

August 11 Discussion Questions - Sovereign

Mark 4:35-41

Review

"Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?" Mark 4:41

Trust in Jesus, the Sovereign Lord of All

1. He Knows Everything (v. 35) "Let's go across"
2. He Cares for everyone (v. 38) "Do you not care?"
3. He Directs Everything (v. 39-41; Col. 1:17; Heb. 1:2; 1 Cor. 8:6) "Peace! Be still!"
4. He Died for everyone (Mk. 8:31) "The Son of Man must suffer..."

"Who do you say that I am?" Mark 8:29

Connect

1. Who is the most famous person you've ever met in person? How did you feel? Why?
2. What famous person would you most like to meet? Why?

Read Mark 4:35-41

Discuss

3. What do you think it was like for the disciples on the boat that night? How would you have felt like in their situation?
4. What should they have known about Jesus by this time in his ministry? (See Mark 1-4) Why did he rebuke them for their lack of faith?
5. How do you think this experience enhanced their understanding of Jesus' identity and authority?
6. What did the Sea represent in Bible times? Why is it so significant that Jesus silenced the storm with a word of command? (See Psalm 107)

Apply

7. What kind of storm are you facing right now? How is your faith in the midst of it?
8. What have you learned about Jesus' love, power and grace from past challenges and trials?
9. What is the Lord teaching you right now?

Pray

10. How can we pray for you?