

23. Jesus Calms a Storm (Mark 4:35-41)

Connect

- What are you thankful for today?
- How have you seen God working in your life this past week?
- What difficulties are you experiencing in life? How may we help?
- How did you apply last session's discovery? What happened?
- With whom did you share last session's discovery? What was their response?

Instructions:

Please use the following steps to guide your discovery of God's truth in the passages below. Need to review the [Group Guidelines](#)?

Discover

Step 1-Participants take turns reading sections of the passage (clarify new words/terms)

Step 2-One person reads the entire passage out loud while the rest listen

Step 3-A participant retells the passage in his/her own words (others add their thoughts)

Jesus Calms a Storm (Mark 4:35-41)

35As evening came, Jesus said to his disciples, “Let’s cross to the other side of the lake.” **36**So they took Jesus in the boat and started out, leaving the crowds behind (although other boats followed). **37**But soon a fierce storm came up. High waves were breaking into the boat, and it began to fill with water. **38**Jesus was sleeping at the back of the boat with his head on a cushion. The disciples woke him up, shouting, “Teacher, don’t you care that we’re going to drown?” **39**When Jesus woke up, he rebuked the wind and said to the waves, “Silence! Be still!” Suddenly the wind stopped, and there was a great calm. **40**Then he asked them, “Why are you afraid? Do you still have no faith?” **41**The disciples were absolutely terrified. “Who is this man?” they asked each other. “Even the wind and waves obey him!”

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Ask/Answer:

- What does this passage mean?
- What do you like/not like about this passage?
- How does this passage change the way you see God/People?

Respond: If this is true...

- How should it change the way you live?
- With whom will you share today's discovery?