

# THE BREAD OF LIFE

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Study of John / John 6:22-71

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## Introduction:

Jesus fed the 5,000 and sent the disciples across the sea of Galilee. He walked on the water to meet them and calmed a storm of strong winds. Now, the crowd is looking for Jesus.

### I. The Crowd Seeks Jesus. (22-24)

### II. The Crowd Finds Jesus. (25-29)

A. They only wanted food. [26]

B. Jesus: *Work for What Matters.* [27]

C. Crowd: *What is God's Work?* [28]

D. Jesus: *Faith is God's Work.* [29]

### III. The Crowd Asks for a Sign. (30-59)

A. Again, They Want Food. [31]

B. The Bread that Comes from Heaven. [32-33]

C. Give Us This Bread Forever! [34]

D. Jesus is the Bread of Life. [35-50]

E. Eating Christ's Flesh. [51-59]

## IV. The Crowd is Upset. (60-71)

A. Many Abandon Jesus. [66]

B. Jesus asks the Disciples if They will Also Leave. [67-69]

C. One Disciple is a Devil. [70-71]

## APPLICATION QUESTIONS

FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT

1. Why was the crowd really seeking Jesus? Do we seek God for similar reasons?
2. In verse 29, what *work* does Jesus say is necessary for salvation?
3. Whose work is faith?
4. What kind of sign did the crowd ask for?
5. What sign did Jesus give them?
6. What was the reaction of the crowd to Jesus' discourse in 6:51-59?
7. What is the significance of Jesus' "I am" statement in verse 35?
8. What was the result of Jesus' discourse on "eating His flesh and drinking His blood"?
9. Why do you think Jesus asked the disciples if they would also leave? (Vs. 67)
10. Are there any eternal security statements in the passage?
11. Are there any statements proving salvation is a work of God?