



The Wonders of His Love

Peace on Earth - Shalom

WEEK 2 - December 12/13, 2020



OVERVIEW

Every Christmas we sing about "peace on earth," but what does this really mean? Is the peace Jesus brought simply an absence of war, or is there something deeper going on? This week we will explore the fullness of God's peace (*shalom*) which broke into this world with the birth of Jesus, and the abundance, fullness of life, and joy which he continues to bring.

Glory to God in highest heaven, and peace on earth to those with whom God is pleased.

Luke 2:14



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Describe what peace looks like to you.
2. When was the last time you experienced peace?
3. What are some things in life that rob you of that peace?
4. Where do you find hope right now?
5. What do you believe is the cause of all of the "unrest" in the world today?
6. Barry states "When we truly follow Jesus with our lives, peace on earth is the result". And, "Wherever we go we should be planting seeds of *shalom* as well". Share one or two ways you could intentionally begin to "restore *shalom*".
7. **Psalm 29:11** *The LORD gives his people strength. The LORD blesses them with peace.* If peace is something only God can really give, how can we find it?



RESOURCES

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