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## Satisfied | Luke 9:10-17

10 When the apostles returned, they reported to Jesus what they had done. Then he took them with him and they withdrew by themselves to a town called Bethsaida,
${ }^{11}$ but the crowds learned about it and followed him. He welcomed them and spoke to them about the kingdom of God, and healed those who needed healing.
${ }^{12}$ Late in the afternoon the Twelve came to him and said, "Send the crowd away so they can go to the surrounding villages and countryside and find food and lodging, because we are in a remote place here."
${ }^{13}$ He replied, "You give them something to eat." They answered, "We have only five loaves of bread and two fish-unless we go and buy food for all this crowd." 14 (About five thousand men were there.)

But he said to his disciples, "Have them sit down in groups of about fifty each."
15 The disciples did so, and everyone sat down.

16 Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke them. Then he gave them to the disciples to distribute to the people.

17 They all ate and were satisfied, and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces that were left over.
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34 When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. So he began teaching them many things.
—Mark 6:34
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-Luke 9:12
${ }^{11}$ but the crowds learned about it and followed him. He welcomed them and spoke to them about the kingdom of God, and healed those who needed healing.
—Luke 9:11

13 He replied, "You give them something to eat."
-Luke 9:13a
${ }^{14}$ For this reason I kneel before the Father, ${ }^{15}$ from whom every family[a] in heaven and on earth derives its name. ${ }^{16}$ I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being,
-Ephesians 3:14-16
${ }^{8}$ Another of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up,
9 "Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?"
-John 6:8-9

## It is possible through Jesus to have power available to you that will enable you to overcome obstacles far beyond your own resources.

14 (About five thousand men were there.) But he said to his disciples, "Have them sit down in groups of about fifty each."
-Luke 9:14

## ${ }^{1}$ The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. -Psalm 23:1

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-Luke 9:13

37 But he answered, "You give them something to eat."

They said to him, "That would take more than half a year's wages! Are we to go and spend that much on bread and give it to them to eat?"
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16 Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke them. Then he gave them to the disciples to distribute to the people.
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# God is calling you to place all you have into his hands and that starts with being grateful for what you already have in hand. 

18 give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.
-1 Thessalonians 5:18

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