


Heroes of Faith 2: The Roc

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I. From Fisherman to Church Leader

Matthew 4:18–19 (NIV) **18** As Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon called Peter and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. **19** “Come, follow me,” Jesus said, “and I will send you out to fish for people.”

 Peter was an _____


Matthew 15:15 (NIV) **15** Peter said, “Explain the parable to us.”


 Peter was a _____ ; He asked questions


Matthew 16:13, 16–20 (NIV) **13** When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, “Who do people say the Son of Man is?”... **16** Simon Peter answered, “You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.” **17** Jesus replied, “Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah, for this was not revealed to you by flesh and blood, but by my Father in heaven. **18** And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it. **19** I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.” **20** Then he ordered his disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.


 The Church is built on _____

Jesus' Hands-on Training:

 I Do — You _____

 You Do — I _____

 I Do — You _____


 You Do — I _____

II. Foundation of Forgiveness

Matthew 18:21 (NKJV) **21** Then Peter came to Him and said, “Lord, how often shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? Up to seven times?”

 Most of us want to _____ the forgiveness we give

Matthew 18:22–23 (NKJV) **22** Jesus said to him, “I do not say to you, up to seven times, but up to seventy times seven. **23** Therefore the kingdom of heaven is like a certain king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants.

 Jesus said forgiveness shouldn't be _____
to one's imagination

Matthew 18:34–35 (NKJV) **34** And his master was angry, and delivered him to the torturers until he should pay all that was due to him.

35 “So My heavenly Father also will do to you if each of you, from his heart, does not forgive his brother his trespasses.”


 With the measure one gives, the measure one _____

III. Now You Serve

John 13:37–38 (NIV) **37** Peter asked, “Lord, why can't I follow you now? I will lay down my life for you.” **38** Then Jesus answered, “Will you really lay down your life for me? Very truly I tell you, before the rooster crows, you will disown me three times!”

 Peter's question: Why can't I _____ ?

John 21:17 (NIV) **17** The third time he said to him, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, “Do you love me?” He said, “Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you.” Jesus said, “Feed my sheep.”

 Jesus' question: Do you love me? _____

IV. Jesus Raised = New Life for Us

1 Peter 1:1–5 (The Message) **1-2** I, Peter, am an apostle on assignment by Jesus, the Messiah, writing to exiles scattered to the four winds. Not one is missing, not one forgotten. God the Father has his eye on each of you, and has determined by the work of the Spirit to keep you obedient through the sacrifice of Jesus. May everything good from God be yours! **3-5** What a God we have! And how fortunate we are to have him, this Father of our Master Jesus! Because Jesus was raised from the dead, we've been given a brand-new life and have everything to live for, including a future in heaven—and the future starts now! God is keeping careful watch over us and the future. The Day is coming when you'll have it all—life healed and whole.

 The best is _____

This Week's Bible Readings (Use the TCND App if you want to listen):

Sat Rest Sun Est 4-7 Mon Est 8-10 Tue Job 1-2

Wed Job 3-7 Thur Job 8-14 Fri Job 15-21 Sat Rest

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