



Imagine a time
when the water you drank
Didn't come from a tap
or a pipe or tank
But had to be pulled up
from deep in ground
with a rope and a jar
from a well



Now sometimes this water
was a little bit murky
So you'd want to add
something
to make it more perky
A few slurps of wine
were mixed in the jar
To hide the bad taste
and bad smell



The wine was important
for killing the germs
In the water pulled up
from the ground
filled with worms
So keep this in mind
cos this was the deal
In stories of Jesus we tell



Here's the Village of Cana.
No one's home here.
Empty.



Nothing here either.
Empty.
Or here or here.
Empty.



Every house is empty.
All gone...
That's disappointing.



Wait a minute!
Look here:
Lots of Happy people!
Singing
Dancing
Laughing
Eating
Drinking
It's a party!
It's a Wedding Party.
And the Whole village
is invited.



The whole village
is here.
And some friends
from other
villages are here.
Everyone is here.
Everyone
is happy.



Jesus' family
is here.
Jesus' friends
are here.
Jesus is here.



Here is the worker
in charge of the feast.
The food the drinks
and the BBQ beast.
The drinks didn't come
from a tap with a squirt,
But came from the well
– a hole in the dirt.



But the worker knew how to make everything fine. So he mixed up the water with plenty of wine



And it stopped all the germs
that make sick in the tummy,
And make it taste sweetly
and zingy and yummy.



Everyone is here.
Everyone is eating
and drinking.
Dipping bread
into the hommus.
Dipping their hand
into the bowls of fruit.
Dipping their cups
into the jars of winey
water.



Jesus' mother Mary
dips into the jar
for another drink.
Empty.
Nothing here.
Empty.
Nothing here either.
Empty.
Or here or here.
Empty.
Every jar is empty.
All gone...
That's disappointing.



Mother Mary says to Jesus
“Look at my empty cup?
Empty.
Nothing.
The wine has
all gone.”

All gone...
That’s disappointing.



Jesus looks at his mother
She knows he's from God
He has the creator's great gifts
In a common man's bod.

He's a guest at a party
Should he get involved in it?
He thinks and he waits
And he wonders a minute...



Is this the right time?
Is this the right hour?
Because up until now
He has hidden his power.

Yes! this is the time -
The time to create
A new batch of wine
So the water tastes great.



Yes this is the time
For a wonderful sign
That God's still at work
Making more than just wine



Jesus says
to the slaves
“Take your
six largest pots
And fill them
with water -
You’re going to
need lots.”



They fill up the jars
Right up to the lip
'Now scoop out a cupful
Let the boss take a sip.'



The worker in charge
Tastes the drink in the cup.
It's ready mixed wine
And he guzzles it up.



He dips in again
This wine is top shelf!
The servants all smile
Jesus made it himself.



Wait a minute!
Look here.
Lots of happy people.
Singing
Dancing
Laughing
Eating
Drinking
A party!
It's a Wedding Party
And the whole village is invited.
The whole village is here.
And some friends from
other villages are here.



Everyone is here.
Everyone is happy.
Jesus family is here.
Jesus' friends are
here.
Jesus is here.
God is here.



Yes this is the time
For a wonderful sign
That God's still at work
Making more than just wine

Making everything new
And everything well
This is some good news
To go out and tell.