

## Peter's Principles #5

Now What?

I Peter 5:7 // Matthew 14:25-33

**“Don’t** worry about anything, instead pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank Him for all He has **done.**” ~ Phil.4:6

Introduction: **It’s** time to get out of the boat!

- ☛ Peter’s Style: A spontaneous RISK taker.
- ☛ The Others: Play it safe. Stay in the boat!
- ☛ Jesus said, “Yes, come.” JOIN the fun!
- ☛ What if Jesus said “stay”? Too dangerous!
- ☛ What if they all got out of the boat?

### I. **Peter’s** Problem with Success.

He actually walked on water, **but...**

- ☛ became distracted by CIRCUMSTANCES.
- AIN’T IT THE TRUTH!
- ☛ Peter got what he wanted, so do we.
- Now what?

### II. What is True Success?

- Peter knew Who to turn to.
- Peter didn’t sink. He REACHED rightly.
- He went forward in his FAILURE.
- He trusted God with his FEARS.
- Peter’s Failure led the others to FAITH.
- “Jesus,** you really are the Son of **God.**” vs.33

### III. Our Challenge:

- ☛ The Silent Majority has spoken.
- ☛ The Silent Majority must Act.
- ☛ It is our MOMENT.
- ☛ WE NEED REVIVAL!