

**MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS:**

- ✓ I will memorize **Job 31:4 (LB)**
- ✓ I will accept Christ for the first time
- ✓ I will join the New Life church family
- ✓ I will sign up for the next baptism

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**Miracles: Experiencing the Extraordinary Power of Jesus**  
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# Miracles:

## Experiencing the Extraordinary Power of Jesus

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*"Immediately after this, Jesus insisted that his disciples get back into the boat and cross to the other side of the lake, while he sent the people home. After sending them home, he went up into the hills by himself to pray. Night fell while he was there alone. Meanwhile, the disciples were in trouble far away from land, for a strong wind had risen, and they were fighting heavy waves. About three o'clock in the morning Jesus came toward them, walking on the water. When the disciples saw him walking on the water, they were terrified. In their fear, they cried out, It's a ghost! But Jesus spoke to them at once. Don't be afraid, he said. Take courage. I am here! Then Peter called to him, Lord, if it's really you, tell me to come to you, walking on the water. Yes, come, Jesus said. So Peter went over the side of the boat and walked on the water toward Jesus. But when he saw the strong wind and the waves, he was terrified and began to sink. Save me, Lord! he shouted. Jesus immediately reached out and grabbed him. You have so little faith, Jesus said. Why did you doubt me? When they climbed back into the boat, the wind stopped. Then the disciples worshiped him. You really are the Son of God! they exclaimed."* **Matthew 14:22-33 (NLT)**

### THAT SINKING FEELING

Matthew 14:22 33, Mark 6:45 52, John 6:15 21

- I KNOW I'M SINKING WHEN I FEEL I'M OUT OF MY \_\_\_\_\_ ZONE.

*"The boat was in the middle of the lake..."* Mark 6:47 (NIV)

*"They were a long way from shore..."* Matthew 14:24 (CEV)

➤ I KNOW I'M SINKING WHEN STRONG FORCES ARE

\_\_\_\_\_ ME.

"...tossed around and battered by waves." Matthew 14:24b (AMP)

"...the waters grew rough!" John 6:18 (NIV)

"...the wind was against them." Mark 6:48 (NIV)

➤ I KNOW I'M SINKING WHEN I'M STRUGGLING, BUT

I'M \_\_\_\_\_.

"They were in serious trouble, rowing hard and struggling against the wind and waves." Mark 6:48 (LB)

WHAT DOES JESUS DO WHEN I'M SINKING?

1. JESUS \_\_\_\_\_ FOR ME BEFORE THE STORM HAPPENS.

"After he had sent them away, he went by himself up into the hills to pray. It was late, and Jesus was there alone." Matthew 14:23 (NCV)

"I have prayed that you will not lose your faith! Help your brothers be stronger when you come back to me." Luke 22:32 (NCV)

"Who then is the one who condemns? No one. Christ Jesus who died—more than that, who was raised to life—is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us." Romans 8:34 (NIV)

2. JESUS \_\_\_\_\_ MY STRUGGLE.

"He saw the disciples straining at the oars." Mark 6:48a (NIV)

MEMORY VERSE:

"God sees everything I do and every step I take."

Job 31:4 (LB)

3. JESUS COMES AT MY MOMENT OF \_\_\_\_\_.

"Shortly before dawn Jesus went out to them, walking on the lake."

Matthew 14:25 (NIV)

4. JESUS SHOWS ME HIS TRUE \_\_\_\_\_.

"When the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified. It's a ghost, they said, and cried out in fear. But Jesus immediately said to them: Take courage! It is I. Don't be afraid."

Matthew 14:26–27 (NIV)

WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I'M SINKING?

1. I NEED TO TAKE A RISK IN \_\_\_\_\_.

"Lord, if it's you, Peter replied, tell me to come to you on the water! Come, Jesus said. So Peter got out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus." Matthew 14:28-29 (NIV)

2. I STAY \_\_\_\_\_ ON JESUS.

"But when Peter looked around at the high waves, he was terrified and began to sink. Save me, Lord! he shouted."

Matthew 14:30 (NLT)

3. I KEEP BELIEVING AND DON'T \_\_\_\_\_.

"Immediately Jesus reached out his hand and caught him. You of little faith, he said, Why did you doubt?" Matthew 14:31 (NIV)

4. I \_\_\_\_\_ GOD.

"When Jesus climbed into the boat, the wind died down. Then those who were in the boat worshiped him, saying, Truly you are the Son of God." Matthew 14:32-33 (NIV)

SOMETIMES GOD ALLOWS A \_\_\_\_\_ TO HELP  
US SEE HIM AS \_\_\_\_\_.