

**INTRODUCTION: FAILURE IS A KEY TO SUCCESS** (see Mt.14:30; Dt.8:16,5; Heb.12:7)

**TEXT: FEEDING OF THE FIVE THOUSAND** (Mt.14:13-21; Mk.6:32-44; Lk.9:10-17; Jn.6:1-15)

- A. TOOK THE TWELVE BACK TO SCHOOL** (Mk.6:7-13,30 & 31-44; see Lk.9:1f,10f,20)
- B. SHEPHERDED SHEEP WITH SUBSTANTIAL TEACHING** (Mk.6:34,35; see 31f; Jn.6:3)
- C. WORDS & WORKS CONSTANTLY TOGETHER** (Mk.6:2; 12,13; 30; see 34,35f /Acts 6:3,4; Phil.1:1)
- D. A STRATEGY FOR FAILURE** (Mt.14:16; Mk.6:37; Lk.9:13; see Jn.6:6 with Mt.4:1f; 6:13/1Pt.1:7)
- E. THE GIFT OF SUCCESS** (Mt.14:19; Mk.6:41; Lk.9:16; Jn.6:11&4)

**LESSON: BY GRACE, THROUGH FAILURE!**

- A. ADAM: *FAILED*** (Rom.5:12f; see Gen.3:1f)
- B. PATRIARCHS: *FAILED*** (Gen.12:11f; 26:7f; 27:12f)
- C. AARON: *FAILED*** (Ex.32:24,1f; Num.20:11f,24)
- D. MOSES: *FAILED*** (Num.27:14 (20:11f); Dt.32:51; Ps.106:32)
- E. DAVID: *FAILED*** (2Sam.11:1f; 1Kngs.15:5)
- F. HEZEKIAH: *FAILED*** (Is.39:1f)
- G. JONAH: *FAILED*** (Jon.1:1f)
- H. RULER: *FAILED*** (Mk.10:21f,17f)
- I. PETER: *FAILED*** (Mt.26:33f,75)
- J. PAUL: *FAILED*** (Phil.3:4f,8)
- K. YOU: *FAILED*** (Mk.6:37; see Rom.2:1,17-24; 3:9-20; Eph.2:1-3)
- J. JESUS: *SUCCEEDED!*** (Mk.6:41; see 14:22f; Jn.6:4; see Rom.3:21f; Eph.2:4f; see Heb.4:15; 5:8; 7:26f; 9:12f)

**USE: LOOK TO JESUS FOR HIS SUCCESS!**

- A. LOOK TO JESUS TO DELIVER YOU FROM YOUR FAILURE & GIVE YOU HIS SUCCESS**  
(Jn.6:6; Mk.6:37,41; Heb.12:7; Dt.8:16,17; see Rom.3:22-24; 2Cor.5:21)
- B. LOOK TO JESUS TO RECEIVE FROM HIM WHAT YOU NEED IN ORDER TO OBEY HIS COMMANDMENTS** (Mk.6:37,41; see Jn.15:5; 2Cor.3:5; 12:9f; Phil.4:13)
- C. LOOK TO JESUS FOR HIS GIFTS FOR SERVICE AND USE THEM TO SERVE** (Mk.6:37,41; see 1Cor.12:7,25; Eph.4:7f; 1Pt.4:10,11; see 1Cor.4:7)

*Brethren, what shall WE DO?* (see Acts 2:37f)