



"Why Is God So Mean (To Make Us Do Hard Things)?"

Mark 6:45-52

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I. Have you ever noticed in the Bible how God loves to do things the hard way with his people?

II. The story of Jesus walking on the water while his men struggle for their lives is such a story. Verse 48 should get our attention because...

➤ Jesus _____ into the storm.

➤ Jesus _____ for a long time.

➤ Jesus meant to _____.

3 Reasons In The Story Why God Puts Us Through Hard Things

Reason #1: Because life is _____.

Reason #2: Because _____ are hard (hard- _____).

Reason #3: Because doing hard things brings into reality _____ that wouldn't exist otherwise.

What is God speaking to my heart today?