



HELPING HEARTS THAT WANT TO BELIEVE

Luke 5:1-11

Faith is the essential concept in our walk with the Lord. Without faith we cannot please God. Getting others to the point of faith is difficult. Some just will not believe. Others, want to believe, but something stands in front of them.

There Are Those Who Want to Believe:

- That God is good: the _____ and _____ of life prevents that
- That God cares: the _____ prevent that
- That God created: the _____ reasoning prevents that
- That God is eternal: the _____ of each generation prevents that

A. Jesus enters a realm familiar to Peter: F_____

1. Peter had fished all night and caught nothing. Now the Lord calls him to cast out into the deep for a catch.

2. Several things were against Jesus:

- He was not e_____
- It was the wrong _____ of day
- It was the wrong _____
- He made an claim without any _____

3. Peter says: NEVERTHELESS (5)

ESV: but at your word
CSB: But if you say so
CEB: Because you say so
NAS: I will do as you say

- Not to prove that you are wrong
- Not to show that you don't know what you are talking about
- Not to get to you be quiet

A statement of faith

B. Often we think we understand our needs and situation better than God does

1. Nevertheless is an expression of _____ and _____
2. (6-7) They had the catch of a lifetime

This Revealed Three Things:

1. The Lord knows _____ than we do
2. The Lord sees what we cannot _____
3. The Lord understands what _____

3. When we are tired, don't _____ like it: Nevertheless, Lord
4. When it's _____ and we think we can't go on: Nevertheless, Lord
5. When we feel _____: Nevertheless, Lord

1. Have you _____ about your situation?
2. Have you _____ what the Lord wants you to do?
3. Do you have the _____ to believe the Lord?

