

Listen to God's warning!!



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The sixth guy thought it was probably true, but he couldn't be bothered packing up and going away right then, so he thought he might go sometime during the day when he felt like it. Well, sadly that tsunami did come, and only one of those 6 men didn't die.

Just because the first man didn't believe it, didn't stop it from coming. Getting angry didn't stop it from coming. Not really knowing much about it, didn't stop it from coming. Laughing and mocking didn't stop it from coming, and deciding that later on he'd do something about it didn't stop it either. Only the guy who believed and obeyed was saved.

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