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BIBLE STUDY
DISCUSSION**

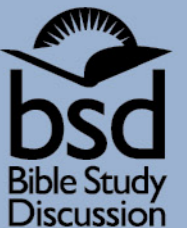
2017-2018

**A STUDY OF THE
GOSPEL OF JOHN**

**Lesson 8:
Feeding of the 5000
John 6:1-15**



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Thanksgiving Medley

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x3dXCL34aEA>



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Happy Thanksgiving



We are thankful for you!

Memory Verse

**I tell you the truth,
whoever hears my word and
believes him who sent me
has eternal life and will not be condemned:
he has crossed over from death to life.**

John 5:24

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SHAUN EVANS ROGER ALLAM

ENDEAVOUR

THE COLLECTION



**Written by
Colin Dexter and
Russell Lewis**



**The Feeding of the 5000
is found in all 4 Gospels.**

Today's Preview

Setting

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to come to the party!*

*Today
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**Teaching
Moment**

There is a Surprise Speaker.

**Take-
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Food will be served.

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Responses

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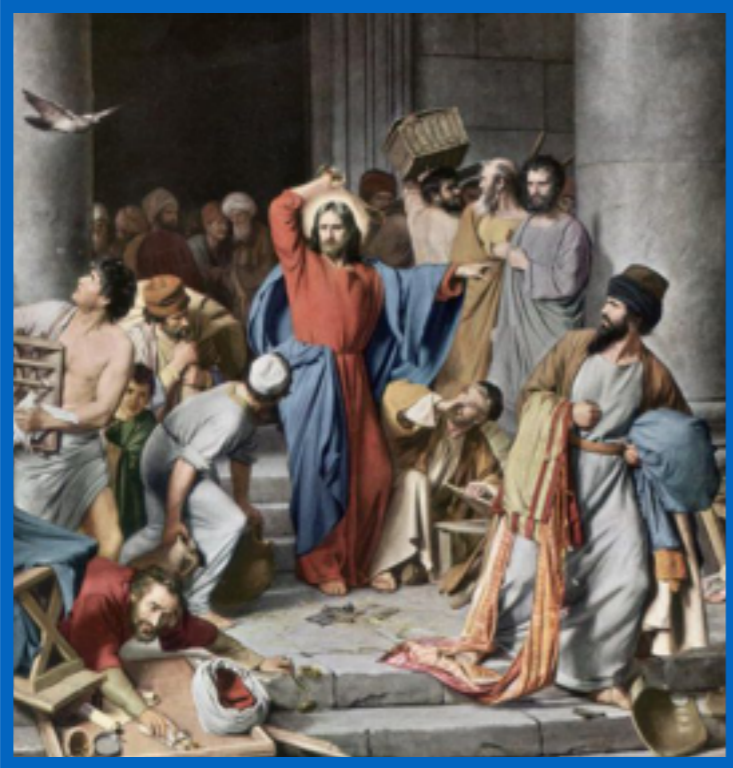
Size: ~ 13 miles by 7 miles

**Destination: “the other
side” or “far shore”**

**John uses “Sea of Galilee”
for the Jews and “Sea of
Tiberias” for the Gentiles.**

Setting includes the Time

#1



John 2:12-25

#2

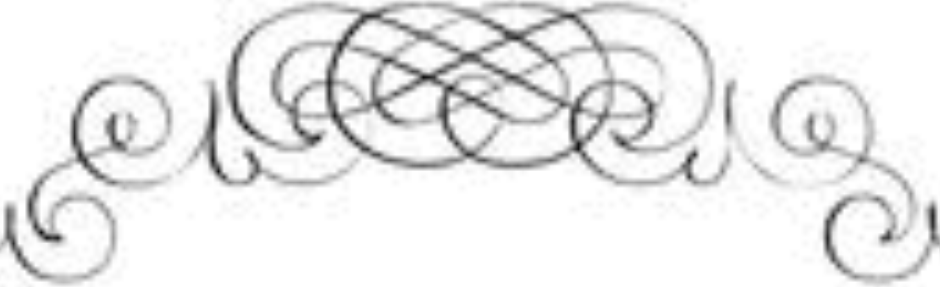


John 6:1-15

#3



John 12:12 +



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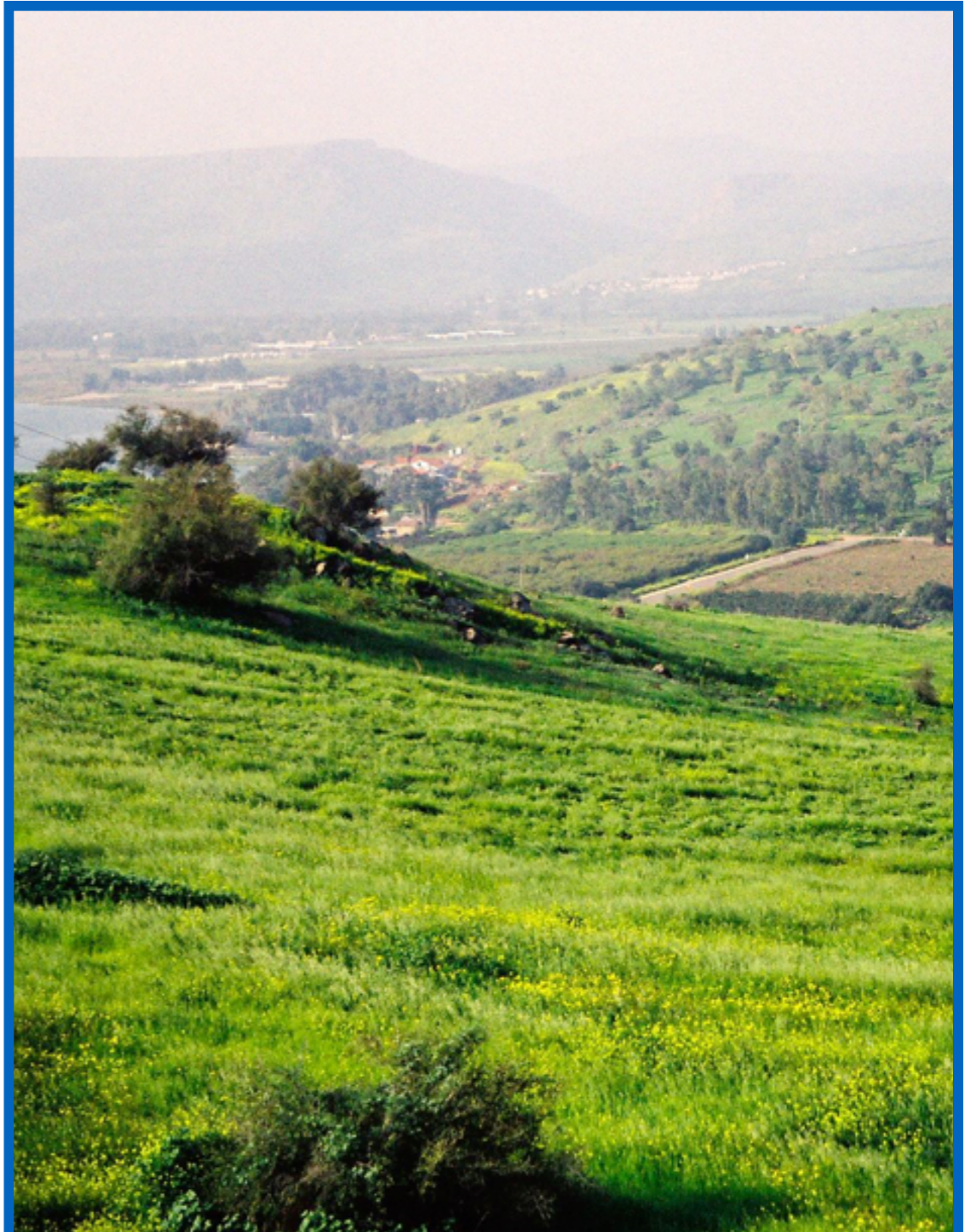


The Situation Becomes a Teaching Moment

Jesus was gathered with his disciples when the crowds appeared.

Jesus knew the answers to his question to Philip and Andrew.

- **Did the disciples remember the wedding in Cana?**
- **Did they trust Jesus?**
- **Did they have even a little faith?**

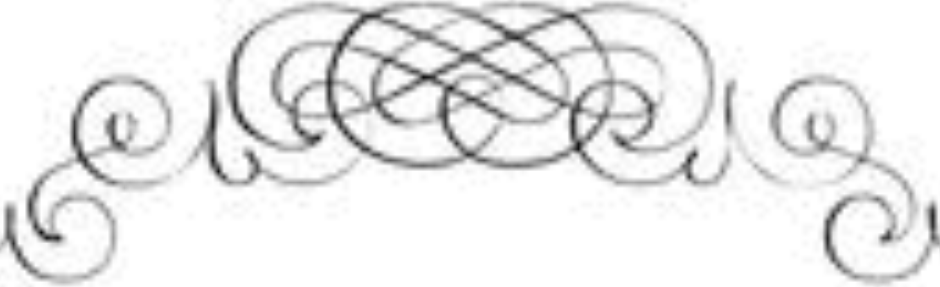


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**Jesus Point:
He was seeking
his disciples'
faith even if it
was minimal at
that time.**

**Application for Us: Our job is to bring what we have
and Jesus can use it in new and creative ways.**



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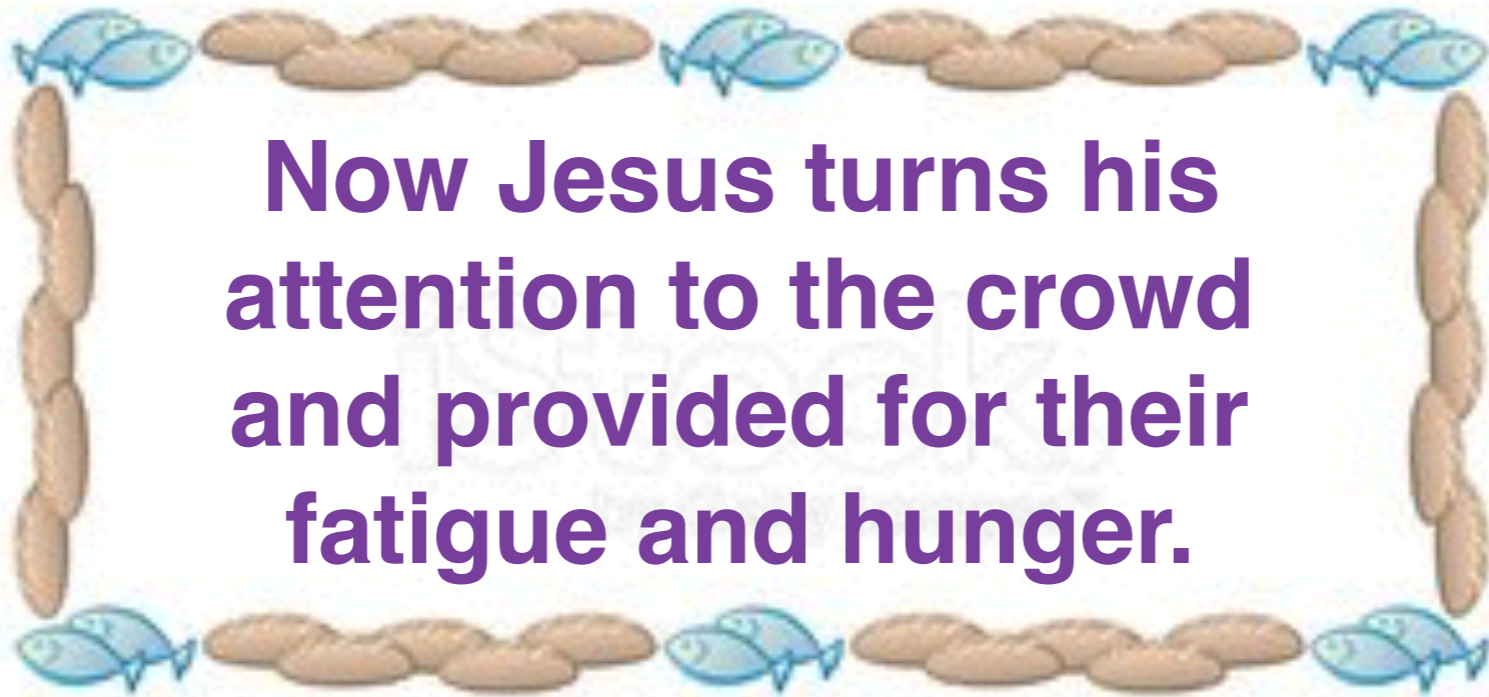
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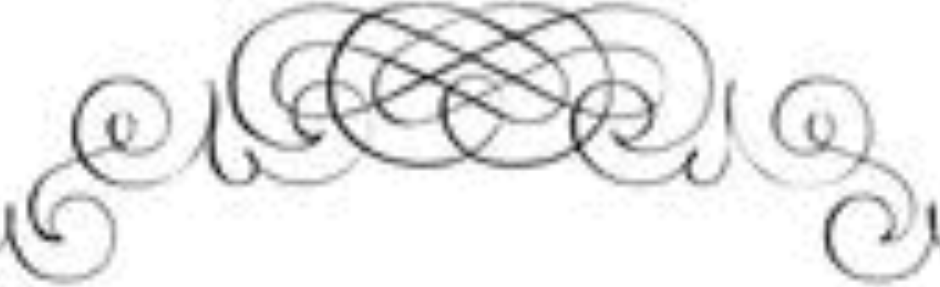
Now Jesus turns his attention to the crowd and provided for their fatigue and hunger.



Jesus provides the clean-up for the leftovers. He tells the disciples to gather the remainder of food and it filled 12 baskets.

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Crowd's Response

1. They were impressed with Jesus. ✓
2. They recognized him, took a step of faith, and called him the Prophet. ✓
3. They prepared to make him king!
(BTW Jesus was already king!!!!) ✓



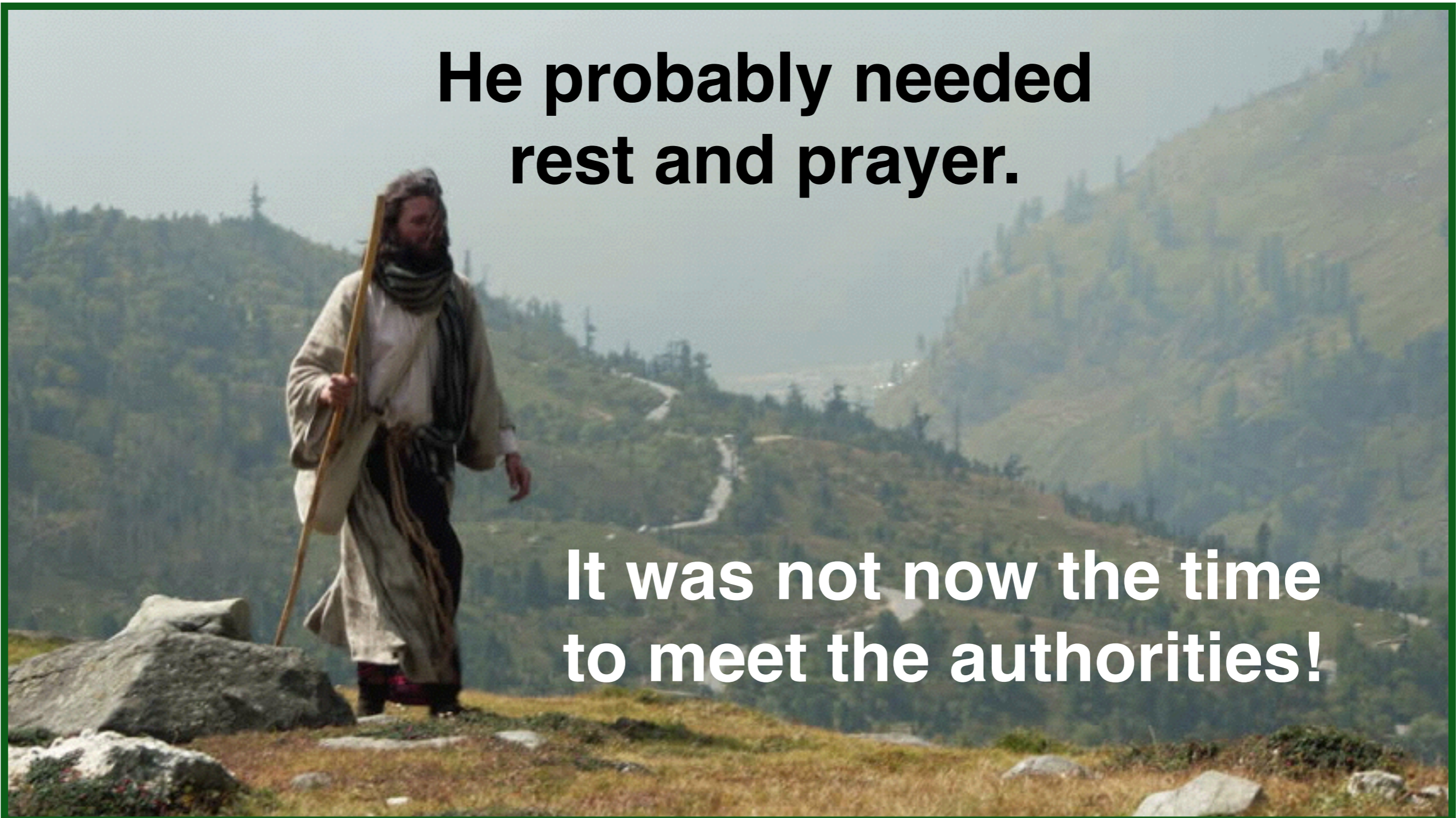
✗ BUT the crowd's hearts ❤️ weren't in the right place.
They wanted to use Jesus and not be used by Jesus.
They wanted Jesus to be a king of their making and
not a king of God's making.

Jesus' Response

Jesus withdrew to the mountains.

**He probably needed
rest and prayer.**

**It was not now the time
to meet the authorities!**



Our Response

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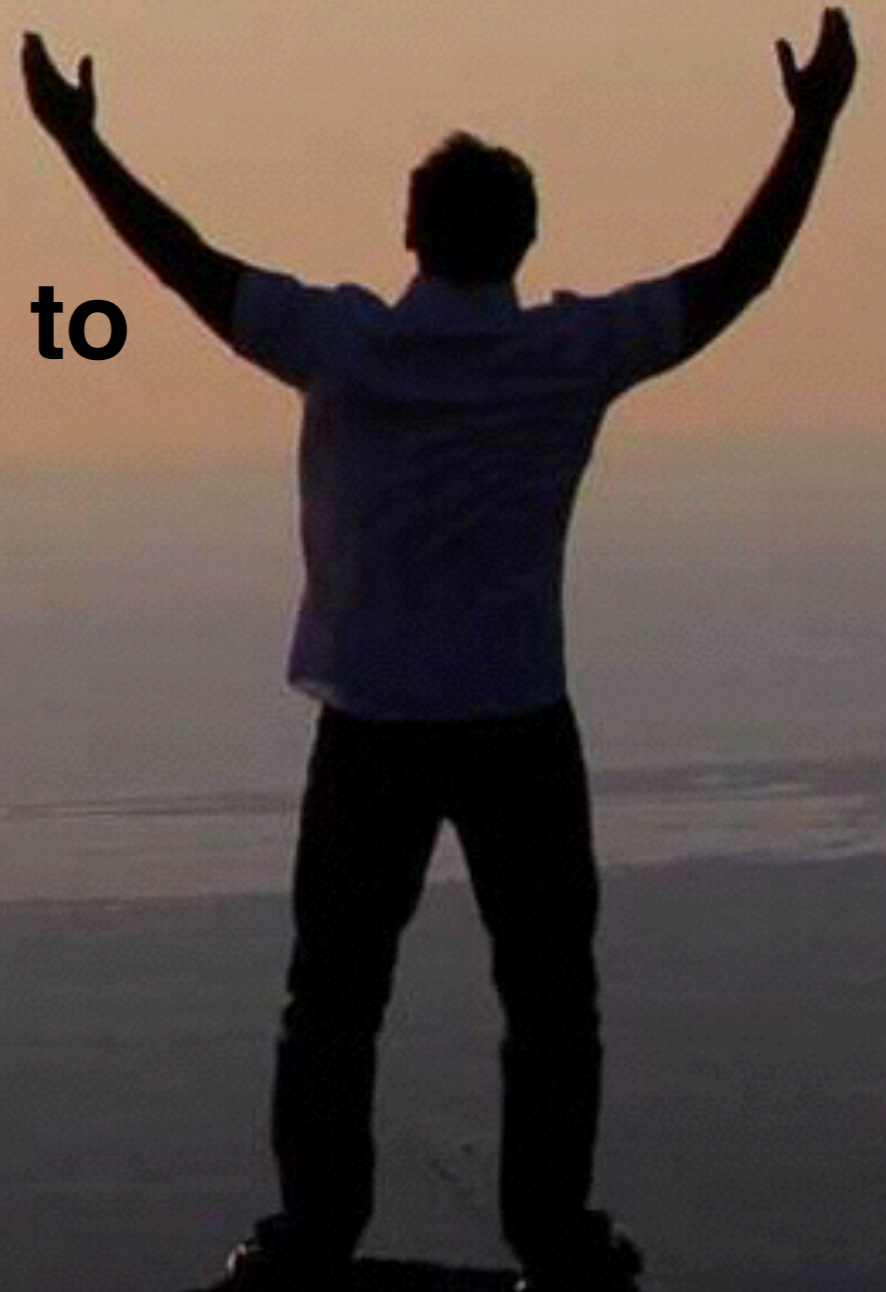
What is our response to Jesus?

**In John 6, Jesus gives of himself in
his Service
his Person
his Word
his Meal.**

**Our responsibility & privilege is to
Receive his Service
Trust his Person
Believe his Word
Enjoy his Meal.**

by Dale Bruner

Our response is to worship Jesus!



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Applying the Lesson to Your Life

Jesus took the boy's food offering, blessed it, and gave it to the crowd.

How are you going to take, bless, and give food this month?

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Closing Prayer



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