

**God's Story—Our Story  
Get Out of the Boat!  
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**OK Lord, let's do this!**

Untested “faith” is not yet real faith. Faith means trust.  
Trust is only real when it is demonstrated by obedience.

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- Jesus Set the Disciples Up (22-24)
- Jesus Did What He Wanted Them to Do (25-26)
- What Jesus Will ALWAYS Tell You #1... (27)
- Peter's Act of Faith (28-29a)
- What Jesus Will ALWAYS Tell You #2... (29)
- Peter Was Just Like Us (30)
- Jesus Always Reaches Out His Hand (31-33)

**What did you discover in this story?** \_\_\_\_\_

**BIG Idea:** If you want to walk on water, you have to get out of the boat. That's faith!  
And Jesus will always be there to catch you when the waves overwhelm you.

**Right On!**

Scripture Reading: Psalm 116:1-9