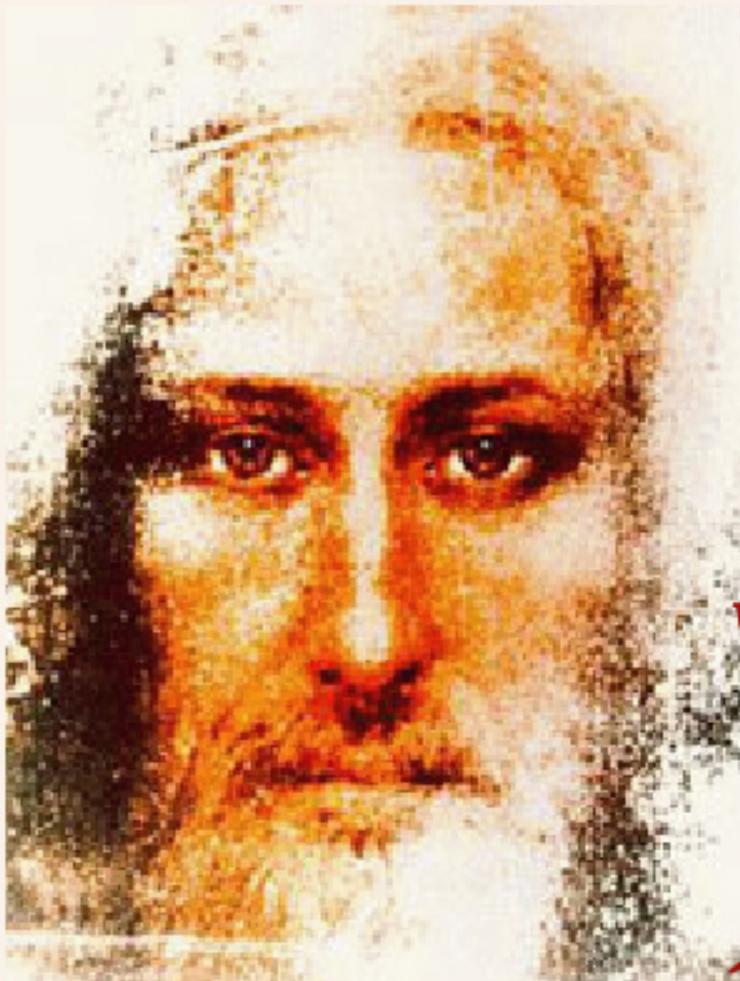


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"Who do you say that I am?"

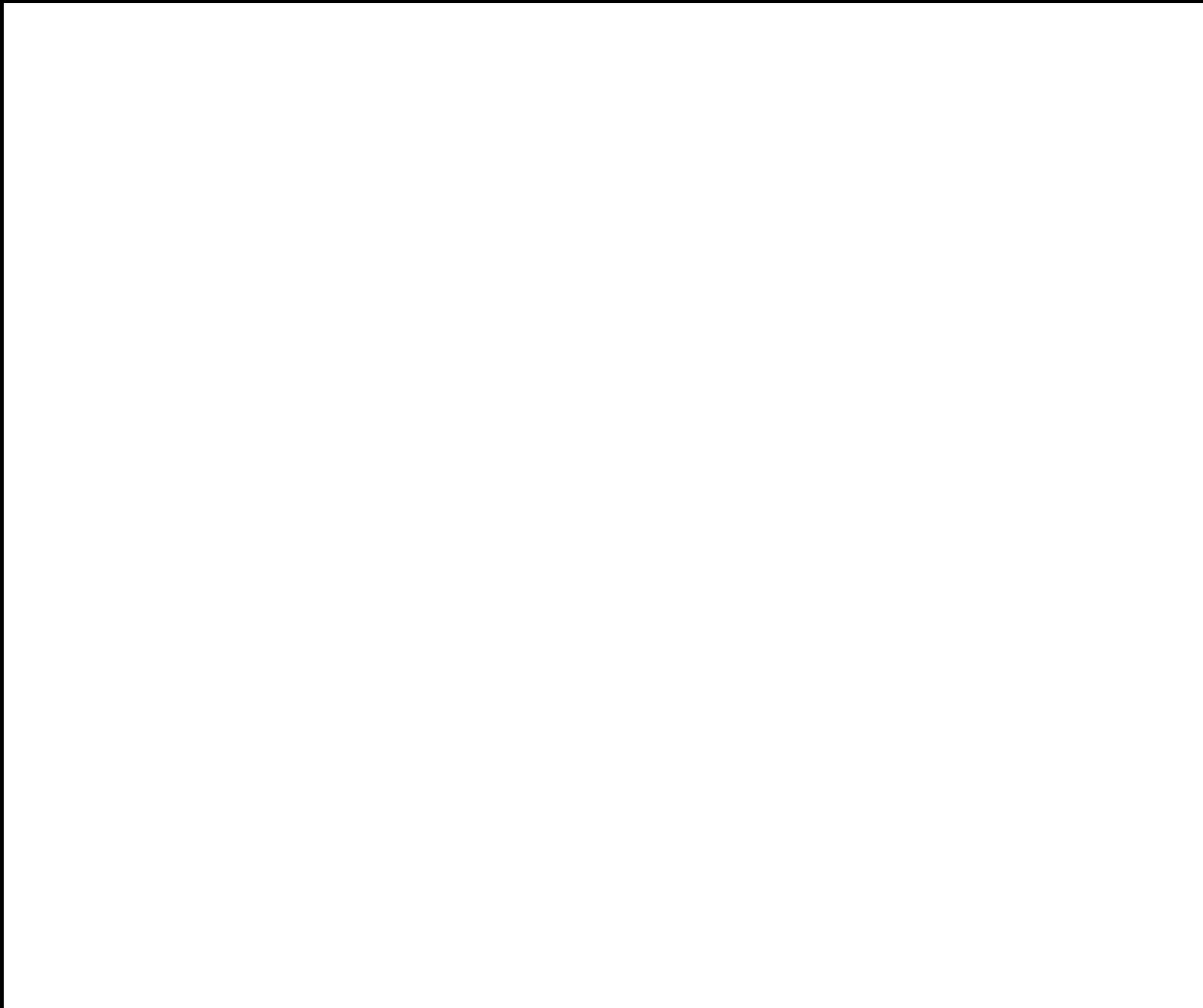
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Jesus Christ  
through  
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and ministry  
~ John 1:19-12:50

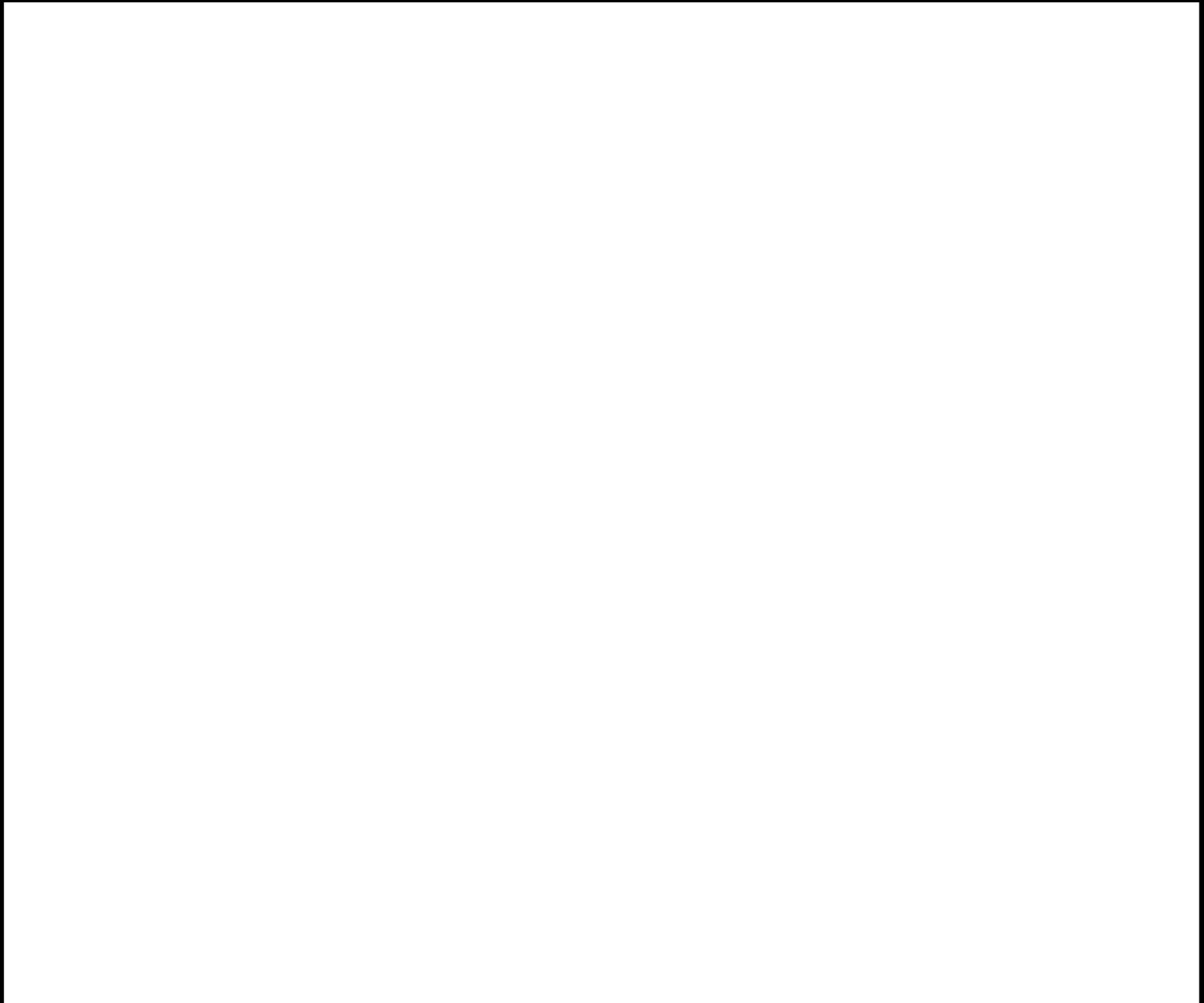
When the going  
gets tough...













# *The progression of teaching*

1. Jesus feeds them bread (6:1-15)
2. Jesus offers them “food that endures to eternal life” (6:27-29)
3. Jesus says, “I am the bread of life” (6:35)
4. Jesus says, “This bread of life is my flesh” (6:51)
5. Jesus says, “Unless you eat my flesh and drink my blood, you have no life in you.” (6:53)

**When the going got tough  
for the disciples of Jesus  
in John 6...**

**what did they do?**

# *Assessing the Situation...*

**John 6:60**

<sup>60</sup>On hearing it, many of his disciples said, “This is a hard teaching. Who can accept it?”

# *Jesus UPS the ante on the problem!*

**John 6:61-62**

<sup>61</sup>Aware that his disciples were grumbling about this, Jesus said to them, “Does this offend you? <sup>62</sup>What if you see the Son of Man ascend to where he was before!

*In order to overcome, you have to believe AND the Father must enable you to come!*

**John 6:63-65**

“<sup>63</sup>The Spirit gives life; the flesh counts for nothing. The words I have spoken to you are spirit and they are life. <sup>64</sup>Yet there are some of you who do not believe.” For Jesus had known from the beginning which of them did not believe and who would betray him. <sup>65</sup>He went on to say, “This is why I told you that no one can come to me unless the Father has enabled him.”

*See ya!*

**John 6:66**

<sup>66</sup>From this time many of his disciples turned back and no longer followed him.

# *The B.Q. to the Twelve Disciples...*

**John 6:67**

<sup>67</sup>“You do not want to leave too, do you?”  
Jesus asked the Twelve.

# *The Answer of a Lifetime!*

**John 6:68-69**

<sup>68</sup>Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. <sup>69</sup>We believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.”

# *Pointing to the Culmination of why He came...*

**John 6:70-71**

<sup>70</sup>Then Jesus replied, “Have I not chosen you, the Twelve? Yet one of you is a devil!” <sup>71</sup>(He meant Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot, who, though one of the Twelve, was later to betray him.)

**When the going gets tough  
for you...**

**what will you do?**