

Great Encounters with Jesus, pt 1

What would a 1-on-1 with a celebrity be like?

How about with Jesus?

What can we expect in life's storms?

Sometimes He sends us into the storm. (Mt 14:22-34)

Jesus *made them* get into the boat.

Some people get uncomfortable with this.

Are you looking for “feel good” or “soul good”?

The bullseye is on their *faith*.

Jesus was dealing with a storm of His own.

When storms are brewing, spend time with the Father

Sometimes He takes us out of the storm. (Jn 6:17-21)

The storm and the “ghost”

We combat fears because we lose sight of Jesus' presence.

Good news!

Welcome Jesus into your boat.

Sometimes He is with us in the storm. (Mk 4:35-38a)

Jesus is not afraid of storms. He comes along with us.

Where is your gaze? (Matthew 14:25-31)

Sometimes He stops the storm. (Mk 4:38-41)

Jesus, don't you care?

Jesus can stop storms. He doesn't always.

Pressing for growth

Storms are tools in the Master's hand, not to make life difficult but to make us better.

The fear – faith quotient

What do I need to trust God for?

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