

# The Wedding At Cana

## Key words

Wedding: Sing Here comes the bride.

Hot: Phew!

Party: Hurray!

Wine: Pop of cork.

There was once a man who had just one daughter. He was very proud of his daughter and loved her very much. The man was not very rich, but he vowed that when his daughter got married he would give her the best party (Hurray) he could.

At last the day came when his daughter told him that she wanted to get married . She wanted to marry a man from the next village and a date for the wedding, (here comes the bride) was set. The man began to get ready for the party (Hurray). He invited all his friends and all his daughters friends. In fact he invited the whole village and all his relatives. He ordered lots of food and most important, lots of wine (Pop). It was going to be a great party (Hurray)!

The day of the wedding (here comes the bride) came. It was a very hot (Phew) day, a very very hot (Phew) day. The wedding (here comes the bride) ceremony took place, and then the party (hurray) began.

It was very hot (Phew) and people were very thirsty. So they drank lots of wine (pop). They danced and sang and got even hotter (phew), so they drank even more wine (Pop) and soon the wine (Pop) had run out. There wasn't a drop left.

People started to get thirsty. Then they got annoyed. Then they got angry! "What shall I do?" thought the man, the party will be ruined!

But one of the wedding (here comes the bride) guests was a woman called Mary, and she was there with her son who was called Jesus.

Mary said to Jesus: "There is no wine (Pop) left."

Jesus could see the guests getting more and more unhappy, so he decided to help. He looked around and found six big stone jars. He told the waiters to fill them right up to the top with water. But Jesus knew that you can't serve water at a wedding (here comes the bride) feast, it must be wine (Pop) and a good wine (Pop) at that.

So he said a prayer to God: "Please help us! Make this water into all we need to make this party (Hurray) happy again."

Then he told one of the waiters to take a full glass from one of the jars and take it to the bride's father. They did what Jesus said and the bride's father tasted it. But as soon as it touched his lips it turned from ordinary water into the very best wine (pop), the best wine (pop) anyone could buy.

So they shared out the wine (Pop) and all the hot (Phew) and thirsty people drank all they needed, and, just as the bride's father wanted, the wedding (here comes the bride) party (Hurray) was the best party (Hurray) ever!

But Jesus' mother and his friends who knew what had happened marvelled at what Jesus had done. They remembered the wine (pop) and began to put their faith and trust in this special man, Jesus.

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