John 21:1-14



Who is this?



Major League Baseball 1946 to 1965

New York Yankee Catcher

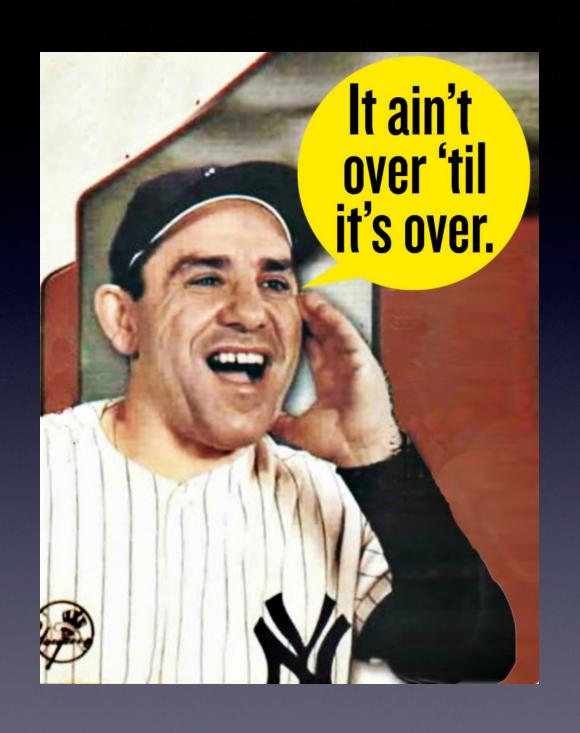
MVP - 3 Times

Played in 14 World Series

Baseball Hall of Fame - 1972

Yogi Berra

Born - May 12, 1925



Yogi Berra Quotes

"Baseball is ninety percent mental. The other half is physical."

"You should always go to other people's funerals, otherwise they won't come to yours."

"When you come to a fork in the road, take it."

"It's like deja vu all over again."

"I never said most of the things I said."

"It's like deja vu all over again."

1 Corinthians 15:1-8

Now I make known to you, brethren, the gospel which I preached to you, which also you received, in which also you stand, by which also you are saved, if you hold fast the word which I preached to you, unless you believed in vain.

1 Corinthians 15:1-8

For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received, that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, and that He appeared toPeter and the disciples plus to more than 500 at one time.

The Gospel

1. Christ died for our sins

(according to the Scriptures)

PROOF: He was buried

2. He was raised on the third day

(according to the Scriptures)

PROOF: He appeared to many

1 Corinthians 15:13-14, 17

But if there is no resurrection of the dead, not even Christ has been raised; and if Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is vain, your faith also is vain.....and if Christ has not been raised, your faith is worthless; you are still in your sins.

1 Corinthians 15:20-22

But now Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who are asleep. For since by a man came death, by a man also came the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ all will be made alive.

Summary Outline

- 1. Jesus gives vivid evidence that He is alive John 20:11-25
- 2. Jesus <u>strengthens their faith</u> John 20:26-29
- 3. Jesus calls them back into service and shows His care for them John 21

John 20:30-31

Therefore many other signs Jesus also performed in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book;

but these have been written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing you may have life in His name.

The Lord Calls and Cares for His Own John 21:1-14

John 21:1, 14

- 1. After these things Jesus manifested Himself again to the disciples at the Sea of Tiberias, and He manifested Himself in this way.
- 14. This is now the third time that Jesus was manifested to the disciples, after He was raised from the dead.

The Introduction - John 21:1, 14

- 1. He went to them as promised to Galilee
- 2. He manifested Himself in a particular manner
- 3. He manifested Himself AFTER being raised from the dead

The disciples go back to fishing

Who was there?

- 1. Simon Peter
- 2. Thomas
- 3. Nathanael
- 4. James, the son of Zebedee
- 5. John, the son of Zebedee
- 6. ?
- 7. ?

Matthew 28:16

But the eleven disciples proceeded to Galilee, to the mountain which Jesus had designated.

Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will also come with you." They went out and got into the boat; and that night they caught nothing.

The disciples go back to fishing John 21:2-3

What did they do?

- 1. Peter <u>decided to go fishing</u> and the rest <u>followed</u>
- 2. They fished all night and <u>caught</u> nothing

John 21:4-5

But when the day was now breaking, Jesus stood on the beach; yet the disciples did not know that it was Jesus.

So Jesus said to them, "Children, you do not have any fish, do you?" They answered Him, "No."

And He said to them, "Cast the net on the right-hand side of the boat and you will find a catch." So they cast, and then they were not able to haul it in because of the great number of fish.

Therefore that disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord." So when Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put his outer garment on (for he was stripped for work), and threw himself into the sea.

But the other disciples came in the little boat, for they were not far from the land, but about one hundred yards away, dragging the net full of fish.

Jesus calls the disciples back to Himself - v. 4-13

1. A Reminder of their Call to Follow Him - v. 4-8

Luke 5:1-11



John 21:9-11

So when they got out on the land, they saw a charcoal fire already laid and fish placed on it, and bread.

Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish which you have now caught."

Simon Peter went up and drew the net to land, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three; and although there were so many, the net was not torn.

John 21:12-13

Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." None of the disciples ventured to question Him, "Who are You?" knowing that it was the Lord.

Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and the fish likewise.

Jesus calls the disciples back to Himself - v. 4-13

1. A Reminder of their Call to Follow Him - v. 4-8

2. A Reminder of His Care for them - v. 9-13

Implications for us

- 1. Jesus calls us to follow Him not just to get saved but also to obey and serve Him
- 2. Jesus lovingly <u>cares and provides</u> for His people