HE PROMISES—PART 3 "PERFECT PEACE!"

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Romans 8:17—"Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ..."

Jesus Willed His...

Mother To John

<u>John 19:26-27</u>—"When Jesus saw His mother there, and the disciple whom he loved standing nearby, He said to her, 'Woman, here is your son,' and to the disciple, 'Here is your mother.' From that time on, this disciple took her into his home."

Spirit To The Father

<u>Luke 23:46</u>—"Jesus called out with a loud voice, 'Father, into your hands I commit my spirit.' When He had said this, He breathed his last."

Peace To Us

<u>John 14:27</u>—"Peace I leave with you; <u>my peace I give you</u>. <u>I do not give to you as the world gives</u>. Do not let your hearts be troubled and <u>do not be afraid</u>."

Five Words That Can Change Your Life: "My Peace I Give You!"

What's Perfect Peace?

<u>Isaiah 26:1-3</u> (NLT)—"In that day, everyone in the land of Judah will sing this song: Our city is strong! We are surrounded by the walls of God's salvation. Open the gates to all who are righteous; allow the faithful to enter. <u>You will keep in perfect peace</u> all who trust in you, all <u>whose thoughts are fixed on you!"</u>

"Peace" = Hebrew word "Shalom" = Wholeness or Completeness—Fullness of Peace!

"Fixed" = Hebrew word "Samak" = Steadfast; to Lean on Completely—to Fully Rest Oneself!

The Big Idea:
What Consumes Your Mind Controls Your Life

<u>Philippians 4:8</u>—"Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things."

Peace Isn't the Absence of a Storm—it's Living in the Presence of God!

<u>Philippians 4:6-7</u>—"Do not be anxious about anything, but <u>in every situation</u>, by prayer and petition, <u>with thanksgiving</u>, present your requests to God. And <u>the peace of God</u>, which transcends all understanding, <u>will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus</u>."

"My Peace I Give You!"

How Will You Respond?