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Discussion Questions: Jesus Calms the Storm

1. Cross to the other side. (Read the verses outlined in red: Mark 4:35 and Luke 8:22). When Jesus says, “**Let us cross over to the other side,**” **where are they currently located?**

Where does He want to go?

2. Before and after they embarked. (Read the verses outlined in green: Matthew 8:23, Mark 4:36, and Luke 8:22). **Who got into the boat?**

What does Mark mention that Matthew and Luke does not?

3. The great windstorm. (Read the verses in blue: Matthew 8:24a, Mark 4:37, and Luke 8:23). **What type of storm suddenly overcame the boat Jesus and the disciples were traveling?**

Why was the Sea of Galilee so dangerous to cross?

How high could the waves get to cover the boat?

4. Jesus was asleep, His disciples awoke Him. (Read the verses outlined in purple: Matthew 8:24b-25, Mark 4:38, and Luke 8:24a). **Where was Jesus sleeping on the boat?** (Mark 4:38)

5. They were perishing. Why does Mark ask, “**Teacher, do You not care that we are perishing?**”

6. Jesus calms the storm. (Read the verses outlined in black: Matthew 8:26b, Mark 4:39, and Luke 8:24b). **What does Jesus do after they awoke Him?**

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(2) _____
(3) _____

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7. (Read the verses outlined in gray: Matthew 8:26a, Mark 4:40, and Luke 8:25a). **Why did Jesus say, “Why are you fearful?”**

8. **Why does Jesus ask, “Do you still have no faith?”**

9. (Read the verses outlined in yellow: Matthew 8:27, Mark 4:41, and Luke 8:25b). **Why did the disciples say, “Who is this that even the wind and waves obey him?”**
