

Luke 5:1-11
"Passing the Test"

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1. Introduction

- a. Context: Chap 4 Power over demons
- b. Jesus at Lake Gennesaret (Sea of Galilee)
- c. Jesus met Peter 1st at Jordan River
- John 1:40-42
- d. Jesus meets Peter again
- e. Giving test tonight - Jesus gave Peter another chance to follow Him

2. Will you give Me your boat?

- a. Ship was Peter's livelihood
- b. Every teacher struggles with it

3. Will you give me your time?

- a. They had been fishing all night
- b. Will Peter give his time with his boat

4. ~~Will~~ Will you give (Peter's) will to Jesus

- a. Can Peter change his plans?
- b. This is wrong time - fishing all night
- c. Jesus asked, "Let down your nets."
- d. Peter protested, "Worked all night & caught nothing"

5. Will you yield to Me your pride?

- a. Peter working as hard as he could to contain all those fish
- b. Net starts to break

- c. Boats started sinking
- d. Peter called for more helping hands

6. Will you give me your love?

- a. They left all & followed Jesus
- b. Peter admits that he is sinful man
- c. All were surprised at so many fish

7. Conclusion

- a. Jesus gives Peter a new job
- fishers of men
- b. Men left all on the beach to follow Jesus
- Simon Peter
- James & John, sons of Zebedee