Both God And Man (3)

The Lord is PEACE

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1. Both God And Man

Colossians 1:15-16 The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him....

Judges 6:24 ... the Lord said to him, "Peace! Do not be afraid. You are not going to die." So Gideon built an altar to the Lord there and called it **Jehovah Shalom**.

SHALOM is more than just *peace*; it embodies a deep, complete peace—a sense of contentment, wholeness, well-being, and harmony.

2. Jesus is Peace for Your Heart John 6:1-14 ⁵ When Jesus looked up and saw a great crowd coming toward him, he said to Philip, "Where shall we buy bread for these people to eat?" ⁶ He asked this only to test him, for he already had in mind what he was going to do.
Hebrews 12:1-31 Thessalonians 5:23-24
a) God Provides Abundantly When We Him.
b) Faith Often Requires Before Understand.
c) Next test, fix your on Christ.
3. Jesus is Peace for Your Greatest John 6:16-24 a) Faith in Uncertainty. b) Jesus is Sovereign Over Circumstances c) How will you?

Discuss and Reflect

- 1. What does this passage teach us about bringing our resources, no matter how small, to God? How does that apply to your own life?
- 2. How do you respond when faced with a challenge that seems too big for your resources? Do you relate more to Philip (focusing on the problem) or Andrew (offering what little he had)?
- **3.** Why do you think Jesus tested Philip (v.6) before performing the miracle? How does God use challenges to grow our faith today?
- **4.** What storms or challenges in life have made it difficult for you to recognize Jesus' presence, and how did you overcome them?
- **5.** How does Jesus' command, "Do not be afraid," apply to situations in your life where fear has held you back from trusting Him fully?
- **6.** What does this passage teach us about Jesus' role in guiding us through life's uncertainties? How can we grow in recognizing and trusting His presence?

7. Next Week

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