

## **JANUARY 19, 2016 — DAY 9: PICTURE IT!**

Jesus Calms the Storm

***That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, "Let us go over to the other side." Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?"***

***He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.***

***He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?"***

***They were terrified and asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!" Mark 4:35-41***

Put yourself in the story as each of the characters.

**Be a disciple:** Has Jesus ever led you into a storm? Does it ever seem like He is asleep?

**Be in one of the other boats:** Have you ever been caught up in someone else's storm?

With which character do you most relate?

How does this verse apply to your life? What will you do about it?

Spend some time in prayer.