

## MIGHTY GOD

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MARK 4:35-41

Don't you care? (Mark 4:38)

Why are you so afraid? (Mark 4:40)

Do you still have no faith? (Mark 4:40)

Who is this? (Mark 4:41)

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

FOR FAMILY, FRIENDS & GROUPS

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1. What is the biggest storm you have ever witnessed?
2. Read Mark 4:35-41. Go through the story from the perspective of the disciples. At each point along the way, what would they have been feeling? Why?
3. Why do the storms of life make us ask, "Don't you care?" (Mark 4:38)? What is it about difficult circumstances that make it seem like God doesn't care?
4. Why is it important to ask the question, "Why are you afraid?" (Mark 4:40) when difficulty arises? What does our fear reveal about us?
5. How does fearing Jesus (Mark 4:41) change our other fears?
6. What does the Bible mean when it talks about "faith" (Mark 4:40)?
7. How do the storms of life show what our faith is really like?
8. How do the storms of life provide an opportunity for our faith to be strengthened?
9. In your life, where have you seen your faith grow through difficult circumstances?
10. How does knowing that Jesus is the Mighty God (Mark 4:41, Isaiah 9:6) change how you see your circumstances?
11. Explain the connection between Jesus and Jonah that this passage highlights. How does that help us trust him in the storms?

PRAYER PROMPT: Spend time praying for each other for situations that make you afraid or feel too big for you to handle. Invite Jesus, the Mighty God, to use his power to calm the storm and use the storm to grow your faith.