

Feeding 5000 & Forgiveness

Matthew 14-20

Name _____ Date _____

Read & think

READ IN ORDER

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| 1. Matthew 14 | 2. Matthew 15 |
| 3. Matthew 16 | 4. Matthew 17 |
| 5. Matthew 18 | 6. Matthew 19-20 |

MAIN POINTS

- Jesus' compassion, provision, authority over the sea, and healing led the disciples to worship Him as the Son of God (Matthew 14:14-36).
- God's command must not be displaced by human tradition, because the words and actions that defile arise from the heart (Matthew 15:1-20).
- Confessing Jesus as the Christ belongs with accepting His path to the cross and answering His call to self-denial and faithful following (Matthew 16:13-25).
- Kingdom community requires humility, care for little ones, patient restoration and repeated forgiveness from the heart (Matthew 18:1-35).
- What people cannot accomplish God can do, and kingdom greatness follows the Son of man's pattern of ministry and ransom rather than dominion (Matthew 19:23-26; 20:25-28).

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

1. Peter became afraid when he saw the boisterous wind, cried for rescue, and was immediately caught by Jesus. What fear needs an honest cry for help from you (Matthew 14:28-31)?

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2. Jesus opposed a tradition that canceled God's command to honor parents. Where can a familiar habit look religious while avoiding clear obedience (Matthew 15:1-9)?

Matthew 15:1-9

3. Peter obeyed Jesus' call and walked toward Him on the water, but when he saw the boisterous wind he became afraid and began to sink. Jesus immediately caught and corrected him (Matthew 14:28-31). When fear grows, where do you need both Christ's rescue and His searching question about doubt?

Matthew 14:28-31

MEMORY VERSE / Matthew 16:25

Jesus taught that discipleship places faithfulness to Him above self-preservation (Matthew 16:24-26).

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For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, and whoever will lose his life for my sake will find it.

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Notes

Waymark 69 / Group

Main verse _____ Bonus verse(s) _____

Passage or verse _____

NOTES

ONE THING TO PUT INTO PRACTICE

PRAYER
