



RESURRECTION MATTERS:
PEACE, GRATITUDE, AND
A CHRIST-FILLED ATTITUDE

Col. 3:15-17

VS. 15

What is the peace of Christ?

Rooted in the Resurrection and lived out in the
context of the Body

John 14:27; Phil. 4:7

Because of Jesus' finished work on the Cross, we are
no longer enemies of God (Rom. 5:9-11)

“Rule” - to act as an umpire in your life



VS. 15

You were called to peace Matt. 5:9; Rom. 12:17-18

“Be thankful”

An expectation of every Christ-follower

VS. 16

What is the word of Christ? Jesus quoted the OT nearly 50 times, so it might be understood to mean OT and NT. That's fair.

More so, though, it is the expressed revelation of Christ and His gospel (See John 1:1-17)

What is dwell? "to live in" or "be at home"

What is richly? "abundantly or extravagantly rich"



IN CONVERSATION

“How does (the situation) mesh with your theology?”

“Theology has nothing to do with it!”


“Ahhh...Well then, I think I see your problem”

VS. 16

“In all wisdom” which begins in the fear of the Lord
Proverbs 9:10

Teach and admonish one another? Admonish means
“To put into the mind, instruct, warn”

Both require humility, grace and truth.



“If you go to confront a brother and don’t have tears in your eyes, you’re probably going with the wrong motive.”

– Pastor Steve Brown

VARIOUS GENRES OF MUSIC

“Psalms” Almost certainly refers to the inspired psalms of the Hebrew canon. A story of man’s deliverance or a commemoration of mercies received

“Hymns” (Gr.) A magnificent proclaiming of how great someone or something is. A direct address of praise.

Augustine said “a hymn must be sung, it must be praise, and it must be to God.”



“Songs” qualified as ‘spiritual’ (Gr.) “To sing, confess, praise” A harmonious song. “An expression that emanates spontaneously from one’s spirit.”



VS. 17

- Whatever, in both word and deed 1 Cor. 10:31
- What is “in the name of Jesus”? In a manner consistent with the character and nature of Jesus
- Again, gratitude “Praise and thanksgiving are barometers of spiritual health.” (D Jeremiah)