

**DAY 8 - 6/14**

Bring them here to me. (Matthew 14:18)

~~ *Bring them to the Lord* ~~

Do you find yourself at this very moment surrounded with needs, and nearly overwhelmed with difficulties, trials, and emergencies? Each of these is God's way of providing vessels for the Holy Spirit to fill. If you correctly understand their meaning, you will see them as opportunities for receiving new blessings and deliverance you can receive in no other way.

The Lord is saying to you, "Bring them here to me." Firmly hold the vessels before Him, in faith and in prayer. Remain still before Him, and stop your own restless working until He begins to work. Wait, and allow God time to work and He surely will. Then the very trials that threatened to overcome you with discouragement and disaster will become God's opportunity to reveal His grace and glory in your life, in ways you have never known before.

"My God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus." *Philippians 4:19*

It is your heavenly privilege to trust "all your needs," to "His glorious riches," and to forget "your needs" in the presence of "His ... riches." In His great love, He has thrown open to you His exhaustive treasury. (LC - May 27)

~~~ *Pray* ~~~

Abba Father,

Please forgive my lack of faith. Even though I read, heard, and knew Your promises, I did not trust that You would bring my requests in Your great love. Also, though I prayed, then I forgot what I had asked and did not expect. Thank you, Lord, for reminding me that You are almighty God who numbers the very hairs of my head and provides what I need. In Jesus' name, Amen. (DC)