

“WHAT STORM GOERS NEED TO KNOW”



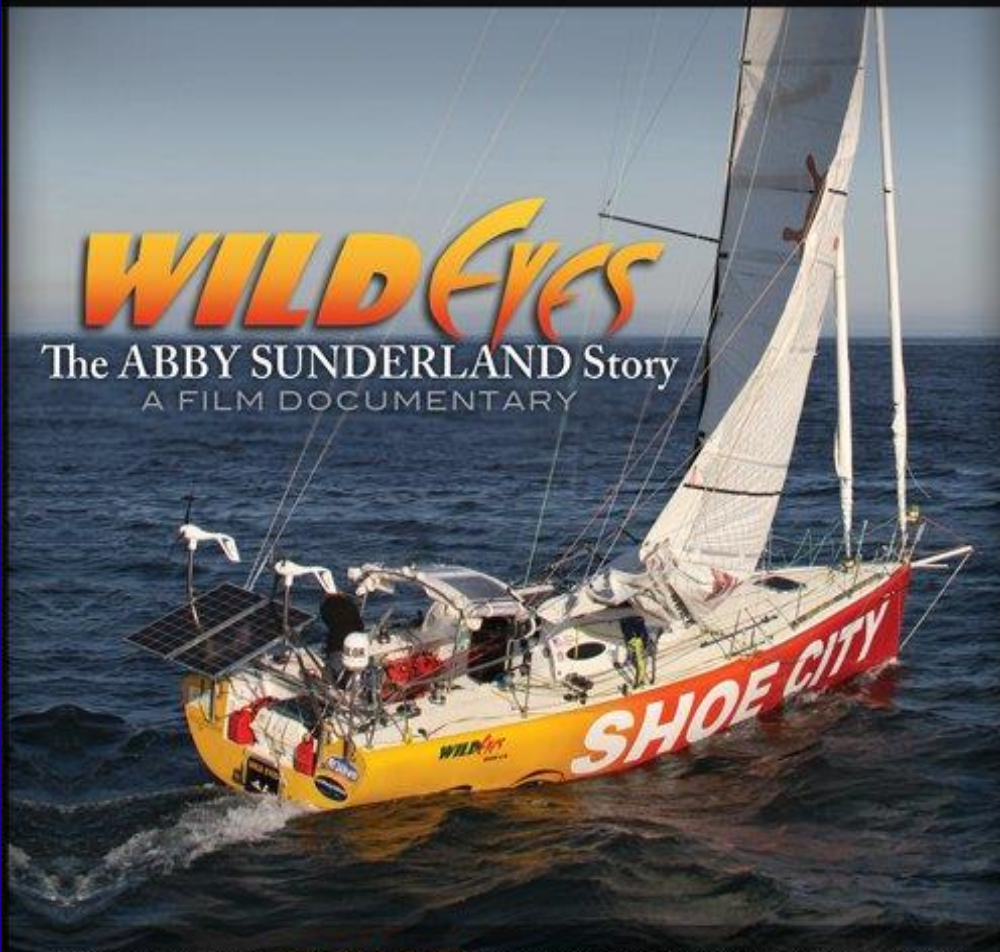
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John 6:15-21

Have you ever been on the ocean in a raging storm? If so, you know that a well-trained crew follows an immediate protocol until the storm is over. Their knowledge and experience about violent weather are invaluable for those who want to survive. Using the story of Jesus walking on the waves to His disciples, we'll discover a few things about the stormy trials of life.

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I. Weather is Unpredictable (vv. 14-15)

Boat ride was unexpected

Storm arose suddenly

Circumstances change suddenly

Plans change

Paul - Acts 27:14

Job - Job 1:19

I. Weather is Unpredictable (vv. 14-15)

Man makes plans; God changes them -
Jewish Proverb

Rain falls on the righteous and the
unrighteous - Matthew 5:45

Even Paul despaired of life –
2 Corinthians 1:8

II. God's the Captain; You're Just Crew (v. 16)

Jesus made

(constrained, compelled, urged) them get
into the boat - Mark 6:45

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The most hard hearted, unlovely Christians are those who have never had much trouble; the most Christ-like are those with the most affliction - C. H. Spurgeon

You can make plans; God has editing rights

III. Resources Will be Provided (vv. 17-20)

He Knows

He saw them from the mountain –

Mark 6:47

I can't see God, but He sees me –

Job 23:8-10

God knows everything - Luke 12:7; Psalm
56:8; Jeremiah 29:11

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He Prays

Jesus departed to pray

Jesus prays for the disciples John 17:6-9

Jesus prays for us - Hebrews 7:25

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He Comes

Jesus walked on the water;

He came to them on the very thing they
feared the most

IV. The Sky will Clear (v. 21)

There is a season for storms - 1 Peter 1:6

No time is wasted in the trial

Watch your attitude during a storm -
Hebrews 12:5

When God is done working on us, we'll be
headed to heaven

The disciples willingly received Jesus into
the boat

LET'S REVIEW

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