

A serene sunset over a vast blue ocean. The sky is a deep blue with wispy white clouds. A bright rainbow is visible on the left side of the image, extending from the horizon towards the top. The water is a deep blue with gentle ripples.

Jesus: The One Who Walks on Water

John 6:16-21

Remember who Jesus is

- He is someone who is in touch with the difficulties we face (John 6:16-18)

Matthew 14:22

- Immediately Jesus made His disciples get into the boat and go before Him to the other side, while He sent the multitudes away.

Mark 6:47-48a

- Now when evening came, the boat was in the middle of the sea; and He *was* alone on the land. Then **He saw them** straining at rowing, for the wind was against them.

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- He is the God of the OT (John 6:19-20)

Genesis 1:1-2

- In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. The earth was without form, and void; and darkness *was* on the face of the deep. And **the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.**

Job 9:4-6

- God *is* wise in heart and mighty in strength. Who has hardened *himself* against Him and prospered? He removes the mountains, and they do not know When He overturns them in His anger; He shakes the earth out of its place, And its pillars tremble;

Job 9:7-10

- He commands the sun, and it does not rise; He seals off the stars; He alone spreads out the heavens, And **treads on the waves of the sea**; He made the Bear, Orion, and the Pleiades, And the chambers of the south; **He does great things past finding out, Yes, wonders without number.**

Exodus 3:14-15

- And God said to Moses, "**I AM** WHO I AM." And He said, "Thus you shall say to the children of Israel, '**I AM** has sent me to you.' " 15 Moreover God said to Moses, "Thus you shall say to the children of Israel: 'The LORD God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you. This *is* My name forever, and this *is* My memorial to all generations.'

God's name: I Am

- God says His name as “**I am**” (ehyeh)
- The Israelites say God's name as “**He is**” (Yahweh; also transliterated Jehovah)
- “I am” is translated into Greek as **ego** (I) **eimi** (am; also translated into English as *it is I*)
- Jesus used it in this case to describe Himself

Jesus applying "I am" to Himself

- **John 8:24** "Therefore I said to you that you will die in your sins; for if you do not believe that **I am** *He*, you will die in your sins."
- **John 8:58** Jesus said to them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, before Abraham was, **I AM**."

Jesus, described as Yahweh

- **John 12:41** These things **Isaiah said** when he **saw His glory** and **spoke of Him**.
- **Isaiah 6:1** In the year that King Uzziah died, **I saw the Lord** sitting on a throne, high and lifted up, and the train of His *robe* filled the temple.

Psalm 107:25, 28-29

- For He commands and raises the stormy wind, Which lifts up the waves of the sea.
- Then they cry out to the LORD in their trouble, And He brings them out of their distresses. **He calms the storm**, So that its waves are still.

Psalm 107:30-31

- Then they are glad because they are quiet; So He **guides them to their desired haven**. Oh, that *men* would give thanks to the LORD *for* His goodness, And *for* His wonderful works to the children of men!

Psalm 89:8-9

- O LORD God of hosts, Who *is mighty* like You, O LORD? Your faithfulness also surrounds You. You rule the raging of the sea; When its waves rise, *You still them.*

Matthew 14:32-33

- And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. Then those who were in the boat came and worshiped Him, saying, "Truly You are the Son of God."

Remember who Jesus is

- He is someone who is in touch with the difficulties we face (John 6:16-18)
- He is the God of the OT (John 6:19-20)
- He is the one who provides timely aid to allow us to accomplish His will (John 6:21).

Ephesians 2:10

- For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, **which God prepared** beforehand that **we should walk in them.**

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