DAILY RENEWING THE CONSCIENCE WITH THE PEACE OF CHRIST

JOHN 14:19-31

John 14:19-21

"A little while longer and the world will see Me no more, but you will see Me. Because live, you will live also. At that day you will know that I am in My Father, and you in Me, and I in you. He who has My commandments and keeps them, it is he who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and manifest Myself to him."

John 14:22-24

Judas (not Iscariot) said to Him, "Lord, how is it that You will manifest Yourself to us, and not to the world?"

Jesus answered and said to him, "If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him. He who does not love Me does not keep My words; and the word which you hear is not Mine but the Father's who sent Me.

John 14:25-27

"These things I have spoken to you while being present with you. But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you. Peace I leave with you, My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.

John 14:28-31

"You have heard Me say to you, 'I am going away and coming back to you.' If you loved Me, you would rejoice because I said, 'I am going to the Father,' for My Father is greater than I.

"And now I have told you before it comes, that when it does come to pass, you may believe. I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming, and he has nothing in Me. But that the world may know that I love the Father, and as the Father gave Me commandment, so I do. Arise, let us go from here."

Peace that Jesus Christ Gives

- Not like the world gives v.27
- Based on words of Christ v.20
- Based on faith in His love for us v.21
- Based on our love for Him v.20-21
- Our love leads us to keep His word v.22-24
- In spite of whatever the world may do v.19,
 28-31
- Enables you to live peaceably with enemies Romans 12:18-21; Matt. 5:43-48

The Conscience

- Important part of the inner man
- Interchangeable with "heart" 1 Sam. 26:5
- Emotions of regret, guilt, shame when we believe that we have done wrong
- If we act in a way that we believe is right, we feel good, at peace
- What if our belief is wrong? Acts 23:1
- The conscience must be educated by God's word in order to help you to obey God Heb.
 5:8-9,14

Daily Renewing the Conscience with Peace

- Genesis 13:5-9 no strife...we are brothers
- Genesis 26 example of living peacefully
- Luke 10:5-6 your peace will return to you
- John 14:19-31 My peace I give...
- Romans 5:1-11 peace with God and future
- Ephesians 2:14-18 peace with God and one another
- Philippians 4:4-9 pray → peace of God
- Colossians 3:12-17 let the peace of Christ rule your hearts