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Matthew 8:23-27

Jesus

1. Jesus often Leads us into the Storm
2. Jesus often seems Silent in the Storm



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Psalm 13

How long, O Lord? Will you forget me forever?

How long will you hide your face from me?

2 How long must I take counsel in my soul
and have sorrow in my heart all the day?

How long shall my enemy be exalted over me?

3 Consider and answer me, O Lord my God;
light up my eyes, lest I sleep the sleep of death,
4 lest my enemy say, "I have prevailed over him,"
lest my foes rejoice because I am shaken.

5 But I have trusted in your steadfast love;
my heart shall rejoice in your salvation.

6 I will sing to the Lord,
because he has dealt bountifully with me.

The Storm

1. The Storm is **Unexpected**
2. The Storm is **Terrifying**



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The Disciples

1. They **Doubted** Jesus
2. They **Depended** on Jesus



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“Praise You in this Storm”

I was sure by now, God, You would have reached down
And wiped our tears away. Stepped in and saved the day
And once again, I say, "Amen" and it's still raining
But as the thunder rolls, I barely hear Your whisper through the rain
"I'm with you" And as Your mercy falls
I'll raise my hands and praise the God who gives, and takes away
And I'll praise You in this storm, And I will lift my hands
For You are who You are, No matter where I am
And every tear I've cried, You hold in Your hand, You never left my side
And though my heart is torn, I will praise You in this storm

The Lord of the Storm

1. Jesus Rebukes the **Storm**
2. Jesus Rebukes the **Disciples**



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The Response

1. They **Marveled**

2. They **Questioned**: *Who is this Man?*



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Jonah 1:6-15

6 So the captain came and said to him, “What do you mean, you sleeper? Arise, call out to your god! Perhaps the god will give a thought to us, that we may not perish.”....

11 Then they said to him, “What shall we do to you, that the sea may quiet down for us?” For the sea grew more and more tempestuous. **12** He said to them, “Pick me up and hurl me into the sea; then the sea will quiet down for you, for I know it is because of me that this great tempest has come upon you.”

15 So they picked up Jonah and hurled him into the sea, and the sea ceased from its raging.

Matthew 12:38-40

Then some of the scribes and Pharisees answered him, saying, "Teacher, we wish to see a sign from you." 39 But he answered them, "An evil and adulterous generation seeks for a sign, but no sign will be given to it except the sign of the prophet Jonah. 40 For just as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of the great fish, so will the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth.

Jesus is True & Better Jonah

Jesus is God

Jesus is Savior

Jesus is Lord of the Storm



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