



Summary of Message:

In this familiar passage, perhaps Jesus' most famous miracle, we find the disciples in a situation where they legitimately do not know what to do. Their resources are few and the pressure is on. In situations like this, a person can become very frustrated. What does Jesus admonish them, and us, to do?

Questions for your Family Devotions or Grace Groups:

1. Review [Mark 6:30-44](#). What was something the Lord used to speak to **you personally** in this message?
2. In verse [31](#) Jesus decide to take the disciples away. Why? What had they previously been doing that warranted a “break”? Did they get one? What do you think they’re feeling when they see the crowd waiting for them? How did Jesus feel?
3. Do you feel the Lord has ever asked something of you that seemed way too difficult, or even impossible? What was your reaction?
4. Can you give some illustrations, from Scripture or your own life, where God did a lot with just a little?
5. Read [John 6:5-6](#). Same story, but a different vantage point... what does it mean that “He asked this to test him”? What about the line following that statement? What does all this mean for you today?
6. In the story we’re told that every one of the thousands and thousands that were fed were each “stuffed”. What does this speak to us today in light of [Ephesians 3:20](#)?