## The True Nature of The Christ (Luke 8:22-25)

- I. Jesus Demonstrates His Humanity (22-23)
  - A. Jesus crosses the lake with His disciples (22)
  - B. Jesus Fell Asleep (23)
    - 1. After preaching and ministering all day, he was tired
    - 2. He was truly human, experiencing what we all do
- II. Jesus Demonstrates His Power and Deity (23-25)
  - A. The Storm's Fury (23)
    - 1. Filling with water
    - 2. They were in Danger
  - B. The Disciple's Fear
    - 1. "We are perishing"
      - a. They were afraid of dying
      - b. They did not understand why Jesus slept
  - C. The Christ's Rebuke (24b-25a)
    - 1. Jesus Rebukes the Storm (24b)
      - a. He spoke to the wind
      - b. He spoke to the raging waves
      - c. The creation obeyed its master
      - d. "Their was calm"
    - 2. Jesus Rebukes the Disciples (25a)
      - a. He challenges their lack of faith
      - b. They should have trusted Him
      - c. They should have known His Authority
  - D. The Disciple's Fear Re-kindled (25b)
    - 1. They were afraid
    - 2. They marveled
      - a. Jesus commands wind and water
      - b. Wind and water obey Him
    - 3. The Disciples are confronted with Jesus' true Identity
    - 4. They feared Him more than the Storm