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**Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 142**

Did you know that God loves you more than anyone else could ever love you?

God proves His love to you by **His peaceful love**. **John 16:33** *“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.”*

The Greek term for *peace* is *eirenen* which means *to be at one, to rest, to have quietness and peace*. We looked at this word in part, but to see it in connection with the word of Jesus is to realize that this is a gift that comes directly from Him and is created by Him. When you think about this word *peace*, it is in some ways described by seeing what it is not. It is not conflict, nor disturbance, nor irritation or noise. We live in such a fast pace world, that it seems there is no where you can go to find this peace. Well I can tell you that you won't find it in a place, but instead in a Person. His name is Jesus and he gives peace because He is peace. He said in this world, we will have tribulation. There is no doubt that we all face many trials, heartaches, sorrow and struggles. But we have a God Who has overcome the world. In other words, this world has no hold on Him because He holds this world and the whole universe in His hand.

If you are feeling overwhelmed, stressed out, confused or depressed, you can turn to the giver of peace Himself. Just call upon Jesus and He will give you a peace that passes all understanding. **Phil. 4:7** *“And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.”*

**Dear Father, we thank You today for Your peace. We realize that in this imperfect world, we will have trials and struggles; but what a blessing it is to have You to turn to. You are our peace. In Jesus Name, Amen**