

MESSAGE NOTES

The Promise of Peace

John 14:27

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John 14:27 Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.

1. Peace with God

Romans 5:1 Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Through believing and choosing to follow Jesus we find peace with God. This is true peace in our hearts. This peace that doesn't come from or depend on anything in this world. It comes from heaven to us and depends only on Jesus.

2. Peace with others

After you experience this true peace of God you can then have peace in your relationships with other people as well.

1 John 4:19 We love because he first loved us.

Choosing to love and forgive people will set your heart free from things like bitterness and resentment that steal your peace.

3. Peace in your heart

Jeremiah 29:11 For I know the plans that I have for you, says the Lord, plans for peace and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

God has the best possible plan for your life. A plan for peace, hope and a future. This doesn't mean that you won't have any difficulties in life but that you will know His peace in your heart through it all.