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Matthew 8:23-28 NKJV

23Now when He got into a boat, His disciples followed Him.

24And suddenly a great tempest arose on the sea, so that the boat was covered with the waves. But He was asleep.

25Then His disciples came to *Him* and awoke Him, saying, “Lord, save us! We are perishing!”

26But He said to them, “Why are you fearful, O you of little faith?” Then He arose and rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was a great calm.

27So the men marveled, saying, “Who can this be, that even the winds and the sea obey Him?”

28When He had come to the other side, to the country of the Gergesenes, there met Him two demon-possessed *men,* coming out of the tombs, exceedingly fierce, so that no one could pass that way.

# John 8:17-18 NKJV

# 17It is also written in your law that the testimony of two men is true. 18I am One who bears witness of Myself, and the Father who sent Me bears witness of Me.”

# Acts 2:1-4 NKJV

# 2 When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

# 2And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting.

# 3Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and *one* sat upon each of them.

# 4And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

# Acts 3:2-8 NKJV

# 2And a certain man lame from his mother’s womb was carried, whom they laid daily at the gate of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms from those who entered the temple;

# 3who, seeing Peter and John about to go into the temple, asked for alms.

# 4And fixing his eyes on him, with John, Peter said, “Look at us.”

# 5So he gave them his attention, expecting to receive something from them.

# 6Then Peter said, “Silver and gold I do not have, but what I do have I give you: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk.”

# 7And he took him by the right hand and lifted *him* up, and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength.

# 8So he, leaping up, stood and walked and entered the temple with them—walking, leaping, and praising God.

# Acts 4:1-12 NKJV

# 4 Now as they spoke to the people, the priests, the captain of the temple, and the Sadducees came upon them,

# 2being greatly disturbed that they taught the people and preached in Jesus the resurrection from the dead.

# 3And they laid hands on them, and put *them* in custody until the next day, for it was already evening.

# 4However, many of those who heard the word believed; and the number of the men came to be about five thousand.

# 5And it came to pass, on the next day, that their rulers, elders, and scribes,

# 6as well as Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and as many as were of the family of the high priest, were gathered together at Jerusalem.

# 7And when they had set them in the midst, they asked, “By what power or by what name have you done this?”

# 8Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, “Rulers of the people and elders of Israel:

# 9If we this day are judged for a good deed *done* to a helpless man, by what means he has been made well,

# 10let it be known to you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by Him this man stands here before you whole.

# 11This is the ‘stone which was rejected by you builders, which has become the chief cornerstone.’

# 12Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”

# *The Corrupt Church*

# Revelation 2:18-29 NKJV

# 18“And to the angel of the church in Thyatira write,‘These things says the Son of God, who has eyes like a flame of fire, and His feet like fine brass:

# 19“I know your works, love, service, faith, and your patience; and *as* for your works, the last *are* more than the first.

# 20Nevertheless I have a few things against you, because you allow that woman Jezebel, who calls herself a prophetess, to teach and seduce My servants to commit sexual immorality and eat things sacrificed to idols.

# 21And I gave her time to repent of her sexual immorality, and she did not repent.

# 22Indeed I will cast her into a sickbed, and those who commit adultery with her into great tribulation, unless they repent of their deeds.

# 23I will kill her children with death, and all the churches shall know that I am He who searches[i] the minds and hearts. And I will give to each one of you according to your works.

# 24“Now to you I say, and to the rest in Thyatira, as many as do not have this doctrine, who have not known the depths of Satan, as they say, I will put on you no other burden.

# 25But hold fast what you have till I come.

# 26And he who overcomes, and keeps My works until the end, to him I will give power over the nations—27‘He shall rule them with a rod of iron; They shall be dashed to pieces like the potter’s vessels’—as I also have received from My Father;

# 28and I will give him the morning star.

# 29“He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.” ’