



A sailboat with two sails is silhouetted against a vibrant sunset sky. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright orange and yellow glow that reflects on the water. The sailboat is positioned on the right side of the frame, with its reflection visible in the calm water below. The overall mood is peaceful and serene.

# THE GIFT OF PEACE

John 14:27

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<sup>27</sup> Peace I leave with you; My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Do not let your heart be troubled, nor let it be fearful.

NASB





# What is peace?

positive and negative

Old Testament: “Shalom”

New Testament: “Eirene”



# The Gospel is a message of peace with God

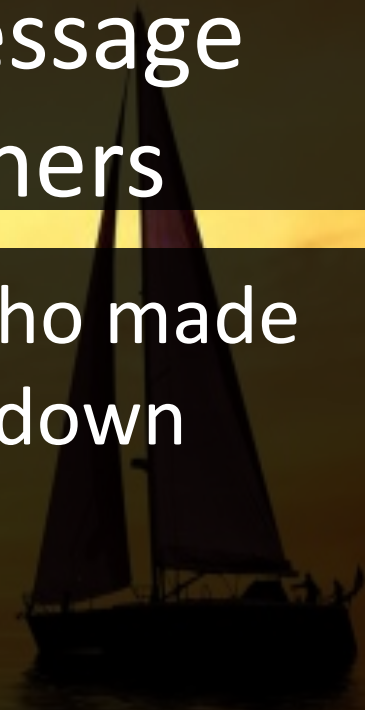
Therefore, having been justified by faith, we  
have peace with God through our Lord Jesus  
Christ,

Romans 5:1 (NASB)

# The Gospel is a message of peace with others

<sup>14</sup> For He Himself is our peace, who made both *groups into* one and broke down the barrier of the dividing wall,

Ephesians 2:14 (NASB)



# Peace is God's greatest legacy

"Peace I leave with you"

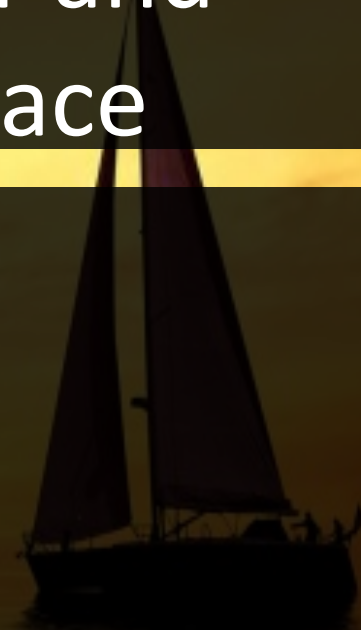
John 14:27a (NASB)

A silhouette of a sailboat with two sails is positioned on the right side of the image, floating on a calm sea. The background is a gradient of warm colors, from dark brown at the top to bright yellow and orange at the bottom, suggesting a sunset or sunrise. The water reflects the light from the sky, creating a shimmering effect. The overall mood is peaceful and serene.



Jesus is the author and  
distributor of peace

"My peace I leave with you"



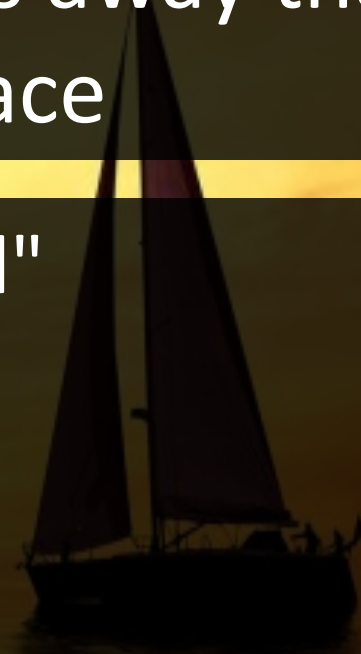
God's peace is different  
from that of the world

"not as the world gives"



It is our job to keep things away that  
disturb God's peace

"don't let your heart be troubled"



# Philippians 4:6-7

<sup>6</sup> Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. <sup>7</sup> And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

(NASB)

# Promises



“The steadfast of mind You will keep in  
perfect peace,  
Because he trusts in You.

Isaiah 26:3 (NASB)

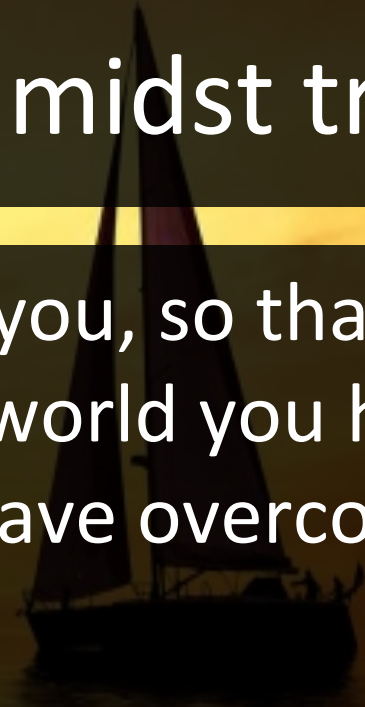
Those who love Your law have great peace,  
And nothing causes them to stumble.

Psalms 119:165 (NASB)

# Jesus promises peace amidst trials

<sup>33</sup> These things I have spoken to you, so that in Me you may have peace. In the world you have tribulation, but take courage; I have overcome the world.”

John 16:33 (NASB)



# Application

God has left me a legacy of peace



# Numbers 6:24-26

<sup>24</sup> The LORD bless you, and keep you;

<sup>25</sup> The LORD make His face shine on you,  
And be gracious to you;

<sup>26</sup> The LORD lift up His countenance on you,  
And give you peace.'

(NASB)



