

# THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

## Calming the tempest

<sup>23</sup>Jesus got into the boat and his disciples followed him. <sup>24</sup>Without warning a fierce storm hit the lake, with waves sweeping the boat. But Jesus was asleep.

<sup>25</sup>They woke him and cried:

—Lord save us! We are lost!

<sup>26</sup>But Jesus answered:

—Why are you so afraid, you of little faith?

Then he stood up and ordered the wind and sea; and it became completely calm. <sup>27</sup>The people were astonished. They said:

—What kind of man is he? Even the winds and the sea obey him.

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