

# The Great Catch

Luke 5:1-11



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- This is the fish story of all fish stories.
- Possibly told by Peter himself. Consider what Luke says in Luke 1:1-2.
- Let's look at the lessons we can take from this story and then consider the "Great catch."

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- Scratch the surface with Jesus and He will launch out into the deep with you.
  - He asked Peter to “put out a little.”
  - Isn’t that what we have to offer as well?
  - God can take our little and make it abound.
  - John 6:1-13

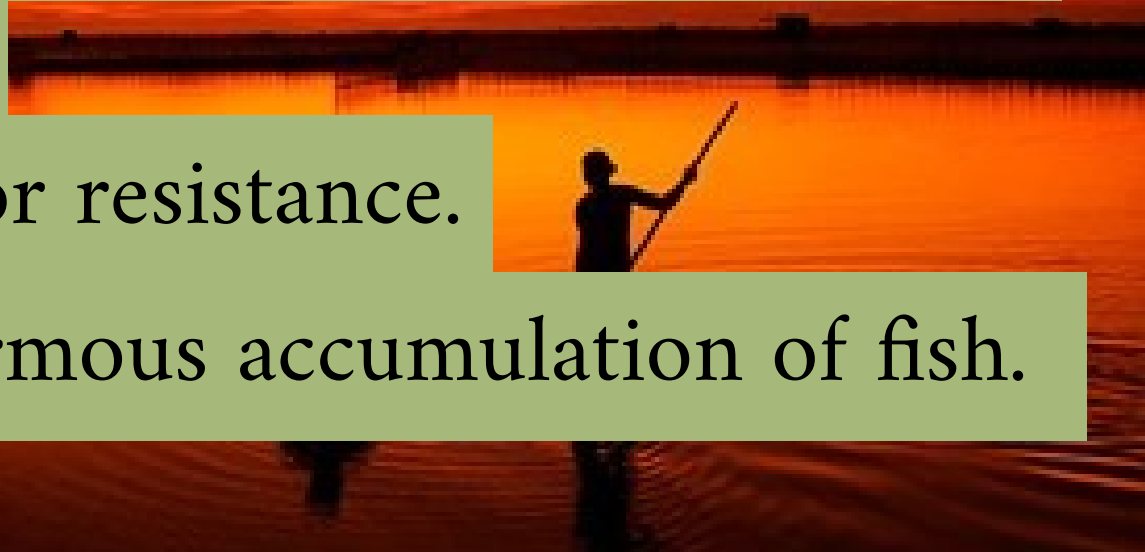
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- Without Jesus, we come up empty. With Jesus life is full.
- He reminds us of this in John 15:5 when he said, “for apart from me you can do nothing.”
- John 10:10- “I am come that they might have life and have it more abundantly.”

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- It seems that along with the request from Jesus, there is a promise.
- We see Peter's minor resistance.
- We observe an enormous accumulation of fish.



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  - What I want us to understand is that the Great Catch that day was not the crowd or the fish.
  - The Great Catch was PETER!!
  - It was no coincidence that Jesus stepped in Peter's boat.
  - I can almost hear Peter say to Luke, "Yeah, this is how he hooked me."