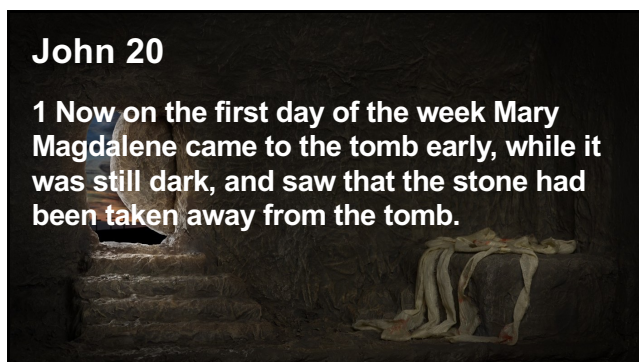
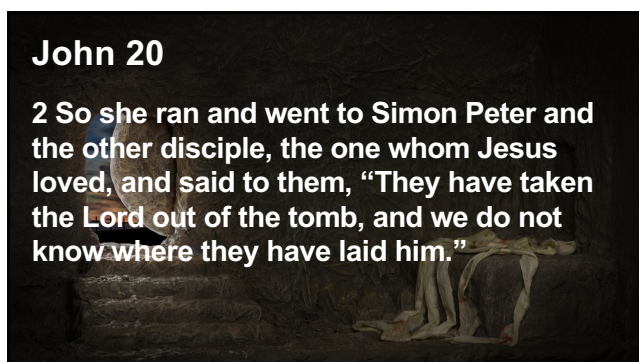




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John 20

3 So Peter went out with the other disciple, and they were going toward the tomb. 4 Both of them were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. 5 And stooping to look in, he saw the linen cloths lying there, but he did not go in.

5

John 20

6 Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen cloths lying there, 7 and the face cloth, which had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen cloths but folded up in a place by itself. 8 Then the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed;

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John 20

9 for as yet they did not understand the Scripture, that he must rise from the dead. 10 Then the disciples went back to their homes. 11 But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb, and as she wept she stooped to look into the tomb.

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John 20

12 And she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had lain, one at the head and one at the feet. 13 They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him."

8

John 20

14 Having said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing, but she did not know that it was Jesus. 15 Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you seeking?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away."

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John 20

16 Jesus said to her, "Mary." She turned and said to him in Aramaic, "Rabboni!" (which means Teacher). 17 Jesus said to her, "Do not cling to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father; but go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.'"

10

John 20

18 Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord"—and that he had said these things to her. 19 On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you."

11

John 20

20 When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. 21 Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you."

12

John 20

22 And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit."

13

Greeting - Peace with a Blessing

For thousands of years, Jews have been greeting each other with the blessing, "peace unto you," or in the Hebrew, "shalom aleichem," with the other person responding, "unto you peace," or "aleichem shalom."

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God's Peace

quiet rest of the soul nourished by the presence of Christ

Opposites:
Hurried, troubled, anxious, turmoil

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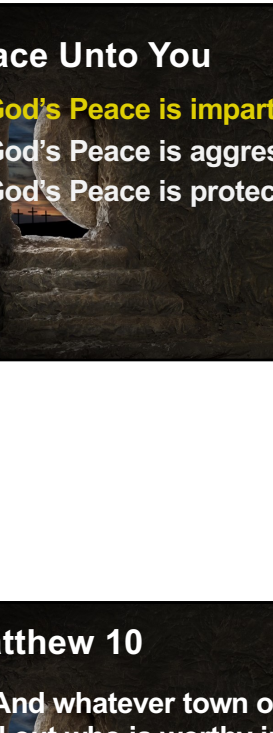
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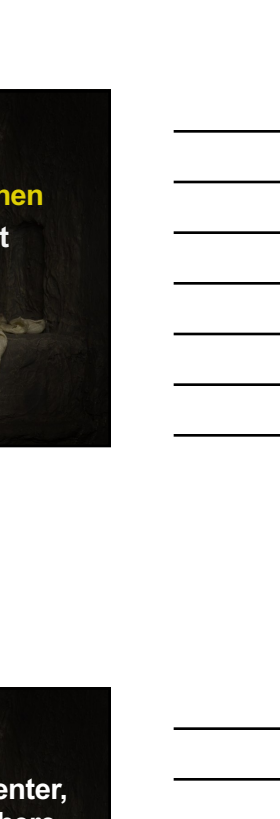
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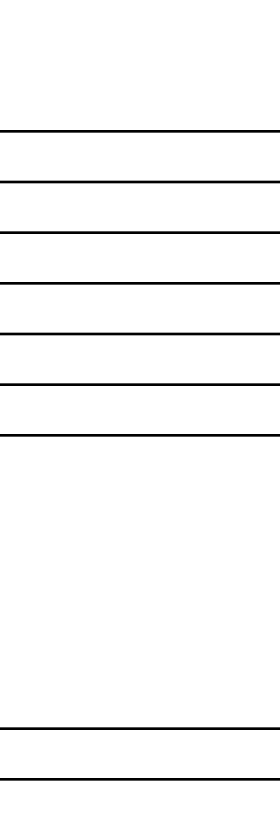
Matthew 10

11 And whatever town or village you enter, find out who is worthy in it and stay there until you depart. 12 As you enter the house, greet it. 13 And if the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it, but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you.



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Peace is
a person...
to have true peace, you need Christ

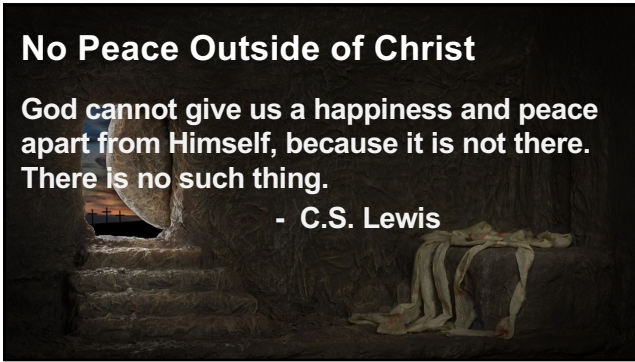


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No Peace Outside of Christ

God cannot give us a happiness and peace apart from Himself, because it is not there. There is no such thing.

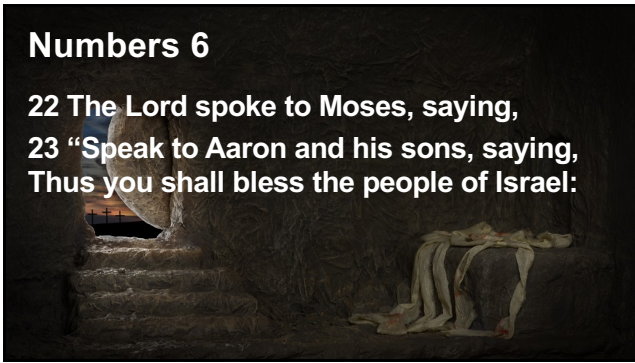
- C.S. Lewis



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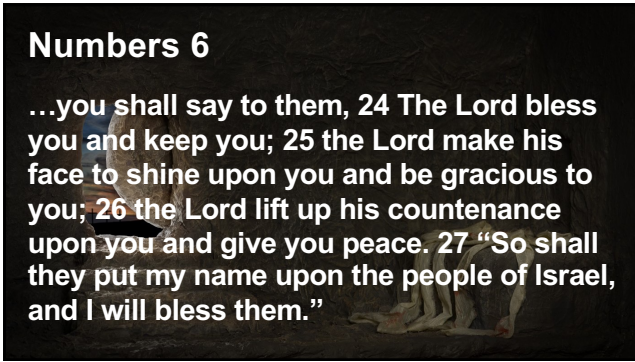
22 The Lord spoke to Moses, saying,
23 "Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying,
Thus you shall bless the people of Israel:



21

Numbers 6

...you shall say to them, 24 The Lord bless you and keep you; 25 the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; 26 the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. 27 "So shall they put my name upon the people of Israel, and I will bless them."



22

John 16:33

33 I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.”

23

2 Thessalonians 3:16

16 Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all.

24

Peace Unto You

- 1. God's Peace is imparted to strengthen
- 2. God's Peace is aggressive to defeat
- 3. God's Peace is protective to guard

25

Romans 16:20

The God of peace will soon crush Satan under your feet. The grace of our Lord Jesus be with you.

26

Judges 6

22 Then Gideon perceived that he was the angel of the Lord. And Gideon said, "Alas, O Lord God! For now I have seen the angel of the Lord face to face." 23 But the Lord said to him, "Peace be to you. Do not fear; you shall not die." 24 Then Gideon built an altar there to the Lord and called it, The Lord Is Peace. To this day it still stands at Ophrah, which belongs to the Abiezrites.

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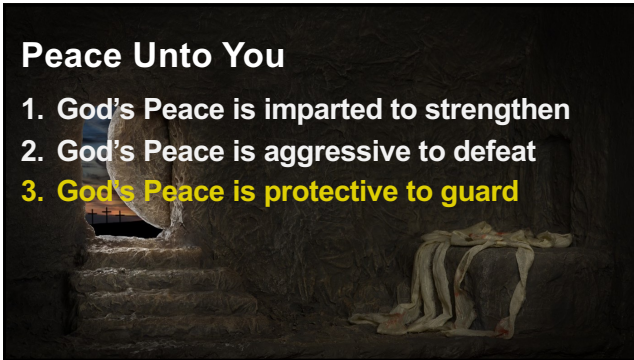
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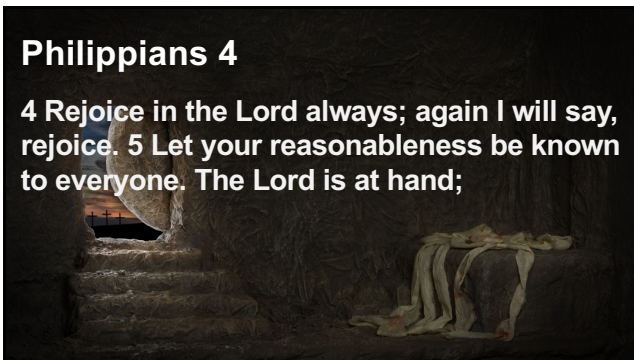
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Philippians 4

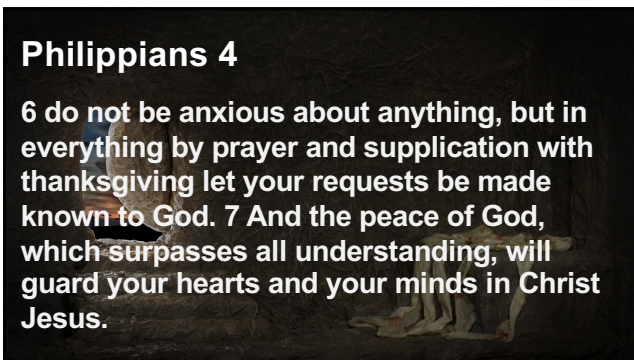
4 Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. 5 Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand;



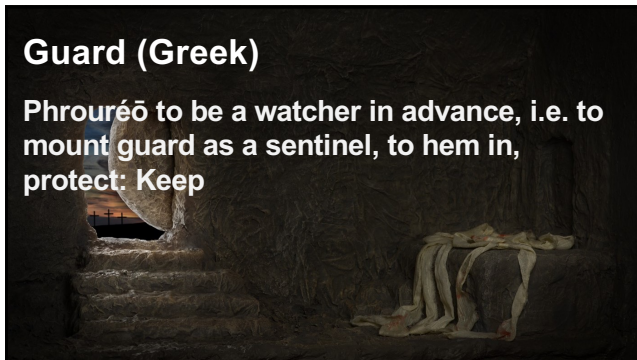
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Philippians 4

6 do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. 7 And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.



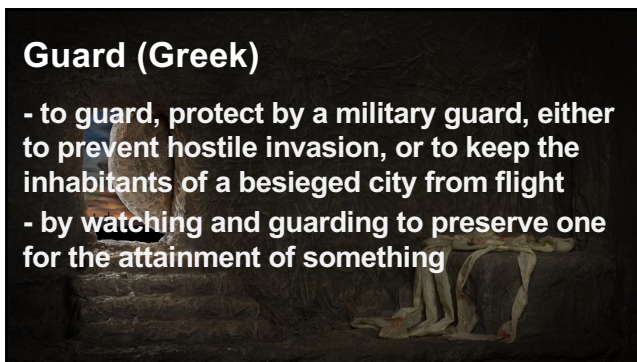
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Guard (Greek)

Phroureō to be a watcher in advance, i.e. to mount guard as a sentinel, to hem in, protect: Keep

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Guard (Greek)

- to guard, protect by a military guard, either to prevent hostile invasion, or to keep the inhabitants of a besieged city from flight
- by watching and guarding to preserve one for the attainment of something

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