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If Jesus of Nazareth was who he claimed to be, then we should expect that he performed miracles.

- CHARLES RYRIE

JOHN

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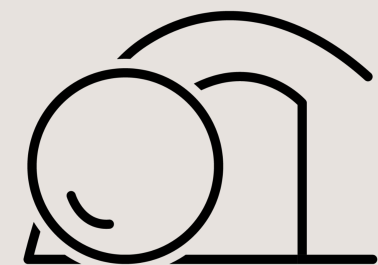
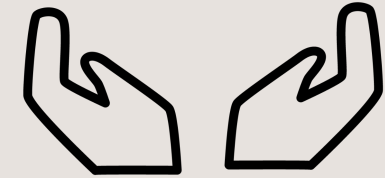
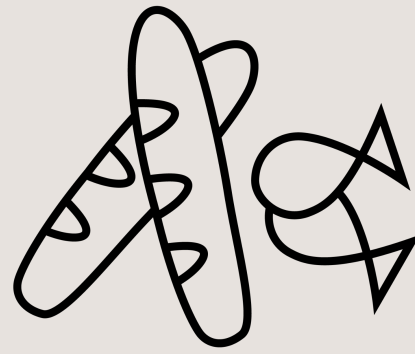
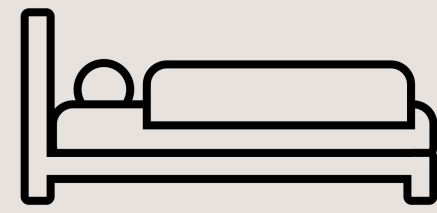
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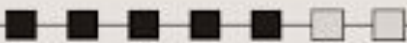




WEEK FIVE

WALKING ON WATER

JOHN 6:16-21



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John 6:16-21 NIV

When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake,¹⁷ where they got into a boat and set off across the lake for Capernaum. By now it was dark, and Jesus had not yet joined them.¹⁸ A strong wind was blowing and the waters grew rough.¹⁹ When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus approaching the boat, walking on the water; and they were frightened.²⁰ But he said to them, “It is I; don’t be afraid.”²¹ Then they were willing to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the shore where they were heading.



Jesus Walks on Water



John 6:16-21

Matthew 14:22-33

Mark 6:45-52



Jesus Walks on Water

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John 6:16-21 | *6 verses, 107 words*

Matthew 14:22-33 | *12 verses, 225 words*

Mark 6:45-52 | *8 verses, 162 words*



John 6:16-17 NIV

When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake,¹⁷ where they got into a boat and set off across the lake for Capernaum. By now it was dark, and Jesus had not yet joined them.

Matthew 14:22-23 NIV

Immediately Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead of him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowd.²³ After he had dismissed them, he went up on a mountainside by himself to pray.

Mark 6:45-46 NIV

Immediately Jesus made his disciples get into the boat and go on ahead of him to Bethsaida, while he dismissed the crowd.⁴⁶ After leaving them, he went up on a mountainside to pray.



Psalm 46:10 NIV

“Be still and know that I am God.”



John 6:18 NIV

A strong wind was blowing and the waters grew rough.



Matthew 14:23-24 NIV

Later that night, he was there alone, ²⁴ and the boat was already a considerable distance from land, buffeted by the waves because the wind was against it.



Mark 6:47-48 NIV

Later that night, the boat was in the middle of the lake, and he was alone on land. ⁴⁸ He saw the disciples straining at the oars, because the wind was against them.



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They were in the midst of a storm because they were obedient to God. Those who decide to follow Christ and give Him their allegiance will face contrary winds, no doubt about it.

- **KENT HUGHES**, *John: That You May Believe*



John 6:19 NIV

When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus approaching the boat, walking on the water; and they were frightened.

Matthew 14:25-26 NIV

Shortly before dawn Jesus went out to them, walking on the lake.
²⁶ When the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified. “It’s a ghost,” they said, and cried out in fear.

Mark 6:48-50 NIV

Shortly before dawn he went out to them, walking on the lake. He was about to pass by them,⁴⁹ but when they saw him walking on the lake, they thought he was a ghost. They cried out,⁵⁰ because they all saw him and were terrified.



John 6:20 NIV

But he said to them, “It is I; don’t be afraid.”



Matthew 14:27 NIV

But Jesus immediately said to them: “Take courage! It is I. Don’t be afraid.”



Mark 6:50 NIV

Immediately he spoke to them and said, “Take courage! It is I. Don’t be afraid.”



John 6:20 NIV

But he said to them, “**It is I**; don’t be afraid.”



Matthew 14:27 NIV

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Mark 6:50 NIV

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Matthew 14:28-31 NIV

“Lord, if it’s you,” Peter replied, “tell me to come to you on the water.” ²⁹ “Come,” he said. Then Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind, he was afraid and, beginning to sink, cried out, “Lord, save me!” ³¹ Immediately Jesus reached out his hand and caught him. “You of little faith,” he said, “why did you doubt?”



John 6:21 NIV

Then they were willing to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the shore where they were heading.

Matthew 14:32-33 NIV

And when they climbed into the boat, the wind died down.³³ Then those who were in the boat worshiped him, saying, “Truly you are the Son of God.”

Mark 6:51-52 NIV

Then he climbed into the boat with them, and the wind died down. They were completely amazed,⁵² for they had not understood about the loaves; their hearts were hardened.



The captain of our souls walked on water.

