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The Power Of God's Prophetic Word.

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Jesus spoke a prophetic word in Mark 4:35: "Let us go over to the other side."

The Father had shown Jesus what to do. Jesus then obeyed the Father's will and prophesied that he would be where the Father wanted him to be (John 5:19).

Many people may think that if the Father wanted Jesus to do something and Jesus was willing to do it, there would be no problem...end of the story. *Not so, according to the Word of God!*

Mark 4:37: "And a furious storm of wind [of hurricane proportions] arose, and the waves kept beating into the boat, so that it was already becoming filled."

What was this? **Opposition to the prophetic Word of God!** They were sinking! And here God had spoken for them to go to the other side. What is going on? **The fact that God has spoken does not mean that His Word will automatically comes to pass.**

Jesus was called to free a man from legions of demons, and to later use his testimony to evangelize a whole region. Satan was unsuccessfully resisting the will of the Father through the weather.

Many times we receive or speak a prophetic word by faith. Maybe we have a dream or a vision and it does not take long before it looks totally impossible. It is OK! Just keep trusting in God's Word and He will bring it to pass.

Jesus had no sense of hesitation. There was a surety in all he said and did. Now, if He is in us and we have His Word, there should be a surety about our walk and talk as well. We should not walk, trying to find our way. We should walk erect, and there should be a certainty about us and our decisions. *Do not let the enemy rob you of your destiny!*

Let your confession be: I have His guidance and am assured of His presence. He will not let me fail because He and I are working together. (1 Corinthians 3:9, Psalms 23)

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