

Enlarge My Capacity

John 21:1-19

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Guest Speaker

Reflect

Outline: Recap

Realize

Points to Ponder

Respond

Questions to draw out understanding.

REFLECT

God MORE THAN restores us when we FAIL.
God is the God of the Second Chance!

REALIZE

1. Peter backslid going back to his old life of fishing.

- **Questions for Reflection**

- Have you ever backslidden? Can you share how Jesus pursued you?

2. Backsliding leaves us empty and NEVER just affects us but also stumbles others.

- **Questions for Reflection**

- Why does Jesus call Peter the Son of Jonah?

3. Jesus pursued Peter!

- **Questions for reflection**

- What's the difference between agape love and phileo love ?

4. Peter knew if he could just get to Jesus he'd be ok!

- **Questions for Reflection**

- When did Jesus call Peter to be a shepherd/pastor?

5. When we fail the world demotes us, but Jesus graciously ENLARGED Peter's capacity when he failed!

- **Questions for Reflection**

- What was the KEY to Peter being RESTORED by Jesus?

Optional Follow-up Questions:

- What makes you say that?
- How do you feel about that?
- How would you explain your answer to a non-Christian friend or neighbor?
- Why did God design it to work that way? Why not just do (whatever else) instead?

- What would you say to someone who disagrees with that?
- Why do we really have to do it like that? Why can't we just go (some other route) instead?