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Jesus is Alive

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John 21:2-7 "2 Simon Peter, and Thomas called Didymus, and Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, and the sons of Zebedee, and two others of His disciples were together. 3 Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will also come with you." They went out and got into the boat; and that night they caught nothing. 4 But when the day was now breaking, Jesus stood on the beach; yet the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. 5 So Jesus said to them, "Children, you do not have any fish, do you?" They answered Him, "No." 6 And He said to them, "Cast the net on the right-hand side of the boat and you will find a catch." So they cast, and then they were not able to haul it in because of the great number of fish. 7 Therefore that disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord." So when Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put his outer garment on (for he was stripped for work), and threw himself into the sea."

What is this story about?

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Manifest

Remember the story. Get into the mind of the disciples

We have to chose what we are going to do with that light of Christ.

When the light shows up, your first reaction is to be humble and obey.

Paul's Testimony

Acts 26:12-14 "12 "While so engaged as I was journeying to Damascus with the authority and commission of the chief priests, 13 at midday, O King, I saw on the way a light from heaven, brighter than the sun, shining all around me and those who were journeying with me. 14 And when we had all fallen to the ground, I heard a voice saying to me in the Hebrew dialect, 'Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting Me? It is hard for you to kick against the goads.'"

Light -> Fall -> Voice -> Action

Acts 26:15 "15 And I said, 'Who are You, Lord?' And the Lord said, 'I am Jesus whom you are persecuting.'"

John 21:9 NASB95PARA

⁹ So when they got out on the land, they saw a charcoal fire *already* laid and fish placed on it, and bread.

John 21:17 NASB95PARA

¹⁷ He said to him the third time, "Simon, *son* of John, do you love Me?" Peter was grieved because He said to him the third time, "Do you love Me?" And he said to Him, "Lord, You know all things; You know that I love You." Jesus said to him, "Tend My sheep.