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#### Life's storms are unpredictable.

Soon a gale swept down upon them, and the sea grew very rough.

John 6:18 NLT

### Life's storms occur even during times of obedience.

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<sup>22</sup> Immediately after this, Jesus insisted that his disciples get back into the boat and cross to the other side of the lake, while he sent the people home. <sup>23</sup> After sending them home, he went up into the hills by himself to pray. Night fell while he was there alone.

Matthew 14:22-23 NLT

## Our strength and knowledge seem powerless during crisis.

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John 6:19 NLT

# God waits for just the right time to reveal His glory.

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