Therefore that disciple whom Jesus used to love¹ said to Peter; It is the Lord!² Hence Simon Peter, upon hearing that it was the Lord, girded about himself his top garment, for he was naked, and plunged into the sea.

Footnote: Or, prefer Footnote: Or, Master

1. So first realizing what was happening, John turned to Peter and told him that it was the Lord. Hence Simon Peter upon hearing that it was the Lord, girded about himself a top garment, and plunged into the sea.

[Question] Who then, addressed Peter, and what did he tell Peter?[Question] What then, did Peter do immediately?

2. There was reclining in front of Jesus' bosom one of his disciples, and Jesus loved him. (John 13:23)

[Question] Who was spoken of as the disciple Jesus used to love, though he surely loved them all?

3. Therefore Jesus, seeing his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing by, said to his mother; Woman, see! Your son! (John 19:26)

[Question] Who did Jesus tell his mother Mary, would now be like her oldest son?

4. Therefore she ran and came to Simon Peter and to the other disciple, for whom Jesus had affection, and she said to them; They have taken away the Lord out of the memorial tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him. (John 20:2)

[Question] How did the women feel, when finding Jesus' memorial tomb empty?

5' He said; Come! Thereupon Peter, getting down off the boat, walked over the waters, and went toward Jesus. (Matthew 14:29)

[Question] What extraordinary faith, had Peter previously exercised?

6 Seeing this, Simon Peter fell down at the knees of Jesus,

saying; Depart from me, because I am a sinful man, Lord. (Luke 5:8)

[Question] How did Peter feel, after the first miraculous catch of fish Jesus gave to him?

7. This is the disciple that bears witness about these things and that wrote these things, and we know that the witness he gives is true. (John 21:24)

[Question] Who wrote the gospel of John, and why was he uniquely qualified?