

Peace Is A Powerful Contagion

Mark 4:35-41 & Selected Scriptures

Introduction:

Biblical Peace: *The Assurance of Knowing God's Favor in All of Life because of His Friendship with Us.*

- **Contagion:** *An influence, a quality, or nature that spreads rapidly.*

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- **A Fact about Jesus:** The Bible always treats Jesus as our example rather than an unattainable exception. (Philippians 2:5-7)
- **Shalom / Peace:** *Is the fullness, wholeness, completeness, and satisfaction of God's Kingdom.*
 - **Peace** is the normal climate of the Kingdom of God, and the normal outlook of His followers.

(John 14:24; Isaiah 9:6)

- **Truth:** *God's internal _____ within us will always influence the external _____ outside of us.*

Conclusion:

- *The shalom inside of us can become a stronger contagion than the storms around us.*

(Romans 8:31-39)

Verse for January 2024 - 1 Thessalonians 5:23 (NLT) *"Now may the God of Peace make you holy in every way, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless until our Lord Jesus Christ comes again."*

My Commitment: *"Lord, based upon what I heard You say to me this morning I choose to obey You by. . ."*

Our Fellowship: Before you leave ask someone: *"What did God say to you today?"*

Deuteronomy 30:14 (TM) *The Word is right here and now - as near as the tongue in your mouth, as near as the heart in your chest. Just do it!*