



MIRACLE #5: THE WALKING ON THE WATER

"THE MIRACULOUS STARTS WITH OUR DEPENDENCE!"

THE FIFTH MIRACLE IN JOHN THAT JESUS PERFORMS

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After waiting until evening for Jesus to return, the disciples went down to the lake. But as darkness fell, he still hadn't returned, so the disciples got into a boat and headed across the lake to Capernaum. **JOHN 6:17 TPT**

- Have you ever received a word from the Lord, but paused...waiting for certain that He is right beside you before launching out? How many times do you and I hear the Word of the Lord, and yet we stall...we don't move forward.

By now a strong wind began to blow and was stirring up the waters. **JOHN 6:18 TPT**

- We know Jesus told them to go, but they waited and in the waiting the wind picked up. What previously would have been straightforward hours earlier now became quite challenging.
- Isn't that similar in our lives? We wait...did God really say that, what did He really mean? And then our lack of timely obedience to His Word causes pressure, stress and avoidable headaches.



The disciples had rowed about halfway across the lake when all of a sudden they caught sight of Jesus walking on top of the waves, coming toward them. The disciples panicked . . . **JOHN 6:19**

TPT

- When God shows up in your procrastination, does it scare you? Do you think He is coming to take you out instead of take you up?
- The disciples were on their way to Capernaum which means the village of comfort, but were operating in their own strength to achieve comfort. They had rowed for hours and then were afraid when He came walking on the waves.
- The 3rd purpose of a miracle is for us to realize how dependent we are upon God.
- We experience the wind and ask God why are we so exhausted attempting to do His Word? What areas are we exhausted in?

but Jesus called out to them, “Don’t be afraid. You know who I am.” **JOHN 6:20 TPT**

- Jesus continues to bring us back to dependence upon Him...He truly is the Savior; the I AM!

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- The miracle can begin when I come to the realization, I can't solve this.

“Are you weary, carrying a heavy burden? Come to me. I will refresh your life, for I am your oasis. Simply join your life with mine. Learn my ways and you’ll discover that I’m gentle, humble, easy to please. You will find refreshment and rest in me. For all that I require of you will be pleasant and easy to bear.” **MATTHEW 11:28-30 TPT**