

Learning to Live a Peace-Filled Life Philippians 4:6-7

Philippians 4:6-7 (HCSB)

"Don't worry about anything, but in everything, through prayer and petition with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses every thought, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

I. Receive God's Pardon

Philippians 4:1 (HCSB)

So then, in this way, my dearly loved brothers, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord, dear friends.

Romans 5:1 (NIV)

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

II. Obey God's Truth

Verse 9 – Do what you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

Psalm 119:165 (HCSB)

Abundant peace belongs to those who love Your instruction; nothing makes them stumble.

Proverbs 3:1-2 (ESV)

My son, do not forget my teaching, but let your heart keep my commandments, for length of days and years of life and peace they will add to you.

• Worry about Nothing

Verse 6 – "Don't worry about anything..."

• Pray about Everything

Verse 6 – "...but in everything, through prayer and petition with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God."

Psalm 55:22 (HCSB)

Cast your burden on the LORD, and He will support you; He will never allow the righteous to be shaken.

• Give thanks in all things

1 Thessalonians 5:18 (HCSB)

Give thanks in everything, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.



III. Enjoy God's Provision

• His Continual Presence

Verse 5 – "Let your graciousness be known to everyone. The Lord is near."

James 4:8 (HCSB)

Draw near to God, and He will draw near to you.

• His Surpassing Peace