

MR. MULKEY'S 2ND GRADE

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LESSON

We watched John 21 from the [The Gospel of John](#) DVD. Here are some of the key points we discussed:

- The disciples had returned to the Sea of Galilee to resume their jobs as fishermen.
- After a long night of fishing with no fish caught, Jesus appears to the disciples on the shore and miraculously allows them to catch 153 fish.
- Just as Peter had denied Jesus three times, three times Jesus allows Peter to reaffirm his love for Him. He also charges him to take care of His people (Peter will soon become a leader in the church).
- Jesus' commands His disciples to simply "follow" Him. We should not be concerned with God's plan for other believers, but rather follow His leading in *our* life.
- Jesus did many more things that were not recorded in The Gospel

of John, but as John 20:30-31 said, the things that John did record are written so that we may believe in Jesus for eternal life!

MEMORY

"No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us." (Romans 8:37, ESV).

"These things" refers to everything mentioned in verse 35. Even in the face of physical death itself, we are "more than conquerors" (literally "super-conquerors") because our life is hidden in Christ with God (Colossians 3:3).

BONUS CLASS / DOCTRINES

This week's doctrine(s):

- God sees believers as not guilty.

In Activities class, we played "backwards soccer" (players use hands instead of feet and goalie must use feet) to remind us how us being seeing as "not guilty" by God is completely backwards to what we would expect. As sinners, we are all guilty before God and deserving of hell, but when we place our faith in Jesus and His finished work on the cross where He died in our place, His righteous life gets applied to our account, so God now sees His righteousness instead of our sin!

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