

## Questions on John chapter 21

1. Where is the Sea of Tiberias? Verse 1.
2. Why are the disciples there? Verse 2.
3. Why did the disciples go fishing and who was their leader? Verse 3.
4. Why didn't the disciples recognize the Lord? Verse 4.
5. How and for what purpose is Jesus setting the disciples up by asking a question? Verse 5.
6. Why would the disciples do what a stranger asked them to do? Verse 6.

7. How did John recognize Jesus and why did Peter jump into the sea? Verse 7.

8. What were the other disciples left to do when Peter jumped into the sea? Verse 8.

9. What did the disciples see when they came ashore? Verse 9.

10. Why is John so careful to record the exact number and size of the fish? Verses 10-11.

11. Why did none of the disciples ask the Lord who he was? Verse 12.

12. Where do you think Jesus got the fish and the bread before the other fish were brought? Verse 13.

13. What were the other two occasions when Jesus showed himself to the disciples? Verse 14.

14. What passage in Peter's writings would argue against the Catholic presumption on this verse of the "supremacy" of Peter? Verse 15.

15. Why do you think Jesus called Peter "Simon" in these verses instead of the name he gave him? Verse 16.

16. Why did Jesus ask Peter the same question three times? Verse 17.

17. What does Jesus predict will happen in Peter's old age? What does it mean? Verse 18.

18. How did John know what the prediction of Jesus meant? Verse 19.

19. Who is the disciple whom Jesus loved? How do we know? Verse 20.

20. Do you think Peter's question sprang from genuine concern, jealousy, resentment or some other reason? Verse 21.

21. What is the mild rebuke Jesus gave to Peter? Verse 22.

22. Why does John think it necessary to re-state what Jesus said concerning himself? Verse 23.

23. Why do some critics think the last two verses were written by someone besides John? Verse 24.

24. Why weren't the "many other things" Jesus did recorded? Verse 25.