



# Battle Ready: The Gospel of Peace

Ephesians 6:15, Romans 1:16




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# Ephesians 6:15

...and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace.





## John 14:27


Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.





## Romans 5:10


For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.





## Ephesians 2:13-14


But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he himself is our peace, who has made us both one and has broken down in his flesh the dividing wall of hostility





# Romans 5:1


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





## Philippians 4:6-7

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.







# Shoes of readiness

Greek: Hetoimasia





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- Preparation, readiness
- Foundation, firm footing





## Matthew 9:35-38

And Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”





# Gospel

Greek: Euaggelion


- Eu - good, or well
- Angelos - messenger, or message
  
- The good news!





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## Romans 1:16a

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes...





## Revelation 21:5a

And he who was seated on the throne said, “Behold, I am making all things new.”








## Isaiah 9:6b-7a


...and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor,  
Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the  
increase of his government and of peace there will be  
no end...





## John 1:1-5

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life, and the life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.






## John 1:14, 18

And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth...

No one has ever seen God. The one and only Son, who is himself God and is at the Father's side—he has revealed him.





## Romans 10:14-15

How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!”

