Benjas (0-5 years) Date:

Lesson: WALKING ON WATER **Reference:** John 6:16-24

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the things he had done. They knew they were safe with him, and so they let him into the boat.

Even though Jesus is very powerful, when the disciples knew who he was, they did not have to be afraid anymore. In the same way, when we know who Jesus is – God the Son - and how powerful he is, we do not need to be afraid of him. Jesus is the powerful ruler of God's kingdom, but we do not need to fear him if we know him as our friend. We can trust him in all things because he is powerful and because he loves us. We can be friends with him.

Knowing Jesus as our God and king should lead us to trust him and not be afraid. When we love Jesus and know him as our king, we will find it easier to trust him. We can trust Jesus to always do what is best for us, even when we do not understand it now.





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Joshua / Jesus walking on the wall / water .

What did he say to them? (6:20)

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How did the disciples respond? Compare their reaction before and after Jesus spoke.



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What did this sign teach the disciples about Jesus?

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