



Peace Is Proclaimed By The Providence of God

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Introduction: During this time of the year the world is singing songs of "Peace on Earth." While we may be skeptical about peace on Earth, what hinders us from getting on board with this vision? What's wrong with singing about peace, joy, and love? In this lesson today, we will consider how peace is proclaimed by the providence of God. Let's study together....

Discussion:

I. THROUGH GOD'S PROVIDENCE PEACE IS PERMITTED

Genesis 15:15, Numbers 6:24-26, Psalm 29:11

II. THROUGH GOD'S PROVIDENCE PEACE IS PROVIDED

Psalm 147:14, Proverbs 3:1-2, Proverbs 16:7

III. THROUGH GOD'S PROVIDENCE PEACE IS PRESENTED

John 14:27, John 16:33, Matthew 5:9, Romans 15:33

IV. THROUGH GOD'S PROVIDENCE PEACE IS PURSUED

Psalm 34:14, I Peter 3:11, Hebrews 12:14, James 3:18

V. THROUGH GOD'S PROVIDENCE PEACE IS PROCLAIMED

Mark 4:39, Exodus 14:13-14, Galatians 5:22-23

Conclusion: Do you know the Prince of Peace? He came to this Earth to bring peace. He came to calm storms, quiet chaos, and comfort souls. He came to show love, bring joy, and then, He died to bring everlasting peace. Will you accept Him as your Savior? Will you abandon your old life and walk in peace with Him? Will you allow His precious blood cleanse you in baptism? Will you continue to bear the fruit of peace in your life? Let's live peacefully and proclaim peace to the world!

WORD OF THE DAY = "PEACE"