilled on the ground, which no one could gather (2 Samuel 14:14). Now, Jesus gives us living water through the Holy Spirit (John 7:3738). He gathers our spilled lives, restoring us to himself (1 Peter 5:10). Jesus poured his life out for our redemption. Let us pour our lives into him for abundant life. Shalom!!

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