

2019.10.6 Jesus walks on water

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Matthew 14:22 (NKJV)

22 Immediately Jesus made His disciples get into the boat and go before Him to the other side, while He sent the multitudes away.

Matthew 14:23 (NKJV)

23 And when He had sent the multitudes away, He went up on the mountain by Himself to pray. Now when evening came, He was alone there.

Matthew 14:24 (NKJV)

24 But the boat was now in the middle of the sea, tossed by the waves, for the wind was contrary.

Matthew 14:25 (NKJV)

25 Now in the fourth watch of the night Jesus went to them, walking on the sea.

Matthew 14:26 (NKJV)

26 And when the disciples saw Him walking on the sea, they were troubled, saying, "It is a ghost!" And they cried out for fear.

Matthew 14:27 (NKJV)

27 But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, "Be of good cheer! It is I; do not be afraid."

Matthew 14:28 (NKJV)

28 And Peter answered Him and said, "Lord, if it is You, command me to come to You on the water."

Matthew 14:29 (NKJV)

29 So He said, "Come." And when Peter had come down out of the boat, he walked on the water to go to Jesus.

Matthew 14:30 (NKJV)

30 But when he saw that the wind was boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink he cried out, saying, "Lord, save me!"

Matthew 14:31 (NKJV)

31 And immediately Jesus stretched out His hand and caught him, and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?"

Matthew 14:32 (NKJV)

32 And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased.

Matthew 14:33 (NKJV)

33 Then those who were in the boat came and worshiped Him, saying, "Truly You are the Son of God."

John 6:15 (NKJV)

15 Therefore when Jesus perceived that they were about to come and take Him by force to make Him king, He departed again to the mountain by Himself alone.

1) Walking on water requires Courage

Matthew 14:27 (NKJV)

27 But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, "Be of good cheer! It is I; do not be afraid."

Hebrews 13:5 (NKJV)

5 Let your conduct be without covetousness; be content with such things as you have. For He Himself has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you."

2) Walking on water requires Obedience

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2 Corinthians 5:7 (NKJV)

7 For we walk by faith, not by sight.

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3) Walking on water requires Perseverance

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