

# Image Reflection

## FISHING AND REFLECTING RAGLAN HARBOUR AOTEAROA/NEW ZEALAND

God's presence seems to follow me everywhere  
and makes everything I do, or wish to do, a prayer.

*St Mary MacKillop 28.03.1870*



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Take time to sit with the image in silence. Allow yourself, like the fisherman, to be drawn into the light. Allow the light of Christ, the Easter Light, to follow you, to overwhelm you with joy, with blessing, with enlightenment.

Sit in silence and let the light of Christ speak to you, warm your heart.

Ask yourself:

- What part of my heart, my life, is crying out for the Christ Light?
- Perhaps I am clinging to the security of the distant landscape hidden in the darkness.
- Am I being called to let go, to move from this darkness into the wonder of the Easter Light?
- Pray with the Risen Christ sharing your hopes and your dreams ... perhaps you might like to express your response as a poem or in art or music.
- These words from the song "River of Glory" by Dan Schutte and Marty Haugen could be our prayer:

*River of glory, springs of our birth,  
flood of God's riches poured on the earth.  
We are born from the darkness  
and clothed in the light!  
We are bathed in the glory of God!*

*Darkness is banished, night turned away.  
Christ is our sunlight,  
lifting and leading our way.*