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A Word For Your Day

The Peace Of God



THE ABC'S OF PERFECT PEACE

Philippians 4:4-8 Rejoice in the Lord alway: *and* again I say, Rejoice. **(A)** Let your moderation be known unto all men. The Lord *is* at hand. **(B)** Be careful for nothing; but **(C)** in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving **(D)** let your requests be made known unto God. **(E)** And **the peace of God, which passeth all understanding,** **(F)** shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. **(G)** Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if *there be* any virtue, and if *there be* any praise, think on these things.

The Peace of God which passes all understanding. If you were to say that you don't understand how anyone could have peace during some awful trial, I would have to say to you, "you are not supposed to understand". When we obey and walk in tune with God, there is an awesome peace that comes to a Christian, that this world's population knows nothing about.

A man that I worked with, who knew what some people were trying to do to me, once said to me, "I don't understand how you can have so much peace". The truth is, neither did I understand. This wonderful peace is really supernatural. There is a wonderful song that I used to sing called "**Wonderful Peace**". In August 1889, Warren Donald Cornell wrote this song at a camp meet-ing near West Bend, Wisconsin: Some of the words go:

Wonderful Peace

Far away in the depths of my spirit tonight - Rolls a melody sweeter than psalm;
In celestial strains it unceasingly falls - O'er my soul like an infinite calm.
Refrain
Peace, peace, wonderful peace, - Coming down from the Father above!
Sweep over my spirit forever, I pray - In fathomless billows of love!



All that I can tell you is that when we have exhausted all of own strength and when we are doing our best to walk in all the truth that God has entrusted us with, then His supernatural grace avails itself upon us. It then becomes His battle and not our own. He takes our hurts and feelings personally. After Saul, who was later to be saved and called the Apostle Paul, had persecuted the early church, Jesus supernaturally knocked Saul off his feet. Then from Heaven, Jesus said to him, about those believers that Saul had persecuted:

Acts 9:3-4 And as he journeyed, he came near Damascus: and suddenly there shined round about him a light from heaven: **(4)** And he fell to the earth, and heard a voice saying unto him, **Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me?**



Jesus feels your pain in a very personal way:

Hebrews 4:14-16 Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast *our* profession. **(15)** **For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.** **(16)** Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.

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I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth. 3 John 1:4 KJV