



Walking in God's Peace – Part II
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- Having peace in perilous times does not mean that trouble has disappeared; it means God is magnified bigger than your problems.
- In John 16:33, Jesus warns us of trouble only after he assures us of peace. Because He knew it would be impossible to face trouble without peace.
- The lack of peace can have severe consequences.
- Thomas lacked peace and is infamous for emotional challenges. *John 20: 24-29*

I. Your Trouble Versus Your Peace

- Trouble can destroy peace, but peace will also destroy trouble. The one you magnify most is the one that will win.
- Your peace must be as real as your problem.
- True peace will always outlast trouble.

II. Trouble Can Increase Our Capacity for Peace

Psalm 29:11

- It's in trouble where you recognize the need of peace and in trouble where you discover that you have peace. More trouble more peace!!
- Future peace is dependent upon fighting present battles. When you have fought enough battles, you recognize it's not about how much fight is in you but how much peace is in you. *Exodus 14:14; Deut. 1:30*
- God does not need to take you out of the trouble but give you peace in the trouble. *Psalm 23:4*

III. Peace is the Ultimate Antidote That Can Counteract Trouble

- When there is no peace present, there will be tremendous damage.
- Trouble may come, but peace will preserve:
 - Your mind
 - Your spirit
 - Your physical body
- Peace has the power to stop trouble *Mark 4:37-41*