

The Only Hope for Peace

Everyone is for peace. No one is against it. However, peace means different things to different people.



People say they want "peace" when they are trying to sleep with a loud party going on next door. But what they really want is *quiet*.

People say they want "peace" when they are worried about being able to pay the bills..... they really want *prosperity*.





People say they want "peace" when they are waiting to hear the results of a biopsy they really want good health.

When we don't have what we want, we say we need peace! But that kind of peace disappears with the next set of problems. Not only that, but one person's "peace"

may be problems for the other guy!





So where can we look for a lasting peace that works for everyone? True peace is not the absence of something wrong, but the presence of what's right.

The Jewish prophets teach that the Messiah will bring peace:

"For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given; and the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

Isaiah 9:6 (NKJV)

But how was the Prince of Peace to achieve His goal?

"But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed." Isaiah 53:5 (NKJV)

The only hope for peace was born in the Middle East, in Bethlehem.

He also died and rose from the grave in the Middle East.



His peace is real and you can have it today. It transcends the situations of life because it comes from God's all-powerful transcendent presence.

Through Jesus the Messiah you can know God's love, forgiveness and eternal peace.

Jesus said, "These things I have spoken to you that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." John 16:33 (NKJV)

If you want to know more about peace with God, write or email:

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