

Season of Peace

Matthew 2:13-23

Christmas is a Season of Peace because we know if we belong to Christ, then regardless of the circumstances, we are never far from the Peace of Christ. Salvation in Christ is the steady anchor for a life that seems to be full of struggle.

- Peace *from* God
 - Romans 13:1-7; Acts 24:2; Revelation 20; Matthew 24
- Peace *of* God
 - Philippians 4:6-9; Proverbs 3:13-17; Psalm 119:165
- Peace *with* God
 - Ephesians 2:14-18; Romans 5:1; Galatians 6:12-16
- Peace *in* God
 - Ephesians 4:3; 1 Corinthians 2:6-11; Philippians 2:1-4

Maintaining Peace Might Require Fleeing from Immediate Danger.
Verses 13-15

Peace is Possible in Spite of Terrible Things Happening Near or Far.
Verses 16-18

Peace Reveals the Freedom to Return and Resume Life.
Verses 19-23

*“Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace among
those with whom he is pleased!”*

Luke 2:14