

# MSG: SOMETHING'S IN THE WATER

SCRIPTURE: JOHN 21:1-13 CSB

SZN 1: RELATE LIKE JESUS

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“After this, Jesus revealed himself again to his disciples by the Sea of Tiberias. He revealed himself in this way: Simon Peter, Thomas (called “Twin”), Nathanael from Cana of Galilee, Zebedee’s sons, and two others of his disciples were together. “I’m going fishing,” Simon Peter said to them. “We’re coming with you,” they told him. They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. When daybreak came, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not know it was Jesus. “Friends,” Jesus called to them, “you don’t have any fish, do you?” “No,” they answered. “Cast the net on the right side of the boat,” he told them, “and you’ll find some.” So they did, and they were unable to haul it in because of the large number of fish. The disciple, the one Jesus loved, said to Peter, “It is the Lord!” When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he tied his outer clothing around him (for he had taken it off) and plunged into the sea. Since they were not far from land (about a hundred yards away), the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish. When they got out on land, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish lying on it, and bread. “Bring some of the fish you’ve just caught,” Jesus told them. So Simon Peter climbed up and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish — 153 of them. Even though there were so many, the net was not torn. “Come and have breakfast,” Jesus told them. None of the disciples dared ask him, “Who are you?” because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came, took the bread, and gave it to them. He did the same with the fish.”

## 1. IN THE WATER IS FRIENDSHIP WITH GOD

John 21:4-5 CSB

“When daybreak came, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not know it was Jesus. “Friends,” Jesus called to them, “you don’t have any fish, do you?” “No,” they answered.”

\*His relationship with us caused Him to give His life for us.

Water - John 7:38,39

## 2. IN THE WATER OBEDIENCE CREATES PROVISION

They found fish but would become fishers of men.

The fish they found supplied their needs.

The overflow filled other "boats".

## 3. IN THE WATER HIS LOVE MULTIPLIES

\*\*On the cross.

\*\*153 Fish.

\*\*Feeding five thousand.