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Part 1

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Monday

Here on earth: people, places and things everywhere are breaking down, drying out, and coming apart, because of anxiety, fear, selfishness, strife, pressure, and depression —a result of the absence of peace. (John 16:33, James 4:1)

- How does lack of peace impact your life?

Tuesday

Peace is not found naturally on earth it is not indigenous. Yet, we can find evidence, people, and situations with peace. Peace is a spiritual supplement, which must be imported; it is the sense that nothing is missing and nothing broken. (Psalm 4:7-8)

- In what way have you experienced Peace?

Wednesday

Peace comes from God, He is the only source. The world only has substitutes for peace. We only have peace because we had a substitute. We can have peace with God through what Jesus did for us. (Romans 5:1, Ephesians 2:14)

- In what ways has God provided you peace?

Thursday

You must want, pursue, and maintain peace. We need Peace with God with self, and with others. Understand that the internal affects/determines the external. (Psalm 34:14, 2 Corinthians 5:18-21)

- How has your internal attitude affected your external actions?

Friday

The elements of God's Kingdom are righteousness, peace and joy. You are in the Kingdom and the Kingdom is in you, you can have peace. Peace comes from God. He is the source of peace; peace is given through relationship and trust. (Romans 14:17)

- How does being in God's kingdom, impact your day?

Memorization: John 16:33 (Message)

I've told you all this so that trusting me, you will be unshakable and assured, deeply at peace. In this godless world you will continue to experience difficulties. But take heart! I've conquered the world.