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God's Word For Today

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Isaiah 26:1-4 KJV In that day shall this song be sung in the land of Judah; We have a strong city; salvation will God appoint for walls and bulwarks. (2) Open ye the gates, that the righteous nation which keepeth the truth may enter in. (3) **Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.** (4) Trust ye in the LORD for ever: for in the LORD JEHOVAH is everlasting strength:

The Word for today is Perfect Peace! To say that this is an awesome thing, this peace, it would be an understatement. People, through out all history, have longed for peace. We prepare our dwellings as places of peace. We all want to work at places of peace, sometimes, even for less money, just as long as we can work in peace. We seek partners, even in marriage, that we can be around in peace. We all would like to live in a world that was filled with peace. In fact, there is another Scripture that describe the days that we live in:



Jeremiah 8:9-12 KJV The wise *men* are ashamed, they are dismayed and taken: lo, they have rejected the word of the LORD; and what wisdom is in them? (10) Therefore will I give their wives unto others, *and* their fields to them that shall inherit *them*: for every one from the least even unto the greatest is given to covetousness, from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely. (11) **For they have healed the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, saying, Peace, peace; when there is no peace.** (12) Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination? nay, they were not at all ashamed, neither could they blush: therefore shall they fall among them that fall: in the time of their visitation they shall be cast down, saith the LORD.

We live in a time when most of the world's population would dearly love to live in peace - but the Scripture above says that they will say Peace Peace, yet there will be no Peace! In fact, we are instructed to pray for the Peace of Jerusalem.

The leaders of this world try to interfere with nation of Israel and tell them how much of the land, that God Almighty has given them, to tell them how much of the land they may keep. Some are even seeking to divide the Holy City of Jerusalem, itself. Some would take it all from them.

Psalms 122:3-9 KJV Jerusalem is builded **as a city that is compact together:** (4) Whither the tribes go up, the tribes of the LORD, unto the testimony of Israel, to give thanks unto the name of the LORD. (5) For there are set thrones of judgment, the thrones of the house of David. (6) **Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper that love thee.** (7) Peace be within thy walls, *and* prosperity within thy palaces. (8) For my brethren and companions' sakes, **I will now say, Peace be within thee.** (9) **Because of the house of the LORD our God I will seek thy good.**

There is only one person, in all of eternity, that can cure what is wrong with this crazy world and bring Perfect Peace. That Person is none other than the Precious Son of God. It is not Buddha, Allah, Confucius or any other, **it is only Jesus!** One day, very soon, Jesus will descend from heaven, to destroy satan and those who would destroy Jerusalem. When He does come, He will establish His throne in Jerusalem. Then and only then will there be true Peace in Jerusalem.

Revelation 19:11-16 KJV (11) And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat upon him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he doth judge and make war. (12) His eyes were as a flame of fire, and on his head were many crowns; and he had a name written, that no man knew, but he himself. (13) And he was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and his name is called The Word of God. (14) And the armies *which were* in heaven followed him upon white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and clean. (15) And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. (16) And he hath on *his* vesture and on his thigh a name written, KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS.

He Shall Bring Perfect Peace!