

# Peace Be Unto You

by A.B. Simpson

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*Jesus brings two types of peace: peace with God and the peace of God, which we need to serve Him and be used for His glory.*

**Scripture:** Isaiah 26:3, Matthew 11:28, John 20:19, John 20:21, Romans 5:1, Philippians 4:7

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## Description

A.B. Simpson emphasizes the dual nature of peace that Jesus offers, distinguishing between peace with God and the peace of God that surpasses understanding. He explains that true peace is essential for serving God effectively, as burdens and anxieties can hinder our ability to trust and love Him fully. Simpson encourages believers to seek this deeper peace, which allows them to be free from distractions and fully engaged in God's work. He highlights that the blood of Jesus brings this inner peace, enabling us to fulfill our duties with rest and assurance in His will.

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## Transcript

Peace be unto you. These words are a type of Jesus' first appearing to our hearts when He comes to bring us His peace and to teach us to trust Him and to love Him. But there is a second peace which He has to give. Jesus said unto them again, Peace be unto you. There is a "peace," and there is an 44 again peace." There is a peace with God, and there is the peace of God, which passeth all understanding (Philippians 4:7). It is the deeper peace that we need before we can serve Him or be used for His glory. While we are burdened with our own cares, He cannot give us His. While we are occupied with ourselves, we cannot be at leisure to serve Him.

Our minds will be so filled with our own anxieties that we would not be equal to the trust which He requires of us.

Before He can entrust us with His work, He wants to deliver us from every burden and anxiety. Peace, perfect peace, in this dark world of sin? The blood of Jesus whispers peace within. Peace, perfect peace, by thronging duties pressed? To do the will of Jesus, this is rest.

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