

# MADE POSSIBLE

## REALLY? – PART 3

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### START TALKING. WITH AN ICEBREAKER QUESTION:

- You can find some on page 6 [here](#).
- What was a typical Easter morning in your house at age 10?

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### START THINKING. ASK QUESTIONS THAT WILL GET YOUR GROUP THINKING.

- What are some colossal failures that seem insurmountable to people to overcome?
- Read the scriptures on the next pages in preparation for the following conversation.

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### START SHARING. CHOOSE THE QUESTIONS THAT WILL CREATE OPENNESS.

- What was impossible when you were a kid, but is possible now?
- Peter's world opened up when Jesus called him by the Sea of Galilee. How has your world enlarged since you've started following Jesus?
- Why do we feel like failure is final, and futility is fatal?
- Jesus and Peter conversed after his 3x denial. What do you think went through Peter's mind before the conversation started?
- Jesus is wanting to have a conversation with each of us. About areas we probably feel really frail. If willing, what area do you think He is waiting to talk to you about? Full disclosure not necessary.
- Jesus reinstated Peter telling him, "Feed my sheep." Peter surely didn't feel worthy. What might Jesus be trying to prop you back up and saying, "Get back to work."
- What is there that was dead in your life has been resurrected by Jesus' power?
- Why hasn't any other religious founder claimed to be physically raised from the dead?

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### START PRAYING. BE BOLD, AND PRAY WITH POWER.

- Jesus. Show me again that all power in heaven and earth has been given to You. Help me to receive the power you want to give me to repair my past, restore my present, and renew my future. Amen.

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### START DOING. COMMIT TO A STEP AND LIVE IT OUT THIS WEEK.

- Follow Jesus this week, no matter where He leads.

### **Mark 1:16-18 (NIV)**

<sup>16</sup> As Jesus walked beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen.

<sup>17</sup> "Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will make you fishers of men."

<sup>18</sup> At once they left their nets and followed him.

### **John 21:1-17 (NIV)**

<sup>1</sup> Afterward Jesus appeared again to his disciples, by the Sea of Tiberias. It happened this way:

<sup>2</sup> Simon Peter, Thomas (called Didymus), Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two other disciples were together.

<sup>3</sup> "I'm going out to fish," Simon Peter told them, and they said, "We'll go with you." So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

<sup>4</sup> Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus.

<sup>5</sup> He called out to them, "Friends, haven't you any fish?" "No," they answered.

<sup>6</sup> He said, "Throw your net on the right side of the boat and you will find some." When they did, they were unable to haul the net in because of the large number of fish.

<sup>7</sup> Then the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" As soon as Simon Peter heard him say, "It is the Lord," he wrapped his outer garment around him (for he had taken it off) and jumped into the water.

<sup>8</sup> The other disciples followed in the boat, towing the net full of fish, for they were not far from shore, about a hundred yards.

<sup>9</sup> When they landed, they saw a fire of burning coals there with fish on it, and some bread.

<sup>10</sup> Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you have just caught."

<sup>11</sup> Simon Peter climbed aboard and dragged the net ashore. It was full of large fish, 153, but even with so many the net was not torn.

<sup>12</sup> Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." None of the disciples dared ask him, "Who are you?" They knew it was the Lord.

<sup>13</sup> Jesus came, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.

<sup>14</sup> This was now the third time Jesus appeared to his disciples after he was raised from the dead.

<sup>15</sup> When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you truly love me more than these?" "Yes, Lord," he said, "you know that I love you." Jesus said, "Feed my lambs."

<sup>16</sup> Again Jesus said, "Simon son of John, do you truly love me?" He answered, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said, "Take care of my sheep."

<sup>17</sup> The third time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, "Do you love me?" He said, "Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you." Jesus said, "Feed my sheep."