JESUS AT THE CENTER OF TRANSFORMATION

STORMS

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DIGGING DEEPER

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Jesus had just escaped a stoning when He came upon a man who had been blind from birth. He miraculously healed him, which resulted in more controversy. Jesus works in the world, no matter the circumstances!

But Jesus spoke to them at once. "Don't be afraid," He said. "Take Courage. I am Here!"   **Matthew 14:27 (NLT)**

Describe a time when you feared for your or your loved ones' safety.

Read John 6:16-21

GENERAL BIBLE STUDY	PASSAGE REFLECTION
1. After reading this passage, pause and ask God what He wants you to know from this miracle.	1. Imagine yourself as one of the disciples in the boat in the middle of the storm. Describe what you would see, hear and feel.
2. What stood out to you most about this passage?	2. The disciples had rowed most of the night and were only in the middle of the sea, more than likely frustrated. How have you been frustrated when doing what God has given you to do?
3. What do you learn about Jesus in the passage that makes you want to know Him better?	3. The boat was battered and tossed about by the storm. Describe a time when you felt that way while dealing with a storm.
	4. The disciples were afraid when they saw Jesus walking towards them, not recognizing who it was. What would help you notice Jesus at work?
	5. Jesus calms the disciples by saying *It is I, don't be afraid*. How does the presence of Jesus help you to overcome fear, doubt and anxiety?
	6. Jesus didn't get into the boat until the disciples welcomed Him. What aspect of your life do you need to invite Jesus into?
	7. Once the disciples invited Jesus in, they arrived at their destination. How has your life been impacted by inviting Jesus into your life?
	8. What work has Jesus done in your life for which you can thank Him?
	9. How is your prayer life affected by the storms you face?

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