

Opportunity Christian Fellowship  
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## **The God of Miracles** **John 6:1–21**

**(John 6:1-2)** After this, Jesus crossed over to the far side of the Sea of Galilee, also known as the Sea of Tiberias. <sup>2</sup>A huge crowd kept following him wherever he went, because they saw his miraculous signs as he healed the sick.

**What's a Miracle** – A miracle is an extraordinary event manifesting divine intervention in human affairs.

**The greatest miracle in life is God invading humanity in the form of Jesus.**

**(Colossians 1:27MSG)** God wanted everyone, not just Jews, to know this rich and glorious secret inside and out, regardless of their background, regardless of their religious standing. The mystery in a nutshell is just this: Christ is in you, therefore you can look forward to sharing in God's glory. It's that simple. That is the substance of our Message.

**God can move mountains but He'd rather move your heart.**

We must all be careful to not just seek the hand of God, but rather seek the face of God.

**Miracles are good, but blessings are better.**

A miracle is an extraordinary event, but blessings are perpetual.

**(John 4:13-14)** Jesus replied, "Anyone who drinks this water will soon become thirsty again. But those who drink the water I give will never be thirsty again. It becomes a fresh, bubbling spring within them, giving them eternal life."

You can experience a miracle, but still become thirsty for sin. You can be healed, but not be made whole.

**5 basic blessings that Jesus brings through salvation.**

- 1. His Spirit Will Be with Us: (Psalms 91:14-16)**
- 2. He Can Give Us Strength to Resist Temptation (Titus 2:11-12)**
- 3. His Example Will Guide Us/ Vision: (Hebrews 12:2)**
- 4. He Can Help Us Serve Others: (Luke 6:38)**
- 5. We Can Repent: (1 John 1:9)**

**Response** – Ask God to give you a revelation of the name Jesus. How beautiful, how marvelous, how capable that name is.