

SIGNS: Walking On Water

Small Group Discussion

John 6:16-24

1. How does our culture view Jesus? What are some common misconceptions about Jesus? What kind of a reputation has he earned in our society?
2. How does our culture's view on Jesus compare to Jesus's claims about himself? Do you see a difference? If so, why do you think that there is such a difference?
3. Read John 6 in its entirety. Notice the interesting placement of John's account of Jesus walking on water. Why do you think John included these details where he did? What might he want us to see?
4. At the end of chapter six, thousands walk away from Jesus. What about His claims turned to many people away?
5. The twelve saw Jesus in the storm—they saw Him walk on water. Not coincidentally, they were also the only ones who were willing to stick with Jesus when everyone else deserted Him. Why might this be?
6. How open have you been to turning to Jesus in the storms of your life? Is your tendency to trust Him in the midst of them, or to try and make it through on your own?
7. When we choose to rely on Jesus's power, we will learn how truly powerful He is. Practically, how can we remember to turn to him in our storms?

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SEE WHO JESUS
REALLY IS.**