



“PEACE IN SPITE OF CIRCUMSTANCES”

Series: “A LIFE WORTH LIVING”, Part 7 of 8

Sunday, November 17, 2024, at 9:00 and 11:00 AM

Text: Philippians 4:1-9

Big Idea: When we pray about everything and bring every aspect of our circumstances under the Lordship of Christ, His peace rules in our soul.

Philippians 4:4, “Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!”

Philippians 4:10a, “I rejoice greatly in the Lord ...”

I. DISCOVER THE PEACE THAT COMES IN PRAYING WITH THANKSGIVING.

Philippians 4:6a, “Do not be anxious about anything ...”

Philippians 4:6-7, “Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.”

1 Thessalonians 5:18, “give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.”

Ephesians 6:10, “Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.”

II. DISCOVER THE POWER OF RIGHT THINKING.

Philippians 4:8, “Finally, brothers, 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.”

2 Corinthians 11:3, “But I am afraid that just as Eve was deceived by the serpent’s cunning, your minds may somehow be led astray from your sincere and pure devotion to Christ.”

Romans 12:2a, “Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.”

III. DISCOVER THE PRACTICALITY OF RIGHT LIVING.

Philippians 4:9, “Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me—put it into practice. And the God of peace will be with you.”

Acts 16:25, “About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the other prisoners were listening to them.”

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