

GOSPEL OF MARK
Trusting the Master
Mark 4:35-41

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**1. The Lord God is sovereign over _____
aspect of life.**

- a. The Lord perpetually upholds, _____
and governs all events.

- b. The Lord wisely and purposefully brings _____
circumstances into our lives.

"It is certain that the storm which agitated the lake was _____ accidental. But on this occasion He intended to make known to the apostles how weak and inconsiderable their faith still was. Though Christ's sleep was natural, yet it served the additional purpose of making the disciples better acquainted with their weaknesses." - John Calvin

- c. The Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, has _____
_____ power.

**2. The Lord's disciples are called to persevere in
following Him in _____.**

- a. Following the Lord does not exempt His disciples from
going through _____.
 - 1) It is in trials that sins and weaknesses are often
_____.

 - 2) Since Jesus Christ was fully _____,
He is able to truly sympathize with our
weaknesses.

- b. The Lord disciplines those that He _____.
 - 1) Even the Lord's rebukes exemplify His
_____.

 - 2) Fear in certain situations is normal, but it becomes
sin when _____ in God is
lacking.

- c. The Lord's exposure of our sins and weaknesses in
the midst of trials brings us to _____
Christ more fully.

*"The subduing of the sea and the wind was not merely a demonstration of power; it was an epiphany, through which Jesus was _____ to His disciples as the Savior in the midst of intense peril."
- William Lane*