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5. What was taking possession of their hearts, why were they blinded, and with what results? (380.1)
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7. What does God often do when people create burdens and troubles for themselves? (380.2)
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8. What did the storm and darkness teach them, and what did they long for? (380.3)
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9. Why are the disciples afraid of Jesus walking on the water? (381.2-3)
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10. As Peter walked on the water, what caused his faith to give away? (381.5)
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11. When trouble comes upon us what should we keep our eyes fixed upon? (382.1)
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12. What lesson did Peter need to learn about dependence on Christ? (382.2)
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13. What determines the outcome of life’s great crisis? (382.3)
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