

The One Jesus Loved Loved Into Proclaiming

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³² *But after I have risen, I will go ahead of you into Galilee.*
Matthew 26:32, NIV

¹ *Afterward Jesus appeared again to his disciples, by the Sea of Galilee. It happened this way:* ² *Simon Peter, Thomas (also known as Didymus), Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two other disciples were together.* ³ *“I’m going out to fish,” Simon Peter told them, and they said, “We’ll go with you.”* **John 21:1-3a, NIV**

⁸ *You too, be patient and stand firm, because the Lord’s coming is near.* **James 5:8, NIV**

Sometimes we find ourselves waiting for God to show up in our lives. It may feel like we’re waiting _____.

So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. ⁴ *Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus.*

⁵ *He called out to them, “Friends, haven’t you any fish?” “No,” they answered.*

⁶ *He said, “Throw your net on the right side of the boat and you will find some.” When they did, they were unable to haul the net in because of the large number of fish.* **John 21:3b-6, NIV**

¹³ *Who can fathom the Spirit of the Lord, or instruct the Lord as his counselor?* **Isaiah 40:13, NIV**

We may believe our life is producing _____, but Jesus shows up and turns it into something producing _____.

⁷ *Then the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, “It is the Lord!” As soon as Simon Peter heard him say, “It is the Lord,” he wrapped his outer garment around him (for he had taken it off) and jumped into the water.* **John 21:7, NIV**

The result is _____ that goes to _____, or worship.

⁸ *The other disciples followed in the boat, towing the net full of fish, for they were not far from shore, about a hundred yards.* ⁹ *When they landed, they saw a fire of burning coals there with fish on it, and some bread.* **John 21:8-9, NIV**

- Sometimes we _____-ship Jesus in our _____.
Sometimes our wonder comes out in our _____.
- Sometimes we _____-ship Jesus by plunging ahead and _____, sometimes our wonder comes out by staying behind and _____.

¹⁰ *Jesus said to them, “Bring some of the fish you have just caught.”* ¹¹ *So Simon Peter climbed back into the boat and dragged the net ashore. It was full of large fish, 153, but even with so many the net was not torn.* ¹² *Jesus said to them, “Come and have breakfast.” None of the disciples dared ask him, “Who are you?” They knew it was the Lord.* ¹³ *Jesus came, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.* ¹⁴ *This was now the third time Jesus appeared to his disciples after he was raised from the dead.* **John 21:10-14, NIV**

¹ *Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God’s mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship.*
Romans 12:1, NIV

We are wondrously _____. When our hearts are full of _____ love, our wonder will begin to go to _____.

MEMORY VERSE

³¹ *So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.* **1 Corinthians 10:31, NIV**

My next step: I’ll wait patiently for Jesus to show up in my life (as he has promised) and await wondrous things from him. My worth-ship and my work-ship will flow naturally from that.

What’s your next step today?

Mark it on your Communication Card.