

Do not be Afraid
John 6:15-21

The main point of this section of John 6 is that Jesus declares Himself the Son of God through the events that occurred when He sent His disciples into a storm, walked on water, calmed the storm and transported them to their destination of safety. Jesus comforts and corrects them saying, 1. Be of good cheer. 2. I am with you. 3. Do not be afraid. The result: they believe Jesus is God, as indicated in Matthew's record of this incident in Matthew 14, The disciples in the boat worship Jesus saying, "*Truly You are the Son of God.*" v33. The question is, what kind of belief do you possess? For Jesus said, "*Therefore I said to you that you will die in your sins; for if you do not believe that I am He, you will die in your sins.*" John 8:24

I. The crowd wants a miracle working king and Jesus departs to a mountain again, v15

II. Jesus arranges a hardship for His disciples to demonstrate His glory, v16-17

III. A wind arose and the disciples are struck with fear, v18-19

IV. Jesus got into their boat and comforted them, v20-21

Words for Kids to listen for

Miracle

Pray

Mountain

Sea of Galilee

Jesus sends Hardship

Boat

Wind and waves

Afraid

Fourth watch of the night

I Am

Yahweh

False disciples

True disciples