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Prince of Peace-Isaiah 9 (pg. 607)

1) What is Peace?

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, **Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.**

Isaiah 9:6



noun

1. freedom from disturbance; tranquility.

"you can while away an hour or two in peace and seclusion"

Similar: tranquility calm calmness restfulness peace and quiet

2. a state or period in which there is no war or a war has ended.

"the Straits were to be open to warships in time of peace"

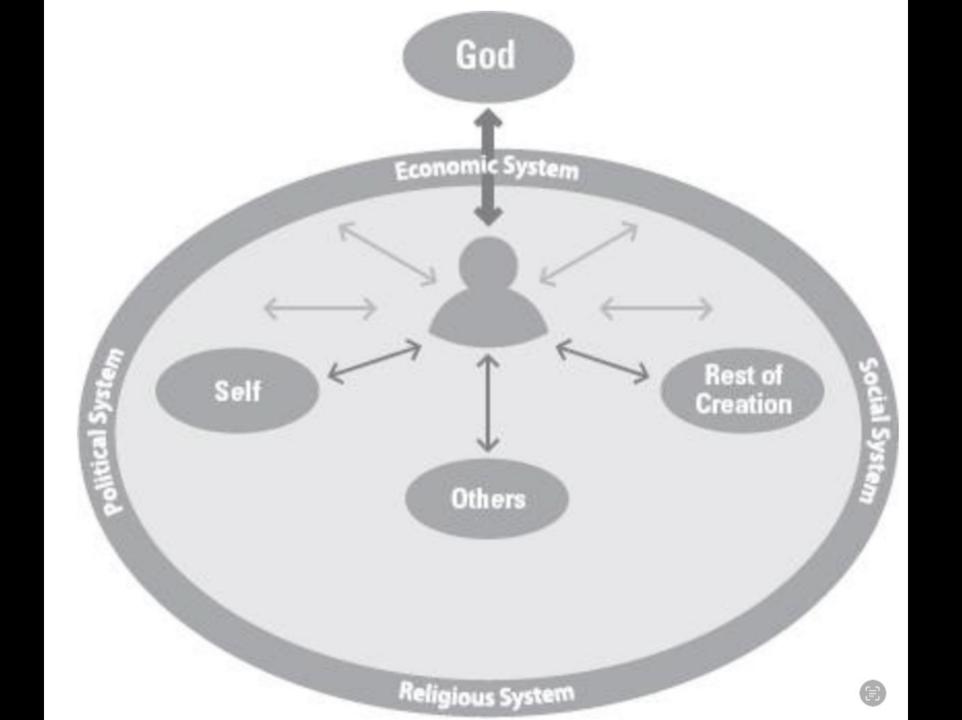
Similar: law and order lawfulness order peacefulness peaceableness

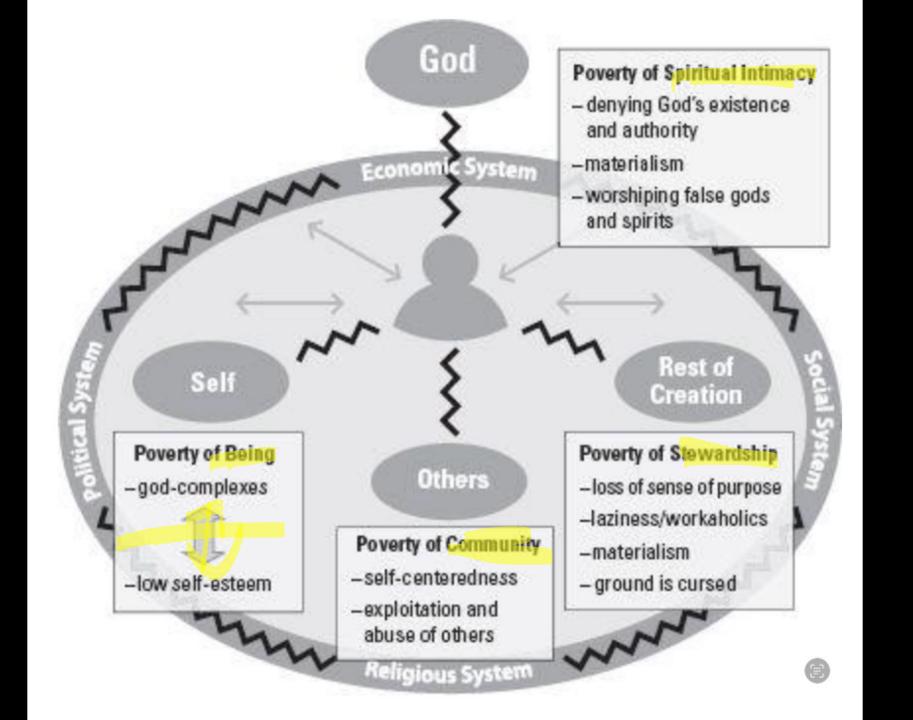
"Peace is a concept that denotes a state of calm or tranquility and the absence of disturbance, disorder, war, and conflict. It corresponds also to a social and political ideal. Peace is a key concept for the UNITED NATIONS, one of the main missions being the maintenance of international peace and security."

United Nations
International School

"Hebrew word for peace and wholeness meaning fullness of life through God-given harmony with God, the world, others, and oneself."

Holman Old
Testament Commentary





He will settle disputes among the nations and provide arbitration for many peoples. They will beat their swords into plows and their spears into pruning knives. Nation will not take up the sword against nation, and they will never again train for war.

Isaiah 2:4

"Who, then, is He Who has done these things and has united in peace those who hated each other, save the beloved Son of the Father, the common Savior of all, Jesus Christ, Who by His own love underwent all things for our salvation? Even from the beginning, moreover, this peace that He was to administer was foretold, for Scripture says, "They shall beat their swords into ploughshares...""

Athanasius

"When they hear the teaching of Christ, forthwith they turn from fighting to farming."

Athanasius

The wolf will dwell with the lamb, and the leopard will lie down with the goat. The calf, the young lion, and the fattened calf will be together, and a child will lead them. The cow and the bear will graze, their young ones will lie down together, and the lion will eat straw like cattle.

Isaiah 11:6-9

An infant will play beside the cobra's pit, and a toddler will put his hand into a snake's den. They will not harm or destroy each other on my entire holy mountain, for the land will be as full of the knowledge of the Lord as the sea is filled with water.

Isaiah 11:6-9

1) What is Peace?2) How Does Jesus Provide Peace?

And when you were dead in trespasses and in the uncircumcision of your flesh, he made you alive with him and forgave us all our trespasses. He erased the certificate of debt, with its obligations, that was against us and opposed to us, and has taken it away by nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and disgraced them publicly; he triumphed over them in him.

Colossians 2:13-15

"It means," said Aslan, "that though the Witch knew the Deep Magic, there is a magic deeper still which she did not know. Her knowledge goes back only to the dawn of time. But if she could have looked a little further back, into the stillness and the darkness before Time dawned, she would have read there a different incantation. She would have known that when a willing victim who had committed no treachery was killed in a traitor's stead, the Table would crack and Death itself would start working backward."

C.S. Lewis

- 1) What is Peace?
- 2) How Does Jesus Provide Peace?
- 3) How Should We Live as Ministers of Peace?

So then, just as you have received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to walk in him, being rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, and overflowing with gratitude.

Colossians 2:6-7

"The Son of God became a man to enable men to become sons of God."

C.S. Lewis

Be careful that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit based on human tradition, based on the elements of the world, rather than Christ. For the entire fullness of God's nature dwells bodily in Christ, and you have been filled by him, who is the head over every ruler and authority.

Colossians 2:8-10

You were also circumcised in him with a circumcision not done with hands, by putting off the body of flesh, in the circumcision of Christ, when you were buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead.

Colossians 2:11-12

Therefore, don't let anyone judge you in regard to food and drink or in the matter of a festival or a new moon or a Sabbath day. These are a shadow of what was to come; the substance is Christ. Let no one condemn you by delighting in ascetic practices and the worship of angels, claiming access to a visionary realm. Such people are inflated by empty notions of their unspiritual mind. Colossians 2:16-18

If you died with Christ to the elements of this world, why do you live as if you still belonged to the world? Why do you submit to regulations: "Don't handle, don't taste, don't touch"? All these regulations refer to what is destined to perish by being used up; they are human commands and doctrines. Although these have a reputation for wisdom by promoting selfmade religion, false humility, and severe treatment of the body, they are not of any value in curbing self-indulgence.

Colossians 2:20-23



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