

TITLE: "NAVIGATING THE STORMS OF LIFE"

TEXT: Matthew 8:23-27

INTRODUCTION

The story of the *Andrea Gail*
Background to Matthew 8:23-27

FOUR THINGS ONE MUST KNOW TO NAVIGATE THE STORMS OF LIFE

I. WE MUST KNOW THAT STORMS ARE A _____.

1. We all encounter _____.
2. We encounter _____ even when we _____.

Application

II. WE MUST KNOW THAT _____ WHEN WE ARE IN A STORM.

1. Where was Jesus when the storm hit?
2. The Disciples encountered 3 Problems here. _____; _____
_____.

Application

III. WE MUST KNOW THAT THERE IS NO STORM _____.

1. This was a huge storm – Jesus asks a question (26)
2. Their fear was due to a _____.
"Fear is looking at _____ through your _____.
Faith is looking at your _____ through _____."

Application

IV. WE MUST KNOW THAT STORMS WE ENCOUNTER HAVE A _____.

1. God allows storms to _____.
2. God allows storms to make us _____.
3. God allows storms to teach us more about _____.
4. God allows storms to _____ and to _____.