

## Back to Normal?

| ٦. | Should we be <u>surprised</u> that this pandemic |
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|    | happened?  |

2. What is God doing during this pandemic?

3. Will everything go back to normal?

## MY APPLICATION

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or small group.

- 1. While sheltering-in-place, what have you missed most about your pre-pandemic life? What have you not missed at all?
- 2. Why are we surprised when things go wrong in this life? (See Genesis 3:17-19, Luke 21:10-11, John 16:33, Romans 8:18-28, James 1:2-4)
- 3. As you read the story of Peter and Jesus and the amazing catch, what stands out to you the most? (Luke 5:1-11) Why did Peter ask Jesus to leave? Has there been a time when God called you to step out of a comfortable "normal", and you were tempted to send Him away? Explain.
- 4. As you reflect over the last month, what are some things that were "normal" that you now see are not best? What would you need from God to help you start a new normal with Him in control of your life?

## **MEMORY VERSE**

"I have told you these things, so that in Me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."