HOW TO EXPERIENCE GOD'S MIRACLE (STORY OF WATER WALKING)

Matthew 14:25-32;

Mark 6:45-56;

John 6:15-21

FOLLOWING GOD'S LEADING

God's Word



Experiencing
God
(incl. Miracles)



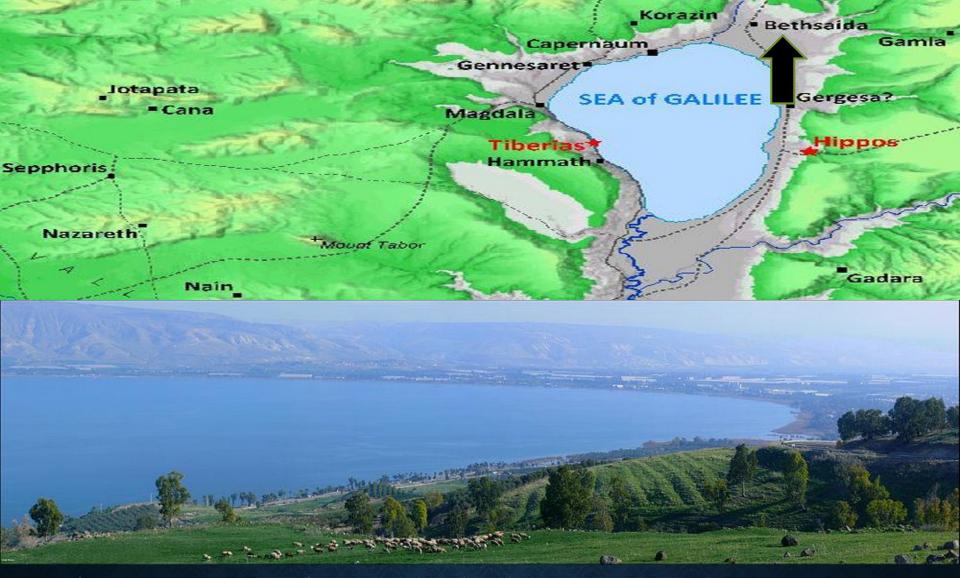
Faith

MIRACLE (N.)

an event not explainable by natural or scientific laws. Such an event may be attributed to a supernatural being (especially a deity).

FURTHER EXPLANATION

 If at any time one is called upon to not rely on one's self but to place complete trust in God for an event, that event becomes a miracle (even through natural means)



THE famous sheet of water in Galilee is called by **three names**—the **Sea of Galilee**, the **Sea of Tiberias** and the **Lake of Gennesaret**. It is thirteen miles long by eight miles wide.

¹⁵ Then Jesus, because he knew they were going to come and seize him by force to make him king, withdrew again up the mountainside alone.

John 6:15

48 Seeing them straining at the oars, for the wind was against them, at about the fourth watch of the night. He came to them, walking on the sea; and He intended to pass by them.

Mark 6:48

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³⁷A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. ³⁸Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?" 39He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.

Mark 4:37-39

God truly desires for us to experience His miracle so that our faith would increase (power of God would increase)

Experiencing miracle is not just about risk taking but its about knowing God and obeying His will

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IF YOU WANT TO WALK ON WATER, YOU'VE GOT TO GET OU

In order to experience God's miracles We must leave our place of comfort or familiarity

Failure is not an event but rather a judgment about an event

"Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up."

"I have not failed. I've just found 10,000 ways that won't work."

Thomas Edison