

All You Need!

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Peace comes from

- **Peace comes from** God's presence in our lives
- **Peace comes from** turning our cares over to God in prayer
- **Peace comes from** learning to discipline our thinking by focusing on the good and positive things and subtracting from our thinking the negative.

I have learned to be content...

Philippians 4:10-13 "I rejoiced in the Lord greatly ... I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. "I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret being content in any and every circumstance... "I can do all things through him who strengthens me." ESV

Make it your choice to consciously rest in the stillness and stability of God's faithful care to meet your needs.

Contentment ...

does not come because we have conquered our circumstances or because we have learned to change our circumstances but because we have learned how to live in our circumstances.

If you want to be content...

- You will not find it in what you have
- You will not find it by changing your circumstances
- You will only find it in Christ!

When flying in the blind

2 Peter 1:3-4 "His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence, "by which *he has granted to us his precious and very great promises*, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire." ESV

¹⁹ And my God will meet all your needs according
to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus. ²⁰ To our
God and Father be glory for ever and ever. Amen.
Philippians 4:19-20 niv



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Philippians 4:19-20 "And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. "To our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen." ESV

I. The Provider

Genesis 22:8 "Abraham said, "God will provide for himself the lamb for a burnt offering, my son." So they went both of them together."

Genesis 22:14 "So Abraham called the name of that place, "The Lord will provide"; as it is said to this day, "On the mount of the Lord it shall be provided.'" ESV

John 21:4-6, 9 "Just as day was breaking, Jesus stood on the shore; yet the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. "Jesus said to them, "Children, do you have any fish?" They answered him, "No." "He said to them, "Cast the net on the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in, because of the quantity of fish... When they got out on land, they saw a charcoal fire in place, with fish laid out on it, and bread."

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II. The Promise

Philippians 4:19 "And my God will supply every need of yours..."

Principle: “The God Who Sees”

Genesis 16:11-13 "And the angel of the Lord said to her, “Behold, you are pregnant and shall bear a son. You shall call his name Ishmael, because the Lord has listened to your affliction. "He shall be a wild donkey of a man, his hand against everyone and everyone’s hand against him, and he shall dwell over against all his kinsmen.” "So she called the name of the Lord who spoke to her, “*You are a God of seeing,*” for she said, “Truly here I have seen him who looks after me.”" ESV

Principle: “He knows what you need before you ask”

Matthew 6:6-8 "But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. "“And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words. "Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him." ESV

He knows exactly what I need

Matthew 7:7 "“Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.” ESV

Romans 8:26-27 "Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. "And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God." ESV

Principle: “Unusual and Impossible”

Matthew 17:25-28 “What do you think, Simon? From whom do kings of the earth take toll or tax? From their sons or from others?” “And when he said, “From others,” Jesus said to him, “Then the sons are free. “However, not to give offense to them, go to the sea and cast a hook and take the first fish that comes up, and when you open its mouth you will find a shekel. Take that and give it to them for me and for yourself.”” ESV

2 Kings 7:3-9

III. The Provision

Principle: “According to” not “out of”

Isaiah 40:25-26 "To whom then will you compare me, that I should be like him? says the Holy One. "Lift up your eyes on high and see: who created these? He who brings out their host by number, calling them all by name, by the greatness of his might, and because he is strong in power not one is missing." ESV

Principle: “According to” not “out of”

Psalm 50:10-12 "For every beast of the forest is mine, the cattle on a thousand hills. "I know all the birds of the hills, and all that moves in the field is mine.

"“If I were hungry, I would not tell you, for the world and its fullness are mine.”

Principle: “You can’t out give God”

- **Luke 6:38** "give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you." ESV
- **Luke 18:28-30** "And Peter said, “See, we have left our homes and followed you.” "And he said to them, “Truly, I say to you, there is no one who has left house or wife or brothers or parents or children, for the sake of the kingdom of God, "who will not receive many times more in this time, and in the age to come eternal life.”" ESV

Principle: “**this isn’t just about money**”

- **2 Corinthians 7:5-6** "For even when we came into Macedonia, our bodies had no rest, but we were afflicted at every turn—fighting without and fear within. "But God, who comforts the downcast, comforted us by the coming of Titus," ESV

Principle: “He is all I need”

- **Hebrews 13:5-6** "Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, “I will never leave you nor forsake you.” "So we can confidently say, “The Lord is my helper; I will not fear; what can man do to me?”"

Carry the Light

Anyone who comes to You
Anyone at all with arms wide open
Anyone who reaches out any time at all
With a heart that's broken
You will be their shelter
You will have an answer for anyone
Whoever cries out in need
There You'll be (just for me)

Chorus:

I stand on Your promise
Your love is forever
And I believe with all my heart
You are my one and only Savior
You are the light shining out of the dark
And to the ends of the earth
And for the rest of my life
I will carry the light

Verse 2

Any time I turn to You any time at all
I find You waiting Waiting for the chance to help me hold
me heal me
Show me just how amazing
Life can be when you know
What is to be free (to be free)

Bridge

Over the mountains into the valleys
Crossing the oceans
To all the people of every nation
I'll carry the light

Chorus:

I stand on Your promise
Your love is forever
And I believe with all my heart
You are my one and only Savior
You are the light shining out of the dark
And to the ends of the earth
And for the rest of my life
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