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**“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.”
Matthew 5:9**

What a peacemaker is not:

*Someone who gets along with everyone at any cost.

*Someone who does whatever it takes to avoid trouble.

*Someone who compromises sin to achieve peace.

*Someone who ignores sin to get along.

*A pushover.





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A peacemaker is someone who is concerned with everyone being at peace with God.

God's hope for ALL of humanity:

- *To come to repentance.
- *To have fellowship with Him.
- *To trust in Him.

When you know your heart belongs to God, you are at peace with Him.

Peace isn't a matter of circumstance or surroundings, but your heart.





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PRAYER is how we fight for people to be at peace with God.

The opposite of peace is division- for us to be against each other.

You cannot be a peacemaker when you are consumed with yourself.

*James 3:13-17

Intercede for the heart of your spouse, children, roommates, coworkers, etc.

We need tough skin, and *tender* hearts.





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You have to *see* so that you can *be*.

The pure in heart will see God. Peacemakers will be called sons of God. This means you belong to Him.

*John 8:5-11

These men were instigators, they caused division. They were not at peace with God, and weren't concerned with her being at peace with God. Jesus showed them a different way.

A peacemaker finds ways for people to be at peace with God.

