Trusting Jesus

The feeding of the 5,000 is the only miracle, aside from the resurrection, reported in all four gospels. Jesus’ walking on water is reported in all but Luke. Together these miracles reveal the divine power of our Savior.

**Trust Jesus because—**

**1. He creates out of *nothing*.**

A. Consider the magnitude of the *miracle*

B. This is an act of power not of *prophecy*

Exodus 16:4; 2 Kings 4:42-44

**2. He rules over *nature*.**

A. He walked on the *water*

B. He stilled the *storm*

Mark 6:51-52

**3. He supplies our *need*.**

A. He is moved by *compassion*

Matthew 14:13-14; Mark 6:34

B. He is not limited by our *resources*

**4. He enters our *storms*.**

A. Trials may come after *triumphs*

B. The world does not see Him *come*

**5. He grants a great *privilege*.**

Exodus 24:9-11; Deuteronomy 12:5-7; Isaiah 25:6; Luke 12:36-37; Revelation 19:9

**For Private Meditation or Family Discussion**

1. How did the Lord speak to you through the message? Did He put His finger on any habits or attitudes that you need to change? Did He encourage you regarding some difficulty, move you to undertake some new challenge, or open your heart to some truth you hadn’t seen before?

2. Through what difficulties have you been challenged to trust in the Lord Jesus Christ? How has He provided for you in the past? What do you need from Him now?

3. How does the Lord’s Supper (Luke 22:14-20) resemble or differ from the examples of eating in God’s presence under point 5 of the sermon?

4. Why should we not worry, be anxious, or be fearful in the midst of life’s uncertainties?

Matthew 6:25-34

Philippians 4:4-7, 10-13, 19