

Weekly Morning Meditations

‘This Is The Way’

Monday

‘PEACE’ IS THE WAY

To give light to them that sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into **the way of peace**. Luke 1:79 [KJV]

PEACE an undisturbed state of mind; absence of mental conflict; serenity; calm; quiet; tranquility; freedom from disagreement or quarrels; harmony; accord

WHERE THERE IS PEACE, THERE IS

- QUIET
- HARMONY
- FAITH
- CONFIDENCE
- COURAGE
- REST

AND THERE ISN’T

- NOISE
- CONFUSION
- DOUBT
- APPREHENSION
- FEAR
- UNREST

WHAT SHOULD WE DO ABOUT PEACE?

- SEEK IT (Psalm 34:14, 1Peter 3:11)
- PURSUE IT (Psalm 34:14)
- FOLLOW IT (Hebrews 12:14)

WHO IS REWARDED WITH PEACE?

- GOD’S PEOPLE (Psalm 29:11)
- THE MEEK (Psalm 37:11)
- THE ‘PERFECT’ AND ‘UPRIGHT’ (Psalm 37:37)
- THOSE WHO LOVE THE ‘LAW’ (Psalm 119:165)

Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God. Matthew 5:9 [KJV]

Wednesday

‘PATIENCE’ IS THE WAY

Here is the ***patience of the saints***: here are they that keep the commandments of God, and the faith of Jesus. Rev. 14:12 [KJV]

PATIENCE the act of bearing pains and trials calmly or without complaint; manifesting forbearance under provocation or strain, not hasty or impetuous; steadfast despite opposition, difficulty, or adversity; able or willing to bear

THE CALL FOR PATIENCE

- be **‘it’** with ALL MEN (1Thessalonians 5:14)
- follow **‘it’** (1Timothy 6:11)
- let us RUN with **‘it’** (Hebrews 12:1)
- let **‘it’** have her PERFECT WORK (James 1:4)

THE BENEFITS OF PATIENCE

- no SHAME (Psalm 25:3)
- strengthening of HEART (Psalm 27:14)
- inheritance of the EARTH (Psalm 37:9)
- EXALTATION (Psalm 37:34)
- DIVINE ATTENTION (Psalm 40:1)
- receive GOOD from the LORD (Lamentations 3:25)
- SALVATION (Matthew 24:13)
- strengthens our HOPE (Romans 8:25)
- harmonizes our relationship with OTHERS (Romans 15:4)
- validates our MINISTRY (2Corinthians 6:4)
- leads others to CHRIST (2Timothy 2:10)
- leads to MATURITY (James 1:4)
- receives the PRECIOUS FRUIT (James 5:7)
- leads to GODLINESS (2Peter 1:6)
- deliverance from the GREAT TRIBULATION (Rev 3:10)

Friday

‘PRAISE’ IS THE WAY

Let the people ***praise thee***, O God; let **all the people** praise thee. Psalm 67:5 [KJV]

SEVEN TYPES OF PRAISE

yadah , yaw-daw'	to use (i.e. hold out) the hand
hillul , hil-lool'	a celebration of thanksgiving for harvest
tehillah , the-hil-law'	laudation; specifically (concrete) a hymn
barak , baw-rak'	to kneel
zamar , zaw-mar'	to touch the strings or parts of a musical instrument,
towdah , to-daw';	properly an extension of the hand
shabach , shaw-bakh'	to address in a loud tone, (as if by words)

*Praise ye the Lord. **O give thanks unto the Lord**; for he is good: for his mercy endureth for ever. Psalm 106:1 [KJV]*

*Oh that men would **praise the Lord for his goodness**, and for his wonderful works to the children of men! Psalm 107:8 [KJV]*

***The dead praise not the Lord**, neither any that go down into silence. Psalm 115:17 [KJV]*

***Seven times a day do I praise thee** because of thy righteous judgments. Psalm 119:164 [KJV]*

*I will praise thee; **for I am fearfully and wonderfully made**: marvellous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well. Psalm 139:14 [KJV]*