



**PEACE, JOY, AND LOVE**  
**ROMANS 5:1-11**  
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Paul uses a number of important words in Romans 5 to describe what God has done through Jesus Christ. Some of the words Paul uses in this chapter are **justification, faith, peace, grace, Jesus, joy, hope, glory, endurance,** and **love**. All of these words are inter-related with each one emphasizing a different and important aspect of salvation.

**3 IMPORTANT WORDS:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
  - It is not just any old peace, but \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Prior to our relationship with Christ, our situation with God was one of \_\_\_\_\_.
    - The hostility was \_\_\_\_\_.
    - The hostility is not necessarily \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Peace is not our work. It is \_\_\_\_\_ work through Jesus Christ.
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ is what makes love more than a sentiment.

**STUDY QUESTIONS: (There is no Zoom meeting this week.)**

#1 Describe some of the different forms that peace takes in our world. How is peace with God different?

#2 Describe a time when you truly experienced the peace of God.

#3 How does it make you feel when the Bible describes us as enemies of God, or the cross?

#4 Pastor Koedyker states in the sermon that the hostility between God and man is one-sided. What is God's response to our hostility to him? Give some biblical examples.

#5 How have you experienced joy in your Christian life?

#6 Have you found it to be true that you are able to "rejoice in your sufferings?" How is that possible? Give an example of when you have been able to rejoice in a time of suffering or trial in your life.

#7 Why is sacrifice such an important element in love? Give some examples of sacrificial love you have witnessed or experienced.