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<sup>24</sup> The LORD bless you and keep you; <sup>25</sup> the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; <sup>26</sup> the LORD lift up His face upon you and give you peace.

#### Numbers 6:24-26 (NIV)

<sup>13</sup> Suddenly, the angel was joined by a vast host of others – the armies of heaven – praising God and saying, <sup>14</sup> "Glory to God in highest heaven, and peace on earth to those with whom God is pleased."

### Luke 2:13-14 (NLT)

**Peace** I leave with you; **My peace** I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.



## RELATIONSHIP peace: permanent FELLOWSHIP peace: dependent on our obedience SITUATIONAL peace: usually slow-in-coming

## RELATIONSHIP peace with God (permanent)

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

#### Romans 5:1 (ESV)

FELLOWSHIP peace with God (dependent on our obedience)

If we say we have fellowship with God while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another....

#### 1 John 1:6-7 (ESV)

FELLOWSHIP peace with God (dependent on our obedience)

If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

#### 1 John 1:9 (ESV)

## **RELATIONSHIP** peace: permanent

### **FELLOWSHIP** peace: dependent on our obedience

## SITUATIONAL peace in our circumstances (usually slow-in-coming)

And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

#### Philippians 4:7 (ESV)

## "My soul is troubled."



Jesus... began to be greatly distressed and troubled. "My soul is very sorrowful, even to death."

#### Mark 14:33-34 (ESV)

# Now may the Lord of peace Himself give you peace at all times in every way.

#### 2 Thessalonians 3:16 (ESV)