



Sink or Swim

Marcus Constantine, Groups
Matthew 14:22-36, p. 685-686

I. **Jesus obeys.**
(Matthew 14:22-25, Mark 6:45-56, John 6:14-24, John 5:19-21, 8:25-30, Matthew 24:36, Mark 13:32-33, Philippians 2:5-11)

II. **Peter obeys?**
(Matthew 14:26-29)

Five Marks of a Biblical Disciple:

1. **Obey your Rabbi without question in ALL areas of life.**
2. **Memorize all teachings of your Rabbi word for word.**
3. **Understand & agree with your Rabbi's interpretation of Old Testament Scripture.**
4. **Imitate all the actions of your Rabbi.**
5. **Become a disciple-maker, gathering others into the school of your Rabbi!**

III. **What about us?**
(Matthew 14:30-36)

NEXT STEPS

- I will:

- I will share with: _____

NOTES FOR PERSONAL & SMALL GROUP STUDY

KEEPING IT REAL

1 What are you thankful for? What challenge or stress are you facing? (Consider praying about these together.)

LOOK AT THE BOOK

2 What do these verses tell us about God? What do these verses tell us about humanity/about us?

3 If this is God speaking, what will you do about it? (Aim for a specific: "I will..." step of obedience.)

TAKING IT FURTHER

4 Who will you share with what you learned? (Name a specific person you want to share with.)

WORSHIP LYRICS

If you'd like to spend more time with the lyrics from any of the songs this morning, please click on the song title below to continue worshiping.

[The King is Here](#)

[Your Great Name](#)

[Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me](#)

[Much of You](#)