

**COURAGE TO FACE YOUR FAULTS**  
**Uncommon Courage, Pt.4**  
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Matthew 14:25-31 "...<sup>29</sup> 'Come,' he said. Then Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus. <sup>30</sup> But when he saw the wind, he was afraid and, beginning to sink, cried out, 'Lord, save me!' <sup>31</sup> Immediately Jesus reached out his hand and caught him. You of little faith, he said, why did you doubt?" (NIV)

**1. THE COURAGE TO CONTINUE**

Philippians 3:12-14 "Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already been made perfect, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. <sup>13</sup> Brothers, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, <sup>14</sup> I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus". (NIV)

Failure doesn't come from \_\_\_\_\_ on your \_\_\_\_\_ Failure comes from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ again.

**2. THE CRITIC TO CONTEND**

\_\_\_\_\_ should carry more weight than the \_\_\_\_\_ in our life.

Matthew 10:32-33 "Whoever acknowledges me before men, I will also acknowledge him before my Father in heaven.' <sup>33</sup> 'But whoever disowns me before men, I will disown him before my Father in heaven'".(NIV)

**3. THE LESSON TO LEARN**

Peter's Failures: Matthew 16:21-23; John 13:3-10; Matthew 26:36-40; John 18:10; Matthew 26:31-35; Matthew 26:69-75

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Peter's Victories: Matthew 4:18-19; Luke 5:4-7; Matthew 16:15-16; Matthew 16:18; Matthew 14:22-33

Matthew 27:1-5 "Early in the morning, all the chief priests and the elders of the people came to the decision to put Jesus to death. <sup>2</sup> They bound him, led him away and handed him over to Pilate, the governor. <sup>3</sup> When Judas, who had betrayed him, saw that Jesus was condemned, he was seized with remorse and returned the thirty silver coins to the chief priests and the elders. <sup>4</sup> 'I have sinned,' he said, 'for I have betrayed innocent blood.' 'What is that to us?' they replied. 'That's your responsibility.' <sup>5</sup> So Judas threw the money into the temple and left. Then he went away and hanged himself." (NIV)

**ACTION STEPS**

1. Take A \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. Become \_\_\_\_\_ .
3. Commit \_\_\_\_\_ .