Everlasting GOSPEL

The Gospel in Chronological Order. I use KJV Bible and also Greek word definitions. Using the writings of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John, we look at the progress of JESUS Ministry through the eyes of these Gospel writers, telling what they saw and heard. I use extra Capitals to bring focus to Words. Don't let that bother You, just enjoy the Journey.



Of JESUS CHRIST, Conceived By The HOLY SPIRIT

JESUS WALKS ON THE STORMY SEA TO HIS DISCIPLES

Matthew 14:22-33 "And straightway JESUS constrained His disciples to get into a ship, and to go before Him unto the other side, while He Sent the multitudes away. (Straightway: eutheos, yoo-theh'-oce = directly. It was getting dark by now. JESUS: Ee-ay-sooce' had just finished feeding the 5,000 Men and their families. Constrained: anankazo, anang-kad'-zo = to necessitate. His (own) disciples: math-ay-tes' = Taught or Trained ones. To get into a Ship: to walk into a Sailing Vessel. And go before: proago, pro-ag'-o = to pierce ahead of Him unto the other side of the Sea of Galilee, while He sent the multitude: ochlos, okh'-los = Throng. Away: dismiss them to their homes towns.

14:23 "And when He had sent them away, He went up into a Mountain apart to Pray: and when the evening was come, He was there alone. (JESUS) often got apart for Prayer, even Climbing Mountains, to be Alone with FATHER GOD, His Source Of Power. Sometimes Praying Late into the night).

14:24 "But the Ship was now in the Midst of the Sea, Tossed with waves: for the Wind was <u>Contrary</u>: enantios, en-an-tee'-os = over against, opposite. <u>Tossed</u>: basanizo, bas-an-id'-zo = to try, test, toss. (James 1:6 speaks of one being driven by the winds and <u>tossed</u>: Agitated) With <u>waves</u>: kyma, koo'-mah = billows, large undulating masses of water).

14:25 "And in the Forth watch of the Night JESUS Went unto them Walking on the Sea. (Between 3 and 6 AM <u>JESUS</u> Comes to them Walking Upon the Stormy Sea).

14:26 "And when the disciples saw Him walking on the sea, they were troubled, saying, it is a spirit; and they cried out for <u>fear</u>: phobos = fright. <u>Walking</u>: peripateo, per-ee-pat-eh'-o = to tread all around, to walk around. On the Sea, they were <u>troubled</u>: tarasso, tar-as'-so = to stir or agitate. These Grown Fishermen were Frightened of what they thought was a spirit: phantasma, fan'-tas-mah = spectre, apparition).

14:27 "But straightway JESUS Spake unto them, Say-

ing, Be of good cheer; it is I; Be not afraid.

(Straightway = eutheos, yoo-theh'-oce = immediately, directly. Be of good Cheer: tharseo, thar-seh'-o = to have Courage. JESUS Knows we humans need to be encouraged in times of doubt and Fear).

14:28 "And Peter answered Him and said, Lord, it it be Thou, bid me come unto Thee on the water. (<u>Bid</u>: keleuo, kel-yoo'-o = To Command. <u>On</u>: epi = Upon. The water: hydor).

14:29 "And HE Said, Come. And when Peter was come down out of the Ship, he Walked on the water, to go to JESUS. (By Following JESUS Command, Peter Was Able To Walk On Water To JESUS. Peter understood the Power of JESUS Commands. He had seen JESUS Cast Out demons by the Power of His Command.

Lord: kyrios, koo'-ree-os = Supreme In Authority. Peter came down: katabaino = descend out of the Ship: ploion = Sailing Vessel, and walked: peripateo = to walk around. on the water to JESUS, at JESUS Command. Had Peter stepped down from the Ship without JESUS Command, it would have been Assumption, and not Faith—which made it Possible to Walk on Stormy Water Toward JESUS).

14:30 "But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me. (As long as Peter was Looking At JESUS, he was doing fine. But when he Saw: blepo = To Look At. the wind boisterous: ischyros, is-khoo-ros' = Strong, Forcible. The World often comes against us strong, forceful, getting our eyes off JESUS our Savior. Peter was Afraid: phobeo = be afraid. As soon as Faith is out of Sight, doubt and Fear sets in. Faith is the opposite of doubt which causes Fear. And beginning: archomai = commence. To sink: katapontizo, kat-ap-on-tid'-zo = go down into the sea, (to plunge down, submerge, drown in the stormy water). he cried: krazo = cry out. Saying, Lord: kyrios = Supreme In Authority. Save Me: Sozo = Deliver, Protect, Preserve Me).

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14:31 "And Immediately JESUS Stretched Forth His Hand, And Caught him, and said unto him, O thou of little faith, wherefore didst thou doubt? (little faith: oligopistos = Lacking Confidence In JESUS Christ. doubt: distazo = to waver... Do we do this in our Christian Life sometimes?)

14:32 "And when they were come into the Ship, the wind ceased. (Here, <u>JESUS</u> could have stopped the wind, while they were still out on the water, but HE didn't).

14:33 "Then they that were in the Ship came and Worshipped Him, saying, Of a Truth, Thou Art The SON Of GOD: The Supreme Divinity. (Worshipped: proskyneo, pros-koo-neh'-o = To kiss the hand towards. (Kiss The SON Psalm 2:12. Instead of kissing the golden caves Hosea 13:2-4). There is no SAVIOR/Deliverer besides... JESUS CHRIST!

Now we will hear from disciple Mark, what he remembered of that stormy night at sea: the mistake people make in reading the writings of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John, they think all 4 writers should remember, and say, the same things.

Mark 6:45-52 "And straightway He constrained His disciples to get into the ship, and to go to the other side before unto Bethsaida, while He sent away the people. (Mark tells us JESUS set their destination as Bethsaida: so they would be sailing across, from the East Side to the N.W Corner of the Sea of Galilee into the land of Gennesaret... vrs. 53).

6:46 "And when He had sent them away, He departed into a mountain to pray. (It probably took JESUS some extra time sending the people home, because so many needed healing as well. JESUS loved <u>His</u> time in prayer, with FATHER GOD. And would always return even more powerfully).

6:47 "And when even was come, the ship was in the midst of the sea, and He alone on the land. (Alone with <u>GOD</u> is never really alone, and <u>JESUS</u> knew it. But <u>JESUS</u> succeeded in sending everyone home).

6:48 "And He saw them toiling in rowing; for the wind was contrary unto them: and about the fourth watch of the night He cometh unto them, walking upon the sea, and would have passed by them. (Toiling: basanizo, bas-an-id'-zo = tried, tested, tossed. Rowing: elauno, el-ow'-no = to drive or push forward, rowing. Even sailing ships had steering Oars to stay on course. And the wind will blow a

Ship off course, if not Corrected by Oars. For the wind was contrary: enantios = over against, opposite. But these winds were so strong, the disciples ship was also probably being pushed off course. And it may have taken JESUS time walking on the stormy water out to where they were, probably closer to the N.W. side. So JESUS Came walking: peripateo = to tread all around upon the sea. in the 4th watch of the night, 3 to 6 am. And would have Passed by: parerchomai, par-er'-khomahee = to come, to go along. I think JESUS expected them to make it across without boarding the ship. Perhaps He was training them to be 'Strong against the Opposition' of the winds of the world).

6:49 "But when they saw Him walking upon the sea, they supposed it had been a spirit, <u>and cried out</u>: anakrazo = Screamed out. (Fear weakened them, from their focused goal of crossing over).

6:50 "For they saw Him, and were troubled. And immediately He talked with them, and saith unto them, Be of good cheer: it is I; be not afraid. (JESUS Always Spoke directly to the problem. Fright tends to weaken a man's Strength).

6:51 "And He went up unto them into the ship; and the wind ceased: and they were sore amazed in themselves beyond measure, and wondered. (Troubled: tarasso, tar-as'-so = to stir or agitate. Before this Fear, ves the Winds and the Waves were Agitated, but now they themselves were. So JESUS Went Up Into the ship, and the wind ceased: kopazo = to tire out, relax. This battle against JESUS and His disciples, had worn the wind of opposition, out. The devil could never prevent JESUS and His disciples from going where He wanted to go. And they were sore: Exceedingly Amazed: existemi, ex-is'-tay-mee = out of wits, astounded, astonished, be beside themselves, wondered: thaumazo = Admire, Marvel At. JESUS Supernatural Powers Kept Everyone Amazed, because they expected Him to behave in Human Fashion, Not DIVINE Fashion).

6:52 "And they considered not the Miracle of the loaves: for their heart was <u>hardened</u>: poroo = to Petrify, blind, Callous. (It is 'fallen human' to simply harden the heart towards the Divine Actions Of GOD, and to Conveniently Forget).

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