

Lessons learned in a little boat

²³When He got into the boat, His disciples followed Him.

²⁴Suddenly a violent storm came up in the sea, so that the boat was engulfed by the waves; but Jesus was sleeping.

²⁵The disciples went and woke Him, saying, "Lord, save us! We are perishing!"

²⁶"You of little faith," Jesus replied, "why are you so afraid?" Then He got up and rebuked the winds and the sea, and it was perfectly calm.

²⁷The men were amazed and asked, "What kind of man is this? Even the winds and the sea obey Him!"

Matthew 8:23-27

I have peace when I go the storm with Jesus, v 23-24

With Jesus, storms are still
John 16:33, You may have... You will have...

With Jesus, storms are not

I have priorities when I go the storm with Jesus, v25-26

Fear brings

Faith brings
John 14:27
Luke 12:32

I have perspective when I come the storm with Jesus, v27

I know the of Jesus

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My prayer priorities for this week

S 29 Steve & Jenni

M 30 Clyde & Connie

T 31 Moses & Sharon, Elizabeth, Ruth, Joseph

W 1 The future of our church, **Home Group, 7:30 pm**

T 2 Stuart & Kaye

F 3 Clarence & Irene, **Good Friday, 10:00 am**

S 4 Lerida C

S 5 Robert & Dianne, **Daylight Savings ends**

Thought starters for personal reflection or group discussion.

1. The disciples followed Jesus, v23. But things did not go well, v24. Why did obedience have such a poor outcome?
2. Jesus asked, "Why are you afraid?" v26. List some of the causes of fear.
3. Why was Jesus not worried, v24b?
4. Jesus connected "little faith" with "fear", v26a. How does faith deal with your list from Question 2?
5. Answer the question in the middle of v27, "What kind of man is this?"
6. Explain why the statement at the end of v27 is true.

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