Jesus Walks on the Water

Matthew 14; John 6



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Matthew 14:27

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Jesus went up into the hills to pray. He was alone, and it was night.

His disciples were in a boat. A strong wind pushed their boat across the water. They had to pull hard on the oars.

Jesus went down to the lake. He walked right on top of the water! The disciples were very afraid.

"It is a ghost!" they cried in fear.

"No. It is I," Jesus said. "Be brave. Do not be afraid."

"Lord, if it is really you, tell me to join you on the water," Peter said.

"Come," Jesus said. Peter got out of the boat and walked on top of the water to Jesus. But, he saw the waves and felt the wind. He got afraid and started to sink.

"Lord, save me!" Peter cried.

Jesus reached out his hand and helped him. The wind died down. The boat arrived at the shore, just like that.

The disciples were amazed. They said, "Truly, you are the Son of God."

Questions

- 1. What did Jesus do that made the disciples afraid?
- 2. When did Peter start to sink?
- 3. What was Peter's prayer? (Use quote marks.)
- 4. How can you keep your eyes on Jesus when you get afraid?

Pray this Prayer:

Dear Jesus, Sometimes I get afraid. Please help me to keep my eyes on you when fears come over me. Amen

Write your fears on top of the waves. Write the memory verse under the waves.

